

Religious Ed/Youth Group Announcements

Looking for Volunteers!



Desire to make a difference in a child's life or looking to enrich your own faith? Take a look at some great opportunities below!

Religious Education is starting to look for teachers/co-teachers/helpers for the next religious education year! If you might be interested in being a co-teacher (K-8th) please let Allie know!

reddirector@sttheresesf.org

Grades that need a teacher:
3rd, 5th, 6th, 7th & 8th

Grades that need a co-teacher:
3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th & 8th

Grades that need a helper:
(needs to be a youth 7th grade & above, adults too)
3rd, 4th, 5th

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Religious Ed Family Kickoff Night
Aug. 12th
4-8PM

*Come enjoy some grilled hotdogs & chips!
*Register for Religious Education!



St. Lambert School News: Ms. Colleen Davis, Principal

If you have questions about enrollment or would like a tour of the school please call Jenni Struck, Admissions Coordinator, at 575-3358.



Purchase gift cards through SFCS after most Masses on the weekends and at church offices during the week.

This Week at St. Therese

SUN	15-Jul	Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
	8:00 AM	Confessions	
	8:30 AM	Mass	St. Therese Parish
	10:15 AM	Confessions	
	10:45 AM	Mass	St. Therese Parish
	7:00 PM	Mass	St. Therese Parish
MON	16	8:00 AM	Mass Jane Mast (d) Barbara & John Lockwood
TUES	17	8:00 AM	Mass Jane Mast (d) Barbara & John Lockwood
	8:30 AM	Respect Life Rosary	
WED	18	8:00 AM	Mass Juliette Lessard (d) Family
THURS	19	8:00 AM	Mass Sally Puthoff (d) Darlene Katzenberger
FRI	20	7:00 AM	Mass None Reserved
SAT	21	8:00 AM	Mass None Reserved
	3:00 PM	Confessions	
	4:00 PM	Mass	St. Therese Parish
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Ministries for July 21st & 22nd					
Please find a substitute if you are unable to serve.					
Mass Time	Servers	Eucharistic Ministers *Sacristan	1-Gift Bearers 2-Greeters	Lectors	Ushers
4:00 PM Sat	A. Labahn	S. Margeson S. Reeves	1) C. Karolewicz	K. Donohue	J. Stammer
	L. Labahn	K. Mavity M. Stephens			S. Stammer
	P. Labahn	*G. Sarvis	2) C. Barnes		
8:30 AM Sun	A. Starr	D. Lipetzky D. Puthoff	1) D&J Puthoff	K. Bachman	C. Buchholz
	A. Starr	T. Lipetzky J. Puthoff			D. Buchholz
		J. Rasmussen R. Steenholdt	2) G&J Rasmussen		T. Buchholz
10:45 AM Sun	J. Kranz	A. McKay N. Semansky	1) NEED TWO	K. Peterson	T. Koch
	K. Kranz	K. McKay J. Zutz			T. Koch
	K. Kranz	*J. Zutz	2) J. Sjomeling		D. Kranz
	M. Kranz				J. Zutz

PARISH CONTACT INFORMATION

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July 15, 2018
Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saint Therese Catholic Church

901 N. Tahoe Trail · Sioux Falls, SD 57110



MASS TIMES
Weekend
Saturday: 4:00PM
Sunday: 8:30 & 10:45AM
Daily
Refer to schedule on back

CONFESSIONS
Saturdays: 3PM
Sundays: 8AM & 10:15AM
Weekdays:
Refer to schedule on back
Also by appointment

PARISH MEMBERSHIP
Contact the parish office at 338-2433

PARISH OFFICE
Pastor: Fr. Kevin O'Dell
Parish Office Hours:
Monday-Friday
8:00AM-4:00PM

Phone: (605) 338-2433
Fax: (605) 339-2203
Website: www.sttheresesf.org

PARISH SCHOOL: ST. LAMBERT
Phone: (605) 338-7042
Website: www.sfcss.org

PRAYER REQUESTS
Contact the parish office at 338-2433

Parish Mission Statement:

Formed as people of God,
Called as a community of faith,
Guided by Saint Therese,
Committed to caring for God's whole family.

A JAUNT THROUGH CANOVA

By: Fr. O'Dell

Not long ago, I was driving south on Highway 81 just north of Salem. I passed a sign pointing to the west that said CANOVA. In the five years that I was pastor at St. Mary in Salem, I had never taken the opportunity to drive through Canova to do a "look see." I had heard a lot about the history of the town - how it had a great love of baseball and at one time even had their own baseball "stadium." I had heard about the Canova school and all of the graduating classes that had gone through that facility. I had heard about the bank in town that had served farmers for a lot of years with the loans necessary to grow their crops. Other than that, I knew nothing at all about the tiny town of Canova, SD.

So, on a whim, I turned west off 81 with the intention of "seeing" Canova. As is the case with so many of our little towns, Canova has seen better days. There are a lot of vacant lots that once held houses. The main street is populated by empty buildings waiting for new tenants. The roads had pot holes and for the most part weren't in great repair. Even the old school looked forlorn. Someone had taken over the building and was using it for storage - but it had the feel of being abandoned. To be honest, I was kind of disappointed. I don't know what I was expecting to find in Canova but, whatever it was, it definitely wasn't there.

On the rest of the drive home, I began to think about some of the things that I couldn't see - that I couldn't experience just driving through Canova on a one shot basis. Things that were very much a part of what Canova had been. For example, I remembered a picture that I had seen of all the classes gathered for the annual school picture at the Canova School back during the 1930's. There were a lot of kids and they all had smiles on their faces. It was obvious that they were having a great time going to school in their hometown. I remembered another picture of a young man, escorting his date into the newly finished baseball park. This picture was taken some time around the turn of the twentieth century. It was obvious that this young guy was looking forward to showing his girl a fun time on their special night out. There was the picture that I saw of a passenger train stopped at the old depot in Canova. People were actually getting off the train - coming to visit this tiny Miner County town.

It occurred to me, that this was the real Canova. The vacant lots, the pot holes in the road, the empty buildings on main street were just reminders of better times. I was also challenged not to be so quick to judge things on the surface. Things may appear one way - but are often far different when you start scraping under the rocks and bricks. I wondered at how quickly I can judge the quality of something at first glance. How often I look at someone and just look through them. How often I judge the merit of something by my first impression of it. I was reminded to slow down and really see the history and the story behind the people and places around me.

You know, as Christians we are called to recognize that every single human being on the face of this earth has a "story." They are a collection of qualities and experiences that help define who they are. They have suffered, they have rejoiced, they have toiled, they have recreated, they have gotten angry and they have calmed down again - so many different things over the course of their lives. Part of our job is to do exactly what Christ did - to interact with them and to get to know their stories. It is easy to see things one way if we just take a quick look and move on. It's quite another thing to reflect on what makes a person, a parish, a town, an event what they truly are - and then to understand the meaning behind the scenes. But, that is exactly what our faith calls us to do - to look deeper. To take into account what another person has seen and experienced. To reach out to understand what faith means to those around us.

I would like to take this opportunity to recommend that all of us occasionally take a jaunt through the "Canova's" in our lives. To take the time to observe and reflect and experience the deeper meaning around us. To encounter the people in our lives and to feel the deeper sense of who they are and what they are about. And, in all things, to understand them and love them as Jesus Christ would have us do.

Have a great week.

Parish Picnic SAVE THE DATE OLD FASHIONED PARISH PICNIC Sunday September 16 from Noon to 3:00PM There will be food, games, and entertainment Watch the bulletin for more information

ADULT ED All are welcome to join us in Paul's Letter to the Ephesians Chapter 2 on Monday July 16 at 6:30PM or Wednesday July 18 at 9:30AM. There will be NO Adult Ed the week of July 23rd and July 30th.

From conception to natural death! What area of LIFE does Respect LIFE minister to.....Please check out the diocesan website and the national website for Respect LIFE. www.sfcatholic.org/respectlife/ and www.RespectLIFE.us

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS The Knights of Columbus is the Largest Catholic Fraternal Organization in the World. Founded by Fr. Michael J. McGivney in 1882 to assist our parish Priest's and community. Our Meetings are the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 7 pm. For more information call 605-201-5531.

A NEW LOOK FOR OUR BULLETIN Be the First to Advertise Your Business in our NEW Bulletin

Starting in September, St. Therese will be moving to a new bulletin format. We will be using the printing and ad services of Liturgical Publications, Inc. (LPi). You may have seen LPi's products before as they print the bulletins for the Cathedral of St. Joseph, Christ the King, St. Nicholas, and other area churches. They also provide us with WeShare, our electronic giving program.

In the upcoming weeks, a sales representative from LPi will be working on setting up the advertising in our new bulletin. Please consider advertising. Your ads make this possible at no cost to the parish. Advertisements can be purchased for businesses or families. Sponsor ads can be purchased to support community service or parish organizations. We appreciate your participation.

If you are interested, or want more information, please contact our LPi Sales Representative, John Kirchner, at 1-952-210-3135. You may also reach him at the parish office during the week of July 30th—August 3rd. He will be more than happy to help you get started.

Thank you for your past and continued support of St. Therese Parish. It is very much appreciated.

July 1st was the start of a new fiscal year. The weekly offering report will return in August.

Last call for any CFSA donations!

Thank you for supporting St. Therese Parish!



Sioux Falls Catholic Schools - Open Positions Food Service positions for O'Gorman High School, O'Gorman Jr. High School, Christ the King, St. Mary, and St. Katharine Drexel; Library Coordinator: (25 hours per week); PT Educational Assistants: (8:00-3:00 p.m.) for St. Mary and (7:30-11:30 a.m.) for St. Katharine Drexel; FT Educational Assistant: (7:45-3:15 p.m.) for St. Michael School; After School Teacher Assistant positions for Christ the King, St. Mary, Holy Spirit, St. Michael and St. Katharine Drexel. Go to website: www.sfcss.org for more details of each position or if interested in applying. Great Employment opportunities!

SANFORD HOSPITAL EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEEDED Would you consider ministering Holy Communion to the sick at Sanford Hospital? You will receive training from Fr. Jim Zimmer, and the Sanford Volunteer staff. Call, text, or email Fr. Zimmer for more information. 605-360-0788; jmszimmer@gmail.com

HOLY SMOKE CAR SHOW Benefiting Seminarian Education Saturday July 21 from 10:30AM to 9:00PM at O'Gorman High School Holy Smoke Car Show, Cathedral Cruise for Christ, Pig Roast Dinner, Fun Zone for Kids, Mass, Plus More ... To see the full schedule, go to www.holysmokecarshow.org

St. Lambert Rummage, Book and Bake Sale When: July 20, 21 and 22. Where: St. Lambert Catholic Church, 16th and Bahnson Ave. What: Selling clothing, books, kitchen & bath items, holiday decor, furniture, children's toys, man cave and more! Lunch will be served on Friday and Saturday.

Rachel's Vineyard One Day Retreat -July 28, 2018- Strictly Confidential. A safe, loving, non-judgmental environment. Open to men, women, mothers, fathers, grandparents who have been affected by abortion. Non-denominational. Sponsored by Catholic Family Services. For registration materials & more information, call 605-988-3775 or 1-800-700-7867 or email cfs@sfcatholic.org.

GRIEVING THE LOSS OF A SPOUSE Six Tuesday evenings from 6:30pm - 8:30 pm. July 31-September 4, 2018 at Catholic Family Services, 523 N Duluth, Sioux Falls. Directed by Dr. Marcie Moran. This program is for adults who have lost a spouse and are trying to cope with the pain of separation and loss. Role change and loneliness are secondary losses which can complicate the grieving process. The program will offer assistance in coping with this change and making healthy readjustments. Non-denominational- Cost -Donation. Call 988-3775 or 1-800-700-7867 to register.

Want to learn or know more about Natural Family Planning? Are there advantages of using natural methods? What are the Church's teachings regarding family planning? Check out the Couple to Couple League website to find information and/or register for Online or Self-Paced classes: clii.org

A class series will also be held at Christ the King Community Room beginning Tuesday, Aug. 7, at 6:30 pm, which is also posted on the clii.org website.

Marriage Encounter Make your good marriage GREAT! The summer is busy with family and friends, so plan to end your summer with a Marriage Encounter weekend where you can slow down and re-energize your marriage! Take a risk and ask your spouse to put your lives on hold to have a meaningful and memorable experience together. A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is being held September 7-9th at beautiful Abbey of the Hills in Marvin, SD. Go to www.wvme.org or call John and Dawn at 605-362-0924 to register.