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MASS SCHEDULE

Sat. Vigil 5:00pm Sun. 7:30, 9:30, &11:30am

DAILY MASS

Mon. 5:30pm, Tues. 7:30am Wed. 12:10pm & 5:30pm Thur. & Fri. 7:30am & 5:30pm Sat. 8:15am

CONFESSIONS

Mon. 5:00pm, Tues. 7:00am,

Wed. 5:00pm

Thur. & Fri. 7:00am & 5:00pm Sat. 7:30-8:00am & 3:30-4:30pm

BAPTISM

Must attend 1 class - first Thursday of the month, 7:00pm in the school library. Call office for info and to register for class.

MARRIAGE

Date must be set 6 months prior to marriage to allow time for classes & formation. Call priests at the office.



Sacred Heart Catholic Church

502 2nd Ave SE - Aberdeen, SD Phone: 605-225-7065 Fax: 605-226-5992 www.sacredheartaberdeen.net Parish Office Hours:

Mon-Thurs: 8:30-4:30 - Friday 8:30-12:30





A Life-Changing Study for the Whole Parish!

Prayer is one of the most basic elements of a life of faith, but it isn't always easy to do. Though we're taught that prayer is a "conversation," we often feel as if the conversation is completely one-sided. In this first session, Dr. Gray shows how the solution to the problem of prayer can be found in the Scriptures.

This week, login to formed.org and watch Into the Desert, Episode 1.

First Sunday of Lent

The devil said to him, "All this will be yours, if you worship me." Jesus said to him in reply, "It is written:

> You shall worship the Lord, your God, and him alone shall you serve."

> > Lk 4:6a, 7-8



STATIONS OF THE CROSS FRIDAYS: MARCH 8TH -APRIL 12TH AT 7PM

Liturgy Schedules are ready to be picked up in the front entrance of the church.

March 10, 2019

From the Parochial Vicar



Our parish is offering a formation series on prayer this Lent that will help and encourage us to pray with Scripture. It will be excellent, and I encourage everyone to come. But if you cannot come to the parish series on lectio divina, here is another option for incorporating Scripture into your prayer life: learn to pray like a monk. For centuries, monks and nuns have gathered together several times each day to pray in community. The heart of their communal prayer is the Psalms, which might be called the Bible's prayer book.

The daily prayer of monks and nuns is called The Liturgy of the Hours, or the Divine Office. But it's not restricted to monks and nuns. Priests and deacons pray the main hours each day, as do many lay people. The staff at Sacred Heart gathers every morning to pray Morning Prayer. And although it is wonderful to pray together, many people also pray the Liturgy of the Hours in private. And you can, too. The book containing the Scripture passages and prayers for the Liturgy of the Hours is commonly called a breviary. Using a breviary can require some page flipping and marking, and a knowledge of the liturgical calendar. But thanks to the marvels of technology, you can begin praying the Divine Office without buying a breviary and without learning how to navigate a complicated liturgical book. All you need is our Sacred Heart parish app.

If you install the MyParish app on your phone or tablet and choose Sacred Heart as your home parish, you will find a button labeled Divine Office. It will give you the Divine Office texts for each day (the app loads several days at a time, so you might have to scroll a little to find the right day). Many people find it intimidating to simply begin reading the Divine Office by themselves. It was designed to be prayed with others, and most people learn this form of prayer as part of a community. But not to worry — the parish app also includes audio recordings of people praying the Divine Office together, so you can open up the day's texts, hit play, and pray along. Every community prays a little differently, but the recording gives you an idea how it works. And praying alongside other voices, even if they're recorded, reminds us that the Divine Office connects us to other people throughout the world.

The best way to dive into the Divine Office is to start praying either Morning Prayer or Evening Prayer consistently. Morning and Evening Prayer — also called Lauds and Vespers — are the two pivotal times of prayer in the Divine Office. Morning Prayer should be prayed around breakfast time, and Evening Prayer around dinner time. Once you're used to praying one, add the other. You'll be spending time with Scripture each day, and you'll be joining other people throughout the world lifting up prayers to God. Fr Patrick Grode

Fast and Abstinence

We abstain from meat every Friday of Lent, Ash Wednesday, and Good Friday. This is for everyone 14 years and older. Every person age 18 to 60 must fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Fasting includes not eating between meals, eating one full meal, and two smaller meals. This would not apply if you have health issues. Let common sense guide you.

NOTE - CFSA 2019 recap of commitment weekend: Thank you for your generosity! We appreciate those who have responded to Catholic Family Sharing Appeal. Last weekend we reached 28% of our goal of \$118,500. 118 of our families have responded out of 1350

families. Congratulations! Our goal is 100% participation. Please fill out your pledge card and return it as soon as possible. We would like to be done with this appeal by the end of Lent. If for some reason you did not receive a Pledge card please call or stop into the office. Remember, the amount over our goal will stay with our parish and will be used to fund our stain-glass window project. With 100% participation we could pay off several of our windows! Thank you and thank the diocese for all they do for us. Fr. Mark

Fr. Mark will be broadcasting live on Real Presence Radio! Tune into FM 88.9 on <u>Thur. March 14th from 9-11am</u> to hear him or anytime for EWTN programing.



Enclosed is my gift of \$

MARCH PINOCHLE!

to be used for the

The next pinochle tourney will be Friday March 15th in the Sacred Heart Parish Hall starting at 7:00pm. If you have questions, please call Kathy Lovass 725-6252.

EASTER FLOWER DEDICATIONS

We invite those who wish to make donations in honor of loved ones during the Easter season to please do so. Dedications may name one person, a couple, or family group. All names will be printed in the church bulletin. Honorees may be living or deceased. Please use this form to send your gift to the parish office or put in the regular collection.

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Weekly Budget:	19,650.00	
Collection Total :	20,527.51	
Adults:	19,561.93	
<u>Loose</u> :	965.58	
Over:	+877.51	

ALL-PARISH Faith Formation

Lenten Wisdom

Lenten practices of giving up pleasures are good reminders that the purpose of life is not pleasure. The purpose of life is to attain to perfect life, all truth and undying ecstatic love - which is the definition of God. In pursuing that goal we find happiness

- Venerable Fulton Sheen

DIOCESAN YOUTH RALLY: Sunday, March 24th in the Aberdeen Civic Arena for youth grades 6-12! Speaker Emily Wilson, adoration, and fun/games will fill out the afternoon with a pizza dinner in the Sacred Heart social hall following the rally. Tickets can be purchased (\$10) in the parish office or by contacting Thomas.

Youth Rally Volunteers: We are looking for many volunteers to make the youth rally a success! Sign-up online at https://goo.gl/forms/1YPv5d3XPJ6otrZg2 or by contacting Thomas in the office, thank you!

Into the Desert Parish Lenten Study: Join us this lent on a 6-week study of the ancient practice of Lectio Divina, or praying with the scriptures. 3 sessions offered throughout the week at different times to help accommodate your schedule, or do the study on your own time using FORMED.org. See posters or website for details.

- Sundays at 2pm in the social hall (3/10 4/14)
- Mondays at 7am at Roncalli High School (All parishioners welcome 3/11 - 4/15)
- Wednesdays at 7pm in the Elementary school library (attached to Sacred Heart 3/13 4/17)

Women's Lenten Retreat: Join us for "Thirsting for God: a 'Just Enough' Woman's Lenten Retreat in the parish hall on Monday, March 18th from 5:30pm - 8pm. Mass, meal, conversation, guided prayer, and opportunity for reconciliation included. RSVP to mheller@nvc.net or call 605-380-6612.

Words of Wisdom Book Retreat: Read Peter Kreeft's *The Journey* and join Dr. Chris Burgwald for a day of

discussion and prayer at Broom Tree, Saturday March 30th. Register at sfcatholic.org/ wow.

Parish App Feature-of-the-Week



- · Helpful Confession guide
- See available times
- Set useful reminders for your next Confession

Confession

Learn more or download our parish app at **myparishapp.com**

*Available on Apple and Android Phones

Readings for the week of March 10, 2019

Sunday: Dt 26:4-10/Ps 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15 [cf. 15b]/ Rom 10:8-13/Lk 4:1-13

Monday: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Ps 19:8-10, 15 /Mt 25:31-46 Tuesday: Is 55:10-11/Ps 34:4-7, 16-17, 18-19 [18b]/Mt 6:7-15 Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19 [19b]/Lk 11:29-32

Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8 /Mt 7:7-12 Friday: Ez 18:21-28/Ps 130:1-8 [3]/Mt 5:20-26 Saturday: Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8 [1b]/Mt 5:43-48 Next Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Ps 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14[1a]/ Phil 3:17—4:1 or 3:20—4:1/Lk 9:28b-36



ACSS School News

RONCALLI WEEKLY CALENDAR

Week of Mar. 11-Mar.16, 2019

Mon. Mar. 11 - Tues. Mar. 12 -

Wed. Mar. 13 - End of 3rd Quarter RHS Mass - 9:29 am RE Mass - 12:10 pm - Sac

RE Mass - 12:10 pm - Sacred Heart ACSS School Board Mtg. - 3:30 pm

Thur. Mar. 14 - NO SCHOOL - Spring Break

Girls and Boys Basketball State Tournament

Fri. Mar. 15 - NO SCHOOL - Spring Break

Girls and Boys Basketball State Tournament

Sat. Mar 16 - Girls and Boys Basketball State Tournament

For the most up-to-date athletic schedule changes, log on to northeastsdconference.org.

Complete school calendar can be found at aberdeenroncalli.org.

RONCALLI NEARLY NEW

This week at Roncalli Nearly New we are having our semiannual sale. Clothes, shoes, purses, & linens will be 1/2 price. We are open Tues, Wed, Thurs, & Sat from 12-4pm. We appreciate your business and donations!

Aberdeen Roncalli Catholic School System invites applications for the following positions: AG Instructor, 7-12 Math Teacher, Elementary Teacher. We offer qualified applicants competitive salaries, benefits and the opportunity to work in a faith-filled environment. All positions open until April 1. To apply submit letter of interest, application, resume, transcripts, credentials and a copy of current teacher's certificate. Send application to 1400 N. Dakota St., Aberdeen, SD 57401 or email tim.weisz@aberdeenroncalli.org. Job description and applications may be accessed at aberdeenroncalli.org.

2019-2020 ACSS Financial Aid

Financial Aid Applications are now being taken by the Aberdeen Catholic Schools for the 2019-2020 school year. All forms must be completed and submitted BY MARCH 15, 2019. Applicants must complete the required forms which can be found at <u>aberdeenroncalli.org</u> under Admissions - Financial Aid tab.

Please contact Vickie Haiar at 226-2100 or <u>Vickie.haiar@aberdeenroncalli.org</u> if you have any questions or need further information.

Roncalli Music in Our School Concert/Supper Fundraiser March 25 - 5pm - Freewill donation

Roncalli Preschool & Kindergarten Registration...

has begun for the 2019-2020 school year! Please fill out a registration form, which can be found at <u>aberdeenroncal-li.org</u> (click on Admissions, then Admissions/Tuition Forms) and return it to the Primary School with your Admission Fee. Kindergarten Information night is Mon., Feb. 25 or Tue., March 5 at Roncalli Primary School at 6pm. Childcare is available. Children are invited to Kindergarten Preview Day to come and see what Roncalli is all about on Tue., March 19 from 8:30 am - 10:00 am or from 12:30 pm - 2:00 pm.

MISC. PARISH HAPPENINGS

Aberdeen Right to Life Meetings 7:00pm 1st Thur. of the month, Brown County Courthouse basement

Family Rosary - March 12th at Sacred Heart at 7:00pm Serra Club 9:00am following the 8:15am Mass 1st & 3rd Saturdays of the month, Sacred Heart Parish Hall

Knights of Columbus Good news! You can now join the

KCs online in a couple of minutes! Check it out at KofC.org/Joinus and join the worlds largest lay-Catholic

organization. Contact Henry Artz at 380-9252 for more information.

Catholic Daughters of the Americas For information contact Nancy Vander Hoek at 377-3218

Anointing of the Sick After Mass 1st Sat. of the month Cemetery Hours Sun-up to sun-down

Young Catholic Adults 7-8pm on the 2nd Tuesday of the month in the church

Prayer Shawl - 2nd Saturday each month, 10am-12pm Women's Group - Meets 6:30am on Saturdays, parish hall Altar Society St. Mary & Martha Band 6-8 will meet every third Monday of the month at 6:15 in the Parish Hall.

SUPPORT & HELP

Project Rachel is for women & men who suffer from the pain of previous abortions. Call 1-800-700-7867.

Natural Family Planning Classes: Learn more about a way of responsible parenthood that is supported by the Catholic Church. Call 226-2232 or 225-7065.

Annulments: A possible 2nd chance for marriage in the Catholic Church. Call 225-7065.

Catholic Family Services: Call 226-1304

Grief Support - will meet 4th Thursday of each month in

the Bridal Room from 6:30-8pm

BIBLE STUDY

Lenten program lead by Deacon Kelly: a study of Champion Of The Rosary. Begins Tuesday, March 12th following the 7:30am Mass in the Parish Hall (six sessions).

Catholic Daughters of the Americas

Catholic Daughter meeting on Thursday, March 14 at Davis Court, 321 9th Ave. NE, beginning at 6:30 PM. Fr. Mark Axtmann will speak on the Parable of the Good Samaritan. Questions call Nancy Vander Hoek at 377-3218. Please consider becoming a Catholic Daughter; we need your help. This is an opportunity for you to grow in spirituality and to get to know other Catholic women from both parishes in a more personal way.

RONCALLI LEGACY BALL March 30th 5pm—RSVP by March 22nd 226-2100

Schedule of Masses week of Mar. 11th

Mon. 5:30pm † Mary Sieh de Hueck

Tue. 7:30am † Pam White

Wed.12:10pm † Pam White

Wed. 5:30pm Int. Parish Staff

Thur. 7:30am Int. Cheri Rohl

Thur. 5:30pm[†] Jessica Cameron

Fri. 7:30am † John Thomas

Fri. 5:30pm † Bernardette Carroll

Sat. 8:15am † Esther Grant

Second Sunday of Lent Mar. 17th

Sat. 5:00pm † Len Sebert

Sun. 7:30am Int. Sacred Heart Parish

Sun. 9:30am † John Thomas

Sun.11:30am Int. Faith Formation

MAR. 16TH AND 17TH

READERS

Sat. 5:00pm Angie Walth Sun. 7:30am Nancy Desautels Sun. 9:30am Chris Mueller Sun. 11:30am Randy Holsing

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Sat. 5:00pm Jan Glau, Todd Mielke, Kathy Lovas, Amanda Mohr, Deb Ruder, Joseph Goetz

Sun. 7:30am Bob Sayler, Ann Stein

Jeff & Karen Swank, Vickie Dewalt

Cindy Michell

Sun. 9:30am Elissa Allen, Ed Brown, Bradley & Jessica Cihak

Susie Eckrich, Ike Kvasnicka

Sun. 11:30am Angie Walth, Kathy Mitzel Bonny Merxbauer, Bob Graham

Katy Grote, Jerry Menzia

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat. 5:00pm Bella & Matthew Martinez, Havden Scott

Sun. 7:30am Kaleb Norton, Connor Hansen, Matthew Peterson

Sun. 9:30am Braden Kucker, Andrew Lewno. Cole Mitzel

Sun. 11:30am Ceylie & Courtnie Gergen, Samuel Gouldning

USHERS

Sat. 5:00pm Eduardo Martinez, Steve Redler, Bryan Schmidt, Toby Wolf

Sun. 7:30am Rod Artz, Dale Church, Scott Cunningham, Jon Hansen

Sun. 9:30am Dennis Lewno, Gary Gauer Tom Werlinger, Clarence Fieldheim

Sun. 11:30am Dustin Wirt, Jeff Schooler LeRoy McComsey, Kap Scherr

GREETERS

Sat. 5:00pm Linda Kezar, Kathy Lovas Lila Topalian Todd & Diane Mielke

Sun. 7:30am Andy & Mary Raile, Craig Clinton Ralph & Mary Peterson

Sun. 9:30am Jan Frink, Deb Kambel, Ike & Cheryl Kvasnicka

Sun. 11:30am Dale & Vickie Haiar, Elizabeth Haller, Mike & Mary McHugh

GIFT BEARERS

Sat. 5:00pm Blake Heinz

Sun. 7:30am Adolph & Ellen Renner

Sun. 9:30am Joe & Niki Zikmund

Sun. 11:30am Lenny & Julie Willett

ROSARY LEADERS

Sat. 5:00pm Kathy Wolf

Sun. 7:30am Susan King

Sun. 9:30am Cherie Shishnia

Sun. 11:30am Jeff Harms