

Catholic Tri-Parish Community

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The Sacred Heart of Jesus:

Last Friday we celebrated the feast of The Sacred Heart of Jesus, which reveals God opening His Divine Life of Love to us. St. Margaret Mary Alacoque was a pure and Holy soul, who saw many apparitions of Jesus, but she had the “Great Apparition” on June 16, 1675 when Jesus revealed His Heart surrounded by thorns and burning with fire. Jesus told her **“that the flames represented His love for humanity, and the thorns represented man’s sinfulness and ingratitude.”** ...Jesus told her... **“to request that the Feast of the Sacred Heart be celebrated on the Friday after the octave (or eighth day) of the Feast of Corpus Christi, in reparation for the ingratitude of men for the sacrifice that Christ had made for them.”** It is in Jesus that we see the depths of True Love.

Jesus is always knocking at the door of our hearts, “(20) Behold, I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, [then] I will enter his house and dine with him, and he with me. (21) I will give the victor the right to sit with me on my throne, as I myself first won the victory and sit with my Father on his throne.” (Rev 3:20-21) When we listen to what Jesus Says and do it, the door of our hearts is opened, and we let Jesus into our lives. This openness occurs only when we make a free will choice to accept God’s Ways and do it by using the intelligence that God has given to us. We become what we believe.

Infinite Love is indescribable in human words. Even the most articulate and eloquent words used to describe God’s Infinite Love pale to The Reality of what they attempt to describe. This is why God gives us images to remind us of His Divine Love. Love is experienced, but what do we love? There is True Love and there is apparent love that is seriously misguided. True Love can move us to heroic and noble acts of extraordinary self-giving love that we see in Jesus, Who laid down His Divine Life of Love for all who will repent and believe. But, not all will repent and believe as they love what is futile and seek what is false. This is apparent love. They love the things of this world because they love themselves and anything that benefits them in this life. This is why people lie, cheat, steal, kill, commit adultery, fornication, homosexuality. Motivations of apparent love(*self-love*) are pride, greed, jealousy, lust, anger, hate and rage. People like this generally do not oppose other people who do the evil that they do, but they accuse everyone else of doing the evil that they do. Jesus calls such people “a den of thieves”, because they make what is Holy, unholy by doing unholy things. God created all people to be Holy, but people choose to be unholy by doing evil things.

God created us to be His Image and Likeness. (Gn 1:27) Jesus came to set us free from the oppressive power of the devil’s evil desire that influences us. Jesus reveals The Truths of God The Father with perfect Love, and Jesus shows us The Truth of God’s Love in all His actions as He drives the devil out of people, heals physical diseases, walks on water, calms storms, raises the dead to new life. Jesus can show us True Love because Jesus is True Love. Jesus became a man, when humanity was still an enemy with God. “For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. (Jn 3:16) This is why Jesus tells us “be perfect as your Heavenly Father is perfect.” (Mt 5:48) This means to be Holy and not to do evil. Jesus tells us and shows us that we are NOT to respond with evil, even when evil is done to us: “(44) But I say to you, love your enemies, and pray for those who persecute you,” (Mt 5:44) Jesus does this from the Cross as He does NOT become angry at those who falsely accuse Him, abuse Him, condemn Him and do horrific violence to Him. Jesus forgives them and us. This is The New Way! A New Way to be human by responding with Love to the people of evil desire who attack us. Jesus is The Way and The Truth and The Life. (Jn 14:6) If we choose The Ways of Jesus, then we let Jesus into our hearts and find Jesus within us through The Grace and Power of The Holy Spirit; We gain self-control to repent of evil and do good

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12th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ June 21, 2020

Liturgy Schedule			Location	Mass Intention
Mon., June 22		No Liturgy		
Tues., June 23	7:30 AM	Mass	Flandreau	CDA Members
Wed., June 24	9:00 AM	Mass/Exposition/Adoration	Elkton	† George Gebhart
Thur., June 25	9:00 AM	Mass/Exposition/Adoration	Colman	† Tammy Welbig
Fri., June 26	9:00 AM	Mass/Exposition/Adoration	Flandreau	† Betty Hinricher
Sat., June 27	7:00 PM	Mass	Colman	All Parishioners
Sun., June 28	8:30 AM	Mass	Elkton	† Emmett Coughlin
	10:30 AM	Mass	Flandreau	† Vickie (Gassman) Barthold
<u>CONFESSIONS</u> - Elkton & Colman 1/2 hour prior to weekend Mass - Flandreau after weekend Mass				

MINISTERS OF SERVICE

COLMAN ~ SATURDAY, JUNE 27

Lect./Comm.: Alice Berg

ELKTON ~ SUNDAY, JUNE 28

Lect/Comm: Bill Fargen, Chris Myers

FLANDREAU ~ SUNDAY, JUNE 28

Lect./Comm: Tom Luze, Marty Parsley (C)

Sacristan: Marilyn Schwebach

Read our parish bulletins on-line:

www.parishesonline.com/find/sts-simon-and-jude-parish

MIRACLES AGAIN

Wait to hear My Will and then obey. At all costs obey. Do not fear. I am a wall of protection around you. See this. To see this with the eyes of faith is to cause it to manifest in the material.

Remember I long to work miracles, as when on Earth I wrought them, but the same condition holds good. I cannot do many mighty works because of unbelief.

So only in response to your belief can I do miracle-works now.

From "God Calling" by A.J. Russell

June 14th

Our
Weekly Offering



THANK YOU!!

Elkton: \$1318
Flandreau: \$2445
Colman: \$866

Daily Mass Readings

June 22: 2 Kings 17:5-8,13-18; Ps 60:3-5,12-13; Matt 7:1-5

June 23: 2 Kings 19:9-21,31-36; Ps 48:2-4,10-11; Matt 7:6,12-14

June 24: Isaiah 49:1-6; Ps 139:1-3,13-15; Acts 13:22-26;

Luke 1:57-66,80

June 25: 2 Kings 24:8-17; Ps 79:1-9; Matthew 7:21-29

June 26: 2 Kings 25:1-12; Ps 137:1-6; Matthew 8:1-4

June 27: Lamentations 2:2,10-14,18-19; Ps 74:1-7,20-21;

Matthew 8:5-17

June 28: 2 Kings 4:8-11,14-16; Ps 89:2-3,16-19;

Romans 6:3-4,8-11; Matthew 10:37-42

Daily Readings can also be found on-line at

<http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings/>

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with love because God's Truth sets us free from misguided thoughts and emotions. God has given us intelligence to control our emotions with reason that is based on God's Truths, not on emotional reasoning based on what is false. God's Truth tells us what is Holy and True, as well as, what is evil and false. Evil will always hurt or destroy us and others, but God's Truths will always heal and save us. Follow Jesus in all that He Says and Does, and you will become His Image and Likeness. Let The Sacred Heart of Jesus burn in your hearts with The Fire of His Love, and you will be The Light of Christ in this dark world of sin and evil. Jesus makes all things new for those who believe. Become that New Creation in Christ by accepting and doing what our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ Says and Does. You will find freedom because you will find Jesus in you with all of His Infinite Strength, Knowledge, Wisdom and Love.

Fr. Doug Binsfeld

STS. SIMON & JUDE



Card Shower for Fr. Doug: Sunday, June 21 & 28

A basket will be in the church entrance to collect your cards as we say farewell to Fr. Doug and wish him well. We pray for him and his new parishes of Webster and Waubay.

Finance Council Meeting:

Thursday, June 25 - 6:30 PM

Congratulations to Lizzie Pavlis!!! She earned 2nd place in the state CDA education contest for poetry in Division II (Grades 6,7,8).

Used Ceiling Tiles available. Approximately 150 2x2 tiles were removed from the CCD center ceilings when the lighting was updated. There are also a few 2x4 tiles. Contact the parish office (997-2610) if you could use these.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, D-Camp has been cancelled for the summer of 2020.

Instead, campers are invited to participate in Youth Night and one of our Summer Bible Studies that will be offered throughout this summer.

During "D-Camp Week" (July 12-19), we will be offering several opportunities for youth. All youth in the diocese are invited to sign up for these activities at: sfdiocese.flocknote.com/DiscipleshipWeek

Totus Tuus...Ex Longinquo!: Our Totus Tuus missionaries are excited to offer three new initiatives this summer... from a distance!

- **Sunday nights will be Family Night,**
- **Wednesday nights will be Youth Night,**
- **Summer bible studies will be offered**

Sign up for these opportunities at www.sfcatholic.org/youth

This initiative will include activity ideas, fun games, family discussion starters and more. You won't want to miss it!

ST. PETER



St. Elizabeth CDA Court

1362 will be celebrating Priest Appreciation Day and Father's Day on **June 20th**. Thank you, Father Doug for all that you do for

our court, parish and community. The Lifesaver Project was a success, collecting \$182. CDA would like to congratulate the Confirmation class, Senior graduates and First Communion class. Treats will be handed out to everyone after Mass as you go to your vehicles. God bless Father Doug as he leaves our parish and makes a new home in Webster and Waubay.

Free Piano: The piano in the parish hall is no longer being used and we are offering it to any parishioner who could use it. Contact Renee Gullickson (864-1743) for information.

July/August Mass Schedule

Elkton - Saturday at 5:00 PM

Colman - Sunday at 8:30 AM

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL

Fr. Doug Card Shower:

Sunday, June 21

A basket will be available in the church entrance for your cards and sentiments of farewell. We pray for Fr. Doug as he transitions to being pastor of Webster/Waubay on July 1st.

*With Gratitude for Your
Ministry and Service, Father*



First Holy Communion:

Sunday, June 28th
at 8:30 AM Mass.

Raphael Johnson

Elijah Johnson

Emma Owens

Grant Miraglia

Khloe Neill

Isaac Neill

Tenlee Olson

Andrew McMahon

Grace Skordahl

Please pray that they continue to deepen in their faith, hope, and love of the Lord.

Words of Wisdom: one day retreat with Dr. Chris, **July 25, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.**, at Abbey of the Hills. Participants will learn from master Scott Hahn by reading his book, *A Father Who Keeps His Promises*, and then gathering with people from around the diocese for a day of discussion and prayer to unpack the book. Register at www.sfcatholic.org/wow.

Leedom to Life is a podcast set on exploring what it means to be authentically human and fully alive. Guests discuss the ordinary things of life illuminated by the Catholic vision of the human person. Be sure to check out the latest episodes at www.sfcatholic.org/familylife

Safe Environment Coordinator / HR Administrative Assistant:

The Catholic Chancery Office is seeking a qualified individual to serve as the Diocesan Safe Environment Coordinator and Administrative Assistant in multiple areas. The position is full time with benefits. Responsibilities include coordinating all aspects of the safe environment program by communicating with locations, developing training programs, updating the website, performing background checks and preparing audit materials. In addition the qualified applicant will perform administrative duties for the Human Resources and Risk Management Offices. These duties will include processing payroll, preparing inspection reports and processing liability insurance requests. The successful candidate should have strong database management skills, attention to detail, and exemplary communication skills. To apply, send a cover letter and resume to Twila Roman, HR Director at troman@sfcatholic.org or 523 N Duluth Ave, Sioux Falls, SD 57104.



Intention of the Holy Father for June:

We pray that all those who suffer may find their way in life, allowing themselves to be touched by the Heart of Jesus.

Broom Tree Day of Recollection:

- **June 23** – “We are God’s Children” directed by Father Anthony Urban - begins at 10 a.m. Includes conference, Adoration, Mass, and an opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. *Because lunch is served, we ask that you please register.* A prayerful donation is requested. Register via email broomtree@sfcatholic.org or www.broom-tree.org

Grieving the Loss of a Spouse: July 28-Sept 1 with social distancing protocols in place. Catholic Family Services, 523 N Duluth, SF. For adults who have lost a spouse and are trying to cope with the pain of separation and loss. Non-denominational- Cost –Donation. Call 988-3775 or 1-800-700-7867 to register.

Catholic Family Services Counseling Service: Potential clients can call Catholic Family Services at 605-988-3775 to schedule an in-person appointment or a telehealth appointment.



**“Bishop’s Cup” golf tournament
Benefiting Broom Tree Retreat &
Conference Center
August 24**

Ready to get out of the house and enjoy the outdoors? Join us on for this year’s **Bishop’s Cup** golf tournament! This charity event is held on Sioux Falls’ two premier golf courses; Minnehaha Country Club and The Country Club of Sioux Falls. Participants will have the opportunity to play in the Bishop’s Scramble or the Bishop’s Challenge with the overall low net in each category taking home the coveted crystal trophy for their parish! We sold out both courses 5 weeks early in both 2018 and 2019 so don’t wait to register! Our website, www.ccfesd.org, has all the information you need!

We will continue to monitor and adhere to the advice given by health and government officials regarding social distancing and the coronavirus pandemic. Be assured that all precautions will be taken to ensure the safety of all involved. We are hopeful that this will be a fun event of fellowship and support of Broom Tree.



**“Taste the Goodness”
6th Annual event benefitting the
Bishop Dudley Hospitality House
August 29 5:00 – 9:00 PM**

We will continue to monitor and adhere to the advice of medical and government officials regarding the uncertainties of the Coronavirus pandemic, however, we are hopeful that this wonderful event can happen to support the important work of the Bishop Dudley Hospitality House. Now more than ever, the mission of the Dudley House needs our support. Be assured that adjustments will be made to ensure the safety of all involved. For on-going event updates or to purchase your ticket to Taste the Goodness, visit our website www.ccfesd.org or call 605-988-3765.