

**World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life** will be celebrated in the church on Thursday, February 2, 2023 and in parishes on the weekend of February 4 – 5. Please pray for all those who have made commitments in the consecrated life, and be sure to thank them on their special day. May they continue to be inspired by Jesus Christ and respond generously to God's gift of their vocation. In 1997, Saint John Paul II instituted a day of prayer for women and men in consecrated life. This celebration is attached to the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord and Candlemas Day, the day on which candles are blessed, and so reminds the church that those in consecrated life are called to reflect the light of Jesus Christ to all people. The myriad of ways in which they live out this call is indeed a great gift and blessing to the church.



Baptized in Christ Jesus...  
Dayne Fanger, son of  
Jake and Shantel, with godparents  
Justin Berheim and Hailey Bothwell

**“Take; this is  
my body”**

—Mark 14:22

The presence of  
Christ in the  
Eucharist is real, true,  
and substantial.

“Jesus awaits us  
in this sacrament  
of love.” (St. John  
Paul II, *Dominicae  
cenae*, no. 3)



Eucharist “makes  
present the one  
sacrifice of Christ the  
Savior.” (CCC, no. 1330)

“It is called: Eucharist,  
because it is an action of  
thanksgiving to God.”  
(CCC, no. 1328)



**Why do Catholic's do that??**

**Take Communion?**

Holy Communion is the receiving of  
Jesus Christ in the sacrament of the  
Holy Eucharist. It is “the source and  
summit of the Christian life.” 136”

CCC 1322-1327  
**C**atechism of the **C**atholic **C**hurch

**Ft. Pierre St. John Draper St. Anthony**  
**22 January 2023 Ordinary time, 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday**

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Sat 1/21	5:30pm	Priest's intention
Sun 1/22	8:00am 10:00am	<b>Draper</b> For parishioners <b>Ft Pierre</b> Priest's intention

No weekday masses this week. Fr. Ron gone Jan 16-27.  
Welcome Msgr. Michael Woster here this weekend.  
Call Josie if funerals arise.

**Wed Jan 18<sup>th</sup>**, HS 6:30-7:45pm meet in Padre Hall  
**Sun Jan 22<sup>nd</sup>** K-8<sup>th</sup> 8:30-9:45am in Padre Hall  
**Wed Jan 25<sup>th</sup>**, HS 6:30-7:45pm meet in Padre Hall  
**Sun Jan 29<sup>nd</sup>** K-8<sup>th</sup> 8:30-9:45am in Padre Hall



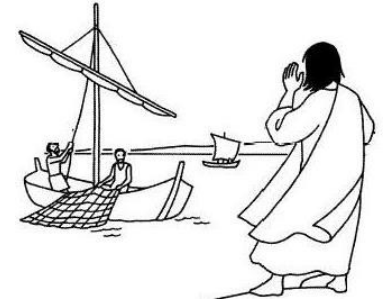
**Teachers' Meeting** Tuesday, January 31<sup>st</sup> at 6:30pm  
in Padre Hall. We will be discussing what is working and what we need  
to improve upon. Expectations for the rest of the year. See you then!

**Young Adult Bible Study** Tuesday this week, 7-8pm in Saint John's Church basement. Our series is The  
Story of Salvation. For more info, call Brian Pontious 609-556-5977

**Women's Bible Study** January 22nd at 7 pm begins their next bible study through Formed and Lectio:  
Eucharist by Brandt Pitre. There are a few books left, contact Jeri Fosheim if you're interested in a book.  
605-280-4328. This is a video series so you are also more than welcome to join us for the video and  
discussion. Just come as you are, we'd love you to join us.

**MARANATHA (Come, LORD) Prayer group** meets the 1st and 3rd Thursday nights of the month in  
the basement of St. John's Church at 6:30pm. It is a time of praying with and over people, sharing, teaching  
and fellowship. ALL are welcome. Questions: Karen 605-280-3975 or Patty 605-295-1392

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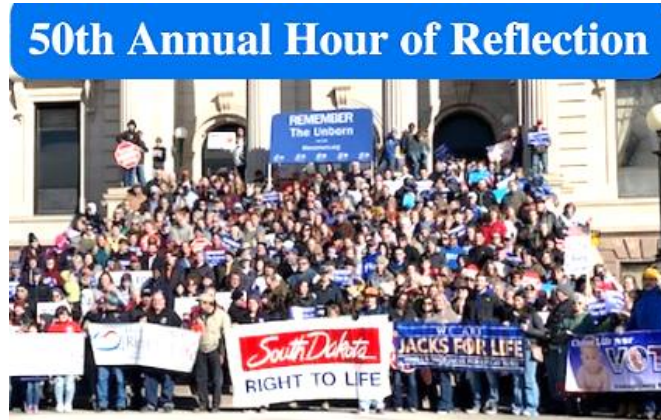


As he was walking by the Sea of Galilee, Jesus saw two brothers, Simon who is called Peter, and his brother Andrew, casting a net into the sea; they were fishermen. He said to them, “Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men.” At once they left their nets and followed him.



**Knights of Columbus Free Throw Contest** Sunday 29 Jan, 1pm in Parkview gym. Ages 9-14. Winners receive a basketball. Contact Rob Coverdale 280-0372 or John Duffy 280-2559

Knights of Columbus **NFL** scorebook winners. Next games: AFC/NFC Championships - Jan 29<sup>th</sup>



**Hour of Reflection for Life** Sunday 29 January. Walk starts from Capitol north steps at noon; talks in Rotunda at 2pm. Keynote Speaker is Carol Tobias, from National Right to Life office

**Discover Your Vocation** God created you for a mission. Whether you're supposed to become a priest, enter religious life, or get married—you have a specific part to play for the glory of God and the salvation of souls. With God's grace, you can get there, and we

can help. We can help! Our job in the Vocation Office is to help you find your God-given vocation. We've worked with many people to navigate the confusion and doubt that often accompanies discernment. [gods-call.com](http://gods-call.com)

**The Eucharistic Revival** in our nation focuses us on the gift of Jesus in each Mass celebrated, and in enduring presence in the Blessed Sacrament. We invite you to read the stories of men and women, just like you, who have found in the Eucharist the strength and purpose in their lives. [iamhere.org](http://iamhere.org)

**In St. John's parish, we need a team of people to discern and guide our ministry. Call Fr. Ron**

**Liturgical Ministers**

1/21 Sat: 5:30pm	Lector: Lori Roberts EM: Irma LaFaive	Servers: Need
1/22 Sun: 10:00am	Lector: Lindsay Heiss EM: Jean Peterson	Servers: Tenley and Corbin Heiss
1/28 Sat: 5:30pm	Lector: Wade Pogany EM: Mary Giddings	Servers: Need
1/29 Sun: 10:00am	Lector: Julie Hand EM: Need	Servers: Sebastian Hand – Need one other

Saturday, Jan. 28, 2023 the **“Truth and Racial Healing Conference”** will cover historical and theological perspectives on indigenous communities and Catholicism. It will be held at Terra Sancta Retreat Center, Rapid City, beginning at 9 a.m., closing with Mass at 4 p.m. This is sponsored by the Red Cloud School, “Truth and Healing Project,” the diocesan Office of Native Ministry, and the diocesan Social Justice Commission. To register visit [rapidcitydiocese.org/sjc](http://rapidcitydiocese.org/sjc)

Friday, February 10, 2023 deadline to RSVP for **Marriage Matters Weekend Retreat** for married couples. Weekend to be held at Terra Sancta Retreat Center, Rapid City, Saturday-Sunday, Feb. 18-19. Optional early Friday check in. Go to [terrasancta.org/event/marriage-matters-7/](http://terrasancta.org/event/marriage-matters-7/) or phone 605-716-0925



**Set the World on Fire: A Retreat for Women** Saturday 11 Feb at Terra Sancta Retreat Center 9:30am-3:30p.m. Learn from Megan Bickel, Christa Biegler, Kristen Gill and Becky Maciejewski (from the Timber Lake & Firesteel area) ...moved by the Holy Spirit after reading the book “Set the World on Fire” by Vinita Hampton Wright. Register on-line [terrasancta.org/onfire2023](http://terrasancta.org/onfire2023). There is no cost to attend; a suggested donation of \$25 helps support this ministry.

**Married Sweethearts.** Saturday, Feb. 18, Family Life Ministries is sponsoring Holy Hour, Mass and a Dinner/Dance for married couples. To be held at Terra Sancta Retreat Center, Rapid City. Holy Hour 4:30 p.m., Mass 5:30 p.m., 6:30 p.m. Dinner/Dance. Price \$70 per couple. Dinner to go available. Register at [rapidcitydiocese.org/MS2023](http://rapidcitydiocese.org/MS2023)

**LIFE in the SPIRIT Retreat** Feb 24-26<sup>th</sup> at the Sioux Spiritual Retreat Center, Howes, SD. The retreat begins on Friday at 6pm MT and ends at 1pm on Sunday after Mass. Cost is \$100 and includes lodging and all meals. Call Carole 605-985-5906 or Patty 605-295-1392 with questions. Register: [siouxspiritualcenter.org](http://siouxspiritualcenter.org)

**Healing Retreat: An Encounter with Jesus' Healing Power Today.** Feb 24-25, 2023. We invite you to save these dates and plan to join Bishop Peter Muhich and Dr. Clare Ten Eyck as they lead us to a deeper understanding and an experience of Jesus' healing ministry in the church today. Dr. Ten Eyck is a much sought-after speaker with over 35 years of counseling experience from a Catholic perspective. Dr. Ten Eyck is a mother of nine children and a secular Carmelite. She has given numerous retreats on spiritual growth, prayer, spiritual direction, and inner healing for priests, religious and laity. Our hope is to provide you with an opportunity to encounter Jesus; his love for you and his power to heal, and to leave better equipped to share his love and healing with others. [rapidcitydiocese.org/revival.spring](http://rapidcitydiocese.org/revival.spring)

March 5-7, Sunday-Tuesday: Registration for this year's **Pastoral Ministry Days** has begun! We invite you to enter into the heart of the Eucharistic Revival with our shepherd, Bishop Peter Muhich, and one of our national Eucharistic Preachers, Fr. Luke Spannagel, from the Diocese of Peoria. These will be days of Eucharistic formation, prayer, and communion of hearts as a diocese, preparing us to live more fully the second year of the Revival, the parish year, which will begin this summer. Early bird discounts end February 6, so register today! [rapidcitydiocese.org/pmd23/](http://rapidcitydiocese.org/pmd23/)