



St. John the Evangelist Church
28 Feb 2021 2nd Sunday of Lent

stjohnsfortpierre.org website has parish bulletins, and audio: 'click to listen to daily reflections from Fr. Ron'

Sacrament of Reconciliation Sat. 4pm or by calling 223 2176 for Fr. Ron Garry. Office email: main.stjohns@midconetwork.com 206 W. Main Ave, Ft. Pierre SD 57532
Eucharistic Adoration Sunday 1pm

Mass schedule all Central Time

Saturday 5:30pm Sunday 7:30am, 10:00am
Monday and Tuesday – 5:30pm
Wed – 7am and 10:00am Thursday & Friday – 7am
Sat 2/27 +Ollie Redden
Sun 2/28 +Daniel Ramsey For parishioners
Mon 3/1 + Bud Whitney
Tue 3/2 welfare of Crystal Schwickrath
Wed 3/3 Kristi Magee
Thu 3/4 Reparation for clergy sexual abuse
Fri 3/5 +Jim Baloun

Stations of the Cross Fridays 5:30pm and each Wednesday at 6:15pm and confessions each Wed. 7-8pm in church

Last Sunday at the Rapid City Cathedral, **Brandon Johnson** continued his Rite of Christian Initiation steps, unto joining the Church with Confirmation and Eucharist at Easter time.

May the angels lead you into paradise...Pete Buchholz, whose funeral was Saturday 20 February in St John's

All Fridays of Lent and Good Friday (April 2) are days of abstinence (refraining from meat) for all Catholics from age 14 onwards. On Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, fast, as well as abstinence is also obligatory for those from the ages of 18 through 59. Abstinence means refraining from meat. Fast means one full meal a day, with two smaller meals and nothing between meals (liquids are permitted). No Catholic will lightly excuse himself or herself from this obligation. We should strive to make all days of Lent a time of prayer and penance.

- Students in grades 1-8, come to grade class on Sunday 7 March 9:00am - 9:45am.
- Students in grades 9-12, on 3 March, come to Padre Hall at 6:15pm for Stations of the Cross, and class until 7:30pm



Marty Rotella will be in Pierre March 23 – 29, at Sts Peter & Paul church, 6:30 pm each evening. A rosary for the unborn followed by music & teachings in Jesus' love.

Pastoral Ministry Days March 22 & 23, Monday & Tuesday.

Speakers Chris & Linda Padgett: **Family: Become Who You Are: The Christian Family's Share in the Ministry of Evangelization**

With digital connection of recorded sessions Monday and

5:30-8:30pm in Padre Hall Session 1: Feeding the Shepherds
2: Family Basics
3: What is Love

Bishop Muhich: My prayer for you as we begin this Lent is that you re-engage in the practice of your Catholic faith as never before. Open your heart to the Lord and ask him to renew your faith. **Make coming to church for the celebration of Sunday Mass a priority once again,** and if you cannot safely do so, please pray that will change for you soon. The celebration of the Sunday Eucharist is the source and summit of our Catholic life together. Nothing is more important for our spiritual health. **I invite you to deepen your hunger for the Eucharist during this Lenten Season and join me in praying that we can all soon be together for Sunday Mass**



Friday 19 March 5:30pm Stations 5:50pm Prayer with St. Joseph

St. Joseph, head of the Holy Family, spouse of the Virgin Mary and foster father of our Lord Jesus Christ, on this day during which the church celebrates you as patron of the Universal Church, we ask your intercession. Strengthen the will of these men to serve. Embolden their ability to die for both loved ones and enemies. Steel their ability to obey God in all things. Help them avoid selfishness, comfort, and love of ease for something far greater than they could have ever dreamt. Pray that they become more like your Son Who, having observed your ways, modeled for us all things well.

Lenten Study: The Search In Padre Hall Tue 2 March, 4:45pm
The Augustine Institute has seven 25-minute videos. For info, call Josie at 223-2176 or 280-9428

An online Lenten devotion from Augustine Press: **40 Days to Grace and Glory** with a focus on the daily Mass readings and commentary by Dr. Tim Gray. Sign up at formed.org/lent

St Joseph the Just Man of the Covenant Like Abraham the patriarch, Joseph the foster father of the Savior, heard the call of God, and obeyed the covenant. "To exercise justice, as St. Francis deSales rightly notes, a person needs to live in perfect accord with the Divine Will, and in the face of all sorts of events, whether advantageous or adverse, give God and others their due... It has taken the Church centuries to advance a theology of St. Joseph that shows his greatness and holiness... Our spiritual father teaches us that we should not act hastily or harshly when we encounter perplexing situations. We are to take everything to prayer, and wait on the Lord for guidance and light. If we are loving, faithful, reverent, and just, God will reveal everything to us and make us abundantly fruitful." (Fr. Don Calloway, Consecration to St. Joseph, p.141, 152)

Only 100 persons at Terra Sancta Retreat Center, 9am MT start

Tuesday: 5pm CT Mass in St John Church each day

Session 4: Mary and Joseph
5: Habits of Holiness
6: Where do we go from here?

Register online at terrasancta.org/events and click the box with 'bill my home parish'. Then call Josie 280-9428