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Saturday, 5 PM
 Sunday, 8 & 11 AM

Daily Liturgy:

Monday-Friday, 8 AM

Eucharistic Adoration:

Wednesday, 8:30-7:30 PM

Reconciliation:

Wednesday, 5:30-6:30 PM

Saturday, 3:30-4:30 PM

First Fridays, 8:30-9:30 AM

First Friday Devotion:

Following Daily Mass on
 First Fridays

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**“You shall not molest or oppress an alien, for
 you were once aliens yourselves... If ever you
 wrong the widow or orphan,
 my wrath will flare up against you”**

(Ex 22:20-23).

Jubilation from John

Last Sunday, I preached on the Holy Father’s latest encyclical entitled *Fratelli Tutti*. I encouraged those who heard my voice to obtain a copy of the Holy Father’s letter—and to not only read it, but to slowly study and prayerfully meditate upon it. The encyclical can be freely downloaded in several digital formats at <https://www.rmhealey.com/ebooks/fratelli-tutti/>. For me, the Holy Father’s letter was not only hopeful and inspirational, but also challenging and aspirational—causing me to ask myself, “What am I doing to bring to fruition on earth the Kingdom of God that I pray for daily?”

Each of this Sunday’s scripture readings once again point to major aspects of this powerful letter: fraternal care of immigrants, widows and orphans, and the poor (Ex 22:20-26); becoming imitators of the Lord and a model for all people of faith (1 Thes 1:5-10); and most importantly, loving the Lord your God and your neighbor as yourself as commanded by Jesus (Mt 22:34-40). Consequently, I hope that the following summary provided by Twenty-Third Publications will whet your appetite to read, study, and meditate upon the encyclical and to render to God what he wants us to give him: a fully developed human life for all.

On October 4, the feast of St. Francis of Assisi, Pope Francis issued his latest encyclical, *Fratelli Tutti*, On Fraternity and Social Friendship. This is more than just another Church document. It is Pope Francis’ “cry from the heart” to all people of the earth to see beyond their differences—indeed, to work with their differences—and begin to grow together to build a new and peaceful world.

Using the parable of the good Samaritan as a model, the pope lays out concrete ways to begin this process: listening to one another, caring for one another, reaching out beyond our own culture, and being willing to engage in honest and open dialogue. To achieve all this, we need to be like the good Samaritan—acting as a loving neighbor, leaving behind our self-imposed border walls (prejudice, judgmentalism), and taking the risk to encounter others as they are.

Returning again and again to themes he has developed throughout his papacy, Pope Francis speaks of the need for equality and justice for all, cooperation, caring for the most vulnerable, doing the hard work of learning to listen to and accompany others, and caring for the earth that nurtures and sustains us all.

The pope ends his letter to the world with this prayer to the Holy Spirit: “Come, Holy Spirit, show us your beauty, reflected in all the peoples of the earth, so that we may discover anew that all are important and all are necessary, different faces of the one humanity that God so loves.”

Keep the Faith!

Deacon John

**Pick up your tickets for the Fall
 Festival in the gathering space.**

Volunteer Opportunities

Saturday, October 31 – Youth trick or treating for canned food (and candy). This will count for Confirmation service hours.

Saturday, November 14 – Receiving and organizing canned food donations collected by the Boy Scouts for the Piedmont Valley Food Pantry.



HEALING MEALS

Healing meals need a co-chairperson to serve along with Pauline Stoffel. This ministry arranges for meals for the sick and persons who would benefit from receiving temporary meals. These meals are prepared by parishioners willing to share in this ministry. Please call the church office at 787-5168 if you can help.

Coffee and Rolls Coordinator Needed

We need a volunteer to coordinate and serve coffee, juice, and snacks following the 8 AM Mass. Training is available. Please contact Katie in the office at 787-5168.

Piedmont Valley Food Pantry

Thank you for all of the items recently donated to the food pantry. While the shelves are not full, they are fuller. We have had a large increase in need and appreciate all donations. Food can be dropped off M-F 8:30-2:30 or during food pantry hours Wednesdays and Saturdays 9-noon.

Fall Festival

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PIE NEEDED



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ALL SAINTS DAY TRUNK OR TREAT

Sunday, November 1, following 11 AM Mass. Decorate your trunk, collect goodies, and celebrate All Saints Day. Award for the best Saint costume.

Women's Bible Study

The Women's Bible Study will now meet on Thursdays at 9 AM in the Parish Hall (basement). We will no longer be meeting Tuesday evenings. Thank you!

Thank you for your donation.

Please prayerfully consider automatic contributions via electronic withdrawal, check service, or at www.olbh.org/donate. Please prayerfully consider including the Western South Dakota Catholic Foundation and Our Lady of the Black Hills in your estate planning.

"All good giving and every perfect gift is from above" (Jas 1:17)			
October 17-18, 2020			
	Automatic	Basket	Total
Adopt a Seminarian	54	-	54
Sunday Collection	1,871	2,892	4,763
Rector's	19	-	19
Bottles of Hope	-	-	-
Building Fund	-	5	5
Fall Festival	20		20
Held for Others		195	195
Total Contribution	1,964	3,093	5,056.36

Weekly Schedule

Monday, October 26

7:30 AM Early Bird Bible Study

No Mass

6 PM Discipleship Commission Meeting

Tuesday, October 27

8 AM Mass for the repose of Sharon Keller

1:30 PM Mass at SES for the repose of Donna Melber

Wednesday, October 28

SAINTS SIMON AND JUDE, APOSTLES

8 AM Mass for the repose of Albert Lenerville

8:30-7:30 PM Adoration

9-12 Noon Food Pantry Open

5:30-6:30 PM Reconciliation

6:15-7:30 PM Faith Formation

Thursday, October 29

Saint John Paul, II, Pope

8 AM Mass for Sid and Mary Ann Pulaski

9 AM 'Just Men' Bible Study

9 AM NO Women's Bible Study

Friday, October 30

Saint John of Capistrano, Priest

8:30 AM Mass at SES for the repose of Teresa

Wessels

Saturday, October 31

BVM ON SATURDAY

9-12 Noon Food Pantry Open

3:30-4:30 PM Reconciliation

5 PM Mass – Link on Facebook and OLBH.org for the repose of Jean Schubauer

Sunday, November 1

ALL SAINTS

8 AM Mass for Diocesan Masses for Life

Faith Formation 9:30-10:45 AM

11 AM Mass for the OLBH Parish community and for our sister parishes

TRUNK OR TREAT in the parking lot following the 11 AM Mass

Intentions of the Holy Father for October:

Pope's Intention: The Laity's Mission in the Church. That by the virtue of baptism, the laity, especially women, may participate more in areas of responsibility in the Church.

Prayers for our Deployed Military

Jeremy Reeve, Josh Kornmann, and Joshua Philbrick

Prayers for the Recently Deceased

Pauline L. Kammerer Guffey

Donna Melber (mother of Barbara Vargo)

Prayer Chain Requests

To request an intention for the prayer chain, please contact Sue Colgan at 431-0310 or at ssacolgan@gmail.com.

Eucharistic Adoration

For information on Adoration or to sign up to Adore or to fill in as a substitute, please contact Dave Allardyce at 791-2303.

Prayers for Life and Health Concerns

Names will be left for three months; please call to request prayers for someone.

- Edwin Weaver (father of Bob Weaver) • Dean Antonsen
- Blanche Rieth • Bernard Wiehl • Jean Schacher • Paula Owen
- Dennis Schumacher • Ryan Wilson • Lowell Amiotte
- Randy Oberle • Joan Wrobel (aunt of Rachael Held)
- Les Bedne (mother of Marie Langfeldt) • Doug Wermers
- John Mizenko (brother of Jeff) • Vickie Crowley
- Adam Hohm • Lisa Katzenstein • Lenny Tellefson
- Robert Forest (father of Cathy Long) • Jen Ehlers Hruska
- Wayne Gamroth • Mike Knecht • Linda Weishaar
- Peggy Laurenz (niece of Cap and Arlene Holzer) • Marjorie Lee
- Cliff Roemich • Christy Marie (sister of Linda Schacher)
- Marek Kopec • Lori Moore • Iris Overholt • Jennifer Kinney
- Alicia Castor (niece of Kathleen and Lowell Amiotte)
- Moneik Stephens • Jean Roth (mother of Peg Wermers)
- Cory Kirby (brother in law of Shanesa Rhodes) • Linda Schacher
- Carol Michaelson (mother of Linda Schacher) • Brett Whealy
- Colin Patterson (Antje Grey's son-in-law) • Jane Abernathy
- Mike and Marilyn Rohde (parents of Rhonda Gehlsen)

† Necrology †

To remember in prayer for the repose of their souls, those whose deaths are recorded in the parish; and the bishops, priests, and deacons that served the Diocese of Rapid City.

October 26	Rev. Arthur Belknap (1921) Rev. James D. Shannon (1962) David Orians (2009)
October 27	Rev. Amandus Boelaars, S.J. (1945)
October 28	Rev. Eugene Buechel, S.J. (1954) Mary Matt (1942)
October 30	Rev. Henry Gothe, S.J. (1929) Rev. Robert Whiteside (1975)
November 1	Deacon Lawrence Kocer (2005) Charles Panek (1965) Cora Coad (1965) Elizabeth "Betty" Walz (2017)

Safe Environment

The Catholic Diocese of Rapid City is firmly committed to creating and maintaining the safest possible environment for our children. To report allegations of sexual abuse by church personnel, contact the Victim Assistance Coordinator. In accordance with diocesan policy, all allegations of sexual misconduct involving children or young people and priests, deacons, lay employees, or volunteers serving the Diocese of Rapid City will be investigated. **Victim Assistance Coordinator - Barbara Scherr 605.209.3418**

Safe Faith Environment

Safe Faith Environment Training is **mandatory for all paid staff and adult volunteers** please contact Katie, Safe Faith Environment Coordinator, at 787.5168 for details.

Mass Times	Saturday, 10/31 at 5 PM	Sunday 11/1 at 8 AM	Sunday 11/1 at 18 AM
Presider	Fr. Andrzej Wyrostek	Fr. Andrzej Wyrostek	Fr. Andrzej Wyrostek
Lector	John Usera – 1 st Lector Bernie Usera – 2 nd Lector	Mike Osten – 1 st Lector Jay Hammerquist – 2 nd Lector	Brad Blauvelt – 1 st Lector Mary Blauvelt – 2 nd Lector
Altar Server(s)	Shawn Harwood – Lead Ty Hunt	Westin Edwards – Lead Emmett Edwards	Andrew Denekamp – Lead Cole Guthrie
Sacristan	NOT FILLED	Gary and Barb Erickson	Stacy Tate

COMMUNITY & DIOCESAN NEWS

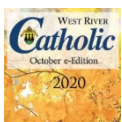
Daily Readings

Monday: EPH 4:32-5:8; PS 100:1B-2, 3, 4AB, 4C-5; LK 13:10-17
Tuesday: EPH 5:21-33; PS 128:1-2, 3, 4-5; LK 13:18-21
Wednesday: EPH 2:19-22; PS 19:2-3, 4-5; LK 6:12-16
Thursday: EPH 6:10-20; 144:1B, 2, 9-10; LK 13:31-35
Friday: PHIL 1:1-11; PS 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; LK 14:1-6
Saturday: PHIL 1:18B-26; PS 42:2, 3, 5CDEF; LK 14:1, 7-11
Sunday: RV 7:2-4, 9-14; PS 24:1BC-2, 3-4AB, 5-6; 1 JN 3:1-3; MT 5:1-12A
 The weekly readings can be found anytime online on the USCCB website or by clicking: [Weekly Readings](#)

Do you Love to Cuddle Babies?

Catholic Social Services of Rapid is ready to license a Cradle Care family. The ideal family is flexibly willing to care for newborns while they await placement in an adoptive home. The family must meet the foster care requirements for South Dakota and Catholic Social Services. Please call Kelli in Family Services at 348-6086 to learn more.

West River Catholic



The October e-Edition of the West River Catholic is now available. View it at

<https://www.rapidcitydiocese.org/august-edition-2020-wrc/>.

Women's Retreat

October 23-25 at Terra Sancta Retreat Center directed by Sisters from the Servants of the Lord and the Virgin of Matara, or Serivdoras. They are dedicated to prolonging the Incarnation of the Word through the evangelization of culture, find more at ssvmusa.org. This year's retreat will be directed by Zoom from their cloistered monastery in New York. By Zoom, \$50; Commuter rate with meals only to attend in the prayerful atmosphere of Terra Sancta, \$115; lodging is available for an additional \$75 per night. Register at www.terrasancta.org. Contact Amy Julian with questions at 343-5214.

Men's Retreat

November 13-16 at Terra Sancta Retreat Center directed by Fr. Jacob Boddicker, SJ, from the Mission on the Rose Bud Indian Reservation. Fr. Boddicker's unswerving fidelity to the Magisterium and deep love for souls make him a tremendous asset to the Society of Jesus and to the Diocese of Rapid City. He has an active following on Facebook and YouTube where he posts weekly Mass and discusses theology while ironing church linens. To attend the retreat the commuter rate with meals is \$115. Lodging is available for an additional \$75 per night. Register at www.terrasancta.org. Contact Amy Julian at 343-5214 for more information.

Fall Festival

NOVEMBER 7-8

**COUNTRY STORE & SILENT AUCTION AFTER ALL MASSES
SMOKED BRISKET OR TURKEY TO GO MEALS, PICK UP AFTER ALL MASSES**

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SWEET ROLLS

Sweet Rolls will be for sale after Masses on Sunday, November 8, for eat in or take out. Donations of baked goods, jams and jellies, crafts etc. would be appreciated for the Country Store. Bring items on Friday, November 6, to the Church basement.



SUPPORT THE PIEDMONT
VALLEY FOOD PANTRY

TRICK OR TREAT

so others can EAT!

October 31

Pizza at 5:45pm

Leave OLBH at 6:15pm

Return to OLBH at 8:15pm

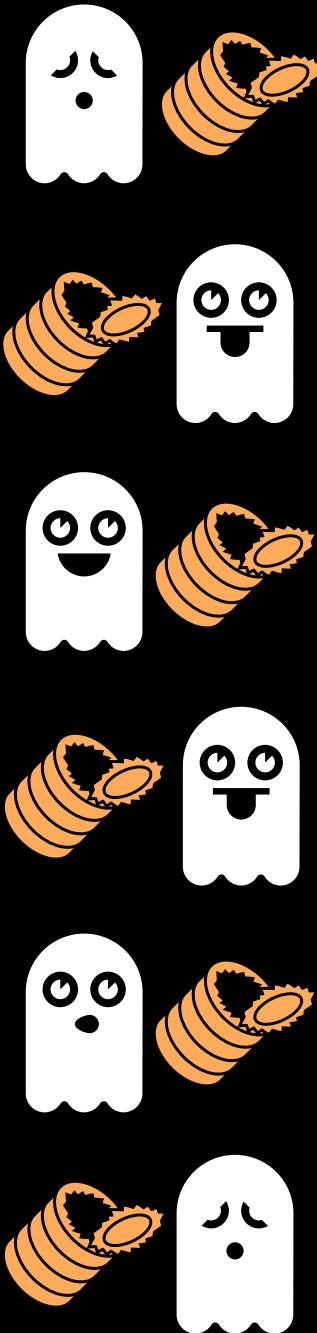


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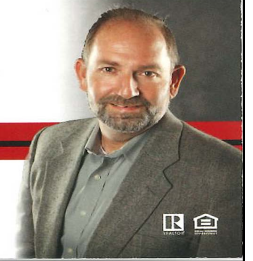
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