

In Memory of:

Corinne & Leonard Polak
 Joseph & Mary Polak
 Owen & Anges Spencer
 Frank & Cora Kemme
 Sherry Polak
 Arlene Dittmer
 Jean Fritz
 Stanley Roseland
 George & Bessie Bartholomew
 Bill & Liz Bartholomew
 Tom Bartholomew
 Kit Curry
 Larry Huss
 Robert & Eleanor Unterbrunner
 Rex Unterbrunner
 Aniya Larson
 Merritt & Delores Larson
 Darrell Feistner
 Deceased Diocesan Priests
 Bill Hessling
 Shaun Davis
 Joseph, Irene, Joe Jr, Jim, & Tom Spielmann
 Janell, Andrew, & Lora Kramer
 Bennie & Sue Kramer
 Jim, Betty, & Angie Kramer
 Maria Mews

In Honor of:

Children & Grandchildren
 Grandma June
 Family & Friends
 Father Ron Garry & Diocesan Priests

By
 Bob, Sandy Spencer

**Poinsettias
 donated
 by these
 parishioners**



Ken Bartholomew

Wynn & Art Bergeson
 Pat Scott
 Bernard & Peggy Duffy
 Ann Mitchell
 Dave Mitchell
 Patrick Duffy

Mike, Maria Scott

John, Patti Duffy

Frank Larson

Carl & Leona Jacobsen
 Robert & Richard J. Jacobsen

Belle Jacobsen

Lynn Fravel

Bob/Eileen Kramer

Ben Stoesser
 BJ Stoesser
 Clifford Fravel
 Linda Vevig
 Carl & Florence Fischer
 Frank & Louise Fischer
 William & Marie VanCamp
 Gene & Regina Stoesser
 Richard (Dick) Huber
 Denny, Marie, Terry Dargen
 Marilyn & Jerry Wethor
 Tom Sluti
 Jeff, Teri, & Kolter Kramer

Bill Fischer

Bev Stoesser

Bob/Eileen Kramer

Clayton, Bev Stoesser
 Ken Bartholomew
 Mike Kenzy
 Frank Larson

Christy Kramer
 Chris Kaelin
 Baby Harris
 Father Ron Garry
 Ben, Andrea, Jaida,
 Conner Kramer

**Jesus, laid in a manger,
 feed us with the
 Bread of Life**



**thanks to
 decorators**

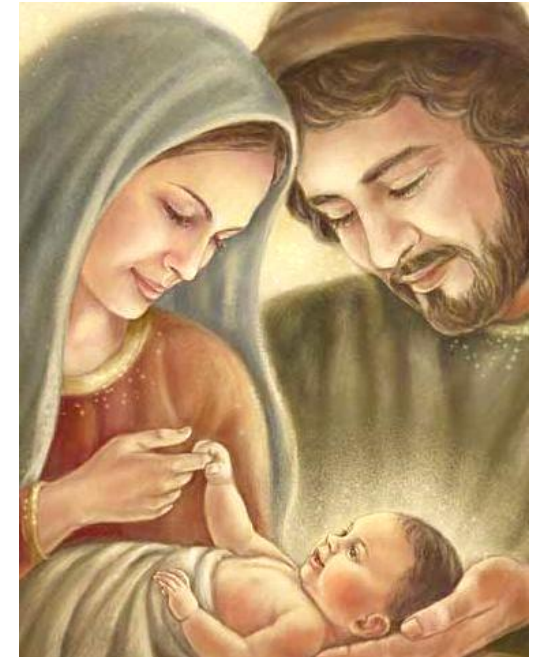


**Ft. Pierre St. John
 25 December 2022**

**Draper St. Anthony
 Christmas**

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Sat 12/24	4:00pm 7:00pm	For parishioners Shirley Gross welfare
Sun 12/25	9:00am	For parishioners <i>No adoration Sunday afternoon</i>
Mon 12/26	10:00am 5:30pm	Draper +Owen Peterson + Helen Stewart
Tue 12/27	5:30pm	Fr. Ron welfare
Wed 12/28	7:00am	Unterbrunner, Garassel Dinges Maddock Larson deceased
Thu 12/29	7:00am	Pro Life ministries
Fri 12/30	7:00am	Larson family welfare
Sat 12/31	5:30pm	+ Melody Hackett
Sun 1/1/23	8:00am 10:00am	Draper Ft. Pierre +Evelyn Straight



JESUS, Son of God and Son of Mary, bless our family. Graciously grant us sacrificial love, unity, and peace, to imitate you as you lived in Nazareth.
 MARY, Mother of Jesus and Our Mother, inspire our family with your faith and love. Keep us close to your Son, Jesus, in all our sorrows and joys.
 JOSEPH, Foster-father to Jesus, guardian and spouse of Mary, keep our family safe from harm. Help us in all times of discouragement or anxiety.
 HOLY FAMILY OF NAZARETH, make our family one with you. Help us to be instruments of peace. Grant that love, flowing from grace, may be mightier than all the weaknesses and trials through which our families pass. May we always be dedicated to our Heavenly Father, through all our days, until we are all one family, in our true home with you. Amen

Faith Formation No Classes Dec 21-Jan 2 Christmas Vacation
Sunday January 8th K-8th **Play Practice** 8:30-9:45am in Padre Hall

Birth of Baby Jesus Play at the start of the 10:00am Mass Sun January 8

*Teach your children to love the Lord Jesus and His church;
 our society in its pride will teach them not to.*



Tuesday 27 December, 5:30pm Mass, of St John the Evangelist

Bring leftover Christmas cookies to Padre Hall following Mass, for songs and friendship in Christ, and the Beloved Disciple, our parish patron

Young Adult Bible Study Tuesday 7-8pm in Saint John's Church basement. Our first series is The Story of Salvation. All ages are welcome. For more info, call Brian Pontious (609) 556-5977

12/24 Sat: 4:00pm	Lector: Wade Pogany	Liturgical Ministers
	EM: Need	Servers: Sebastian Hand & Isaac Stoesser
7:00pm	Lector: Need	EM: Need Servers: Need
12/25 Sun: 9:00am	Lector: Mike Weisgram	
	EM: Judy Weisgram	Servers: Need

Women's Bible Study Join us as you are, where you are on Sundays at 7pm in Padre Hall during Advent for fellowship and discussion. Join us as, we let the Holy Family be our discussion and leave connected with other women through our faith.

In Concert for Christmas postponed to Sunday 8 Jan. 2-4pm, at First United Methodist Church, 117 N. Central Ave, Pierre. Lori Hall, Solo Bells; Jeff Speaect, Vocal; Ron Smith, Organ/Piano Free will offering for Church of Hope Ministry in Women's Prison.

Knights of Columbus Free Throw Contest Sunday 29 Jan, 1pm in Parkview gym. Ages 9-14. Winners receive a basketball.

Knights of Columbus **NFL** scorebook winners. Thank you for supporting youth and other charities.
Thursday Night: Scott Diegel Sunday Night: Bill Schilling Monday Night: Darrell Plumage

New Year's resolution for 2023 – learn with Fr. Mike Schmitz podcast **Catechism of the Catholic Church.**

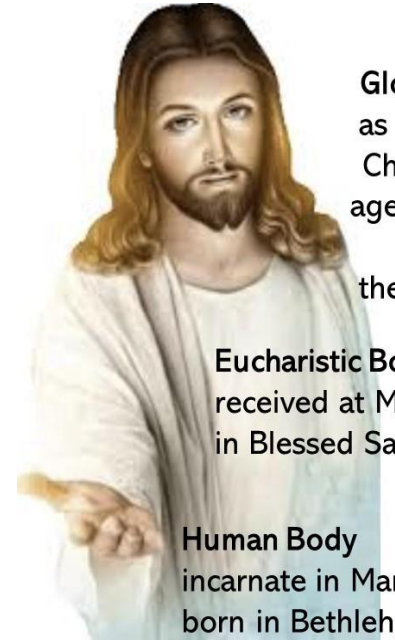
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- See how Church teaching is rooted in Sacred Scripture
- Absorb over 2,000 years of Sacred Tradition
- Encounter God's plan of sheer goodness
- Transform their relationship with the Church that Christ founded.

If you have ever wanted to **understand what it means to be Catholic** and allow those truths to shape your life—this podcast is for you.



The **Sioux Spiritual Center** is a small Catholic retreat center in our West River diocese, located south of Howes SD in the beautiful cedar breaks of the Cheyenne River. You may not have heard of it before, because for many years it was reserved almost exclusively for Native American Catholics. Recently the Diocese opened it up for all Catholics. It is a 15 bedroom log cabin house with two chapels and a large meeting room. It's available for personal or group retreats siouxspiritualcenter.org For a stable financial future, the Center is in a capital campaign for a trust fund. Currently SSC has an endowment of \$400,000 with an additional \$170,000 pledged toward the million-dollar goal. A dedicated fund has been set up at the Western South Dakota Catholic Foundation for this purpose. We are grateful for cash gifts, but also for in kind gifts for building hermitage cabins and other kinds of contributions. For info: Deacon Greg Sass at gsass@diorc.org, or Carole Brown at cbrown@diorc.org



Glorified Body
as head of the
Church in this
age, redeeming
us unto
the final union

Eucharistic Body
received at Mass, adored
in Blessed Sacrament

Human Body
incarnate in Mary's womb,
born in Bethlehem

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

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/ or phone 605-716-0925. For information call CSS at 605-348-6086

The Diocese of Rapid City Office of Vocations would like to invite all college students to consider an opportunity teaching Catholic faith next summer. **As a missionary on the Duc In Altum Team**, of four students, you will travel the Black Hills and prairies to visit parishes teaching grades 1-12. In 2023, the focus is on teaching Revelation, Salvation History, and Sorrowful Mysteries of the rosary, by playing games, skits, celebrating Mass & Reconciliation. If you would like more details and an application, visit gods-call.com under events. Contact Tanya: tcooper@diorc.org; 605-343-3541