



# Sacred Heart Catholic Church

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, Have Mercy on Us!

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## Clergy

Reverend Shane D. Stevens, Pastor

Reverend Shaun Haggerty, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Mr. Richard Kelley, Deacon

## Parish Staff

Mrs. Anna Lacher, Administrative Assistant

Mrs. Paulette Hay, Accounting

Mrs. Mary Wanner, Secretary

Mrs. Charlene Blondo, Office of Liturgy

Mrs. Michele Coughlin, Director of Rel. Ed.

Mrs. Dawn Wanttie, Secretary of Rel. Ed.

Mrs. Sharon Gould, Home Ministries

Mrs. Marge Guhin, Housekeeping

Mr. Dennis Sahli, Maintenance/Grounds

Mr. Dylan Kessler, Youth Ministry

## Sunday Mass

Saturday Vigil 5pm

Sunday 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am

## Confessions

Monday-Friday 6:30am,

Saturday 7:45am, 3:30pm-4:30pm

## Baptisms

Pre-Baptism class is the second Thursday of the month and is required for all baptisms. Please call the parish office to register or for more information.

## Weddings

Couples planning to be married must contact the parish six months before the proposed wedding date.



*In Nomini Domini,*

In the Name of the Lord

Dear Parish Family,

We often use flimsy excuses to silence our conscience. They run like this: "We didn't realize how sinful we were"; "We were too occupied with family and personal cares to have time for our spiritual duties"; "We were led astray by bad example"; "We didn't like to be different from others"; "We were going to put things right. " The parable in today's Gospel, is found only in Matthew, outlines two responses to God's call. The first son says, "I will not," but changes his mind and does what is needed. The second son says, "I go, sir," but does not go. Verses 31-32 make it clear that the tax collectors and prostitutes are the first son, and the chief priests and elders are the second son. When John the Baptist called people to repent, tax collectors and prostitutes repented and were baptized. It was easy for them to repent, because their sins were obvious, even to themselves. The religious leaders, however, were not ready to admit their need for repentance, and therefore they rejected John and his call. So also, they rejected Jesus. We are reminded of Jesus' words earlier in this Gospel, "Not everyone who says to me, 'Lord, Lord,' will enter the kingdom of heaven, but only the one who does the will of my Father in heaven" (7:21).

**Thank-you, Thank-you, Thank-you!!!**

To one and all who in any way helped with our Annual Parish Bazaar, you simply are amazing! I am so grateful for all you do to continue to make Sacred Heart great and grand!

**Thank-you** to the over 50 young people who volunteered to be trained to serve at the Holy Mass. Fr. Haggerty and I are delighted by the response of the kids.

**Thank-you** to Clark Thares and Steven Lewno for agreeing to serve on our Parish Finance Council.

It is a ~~dececececece~~light, to be your pastor!

Peace to you and yours!!  
Fr. Shane D. Stevens, KHS

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 25, 2011



**TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME**

**September 25**

**SCHEDULE OF MASSES**

Monday	<b>St. Cosmas, St. Damian</b> 7:00 a.m. †Jeanne Moch
Tuesday	<b>St. Vincent de Paul</b> 7:00 a.m. †Fred Swanson
Wednesday	<b>St. Wenceslaus, St. Lawrence Ruiz</b> 7:00 a.m. †Gertrude Lingor 12:10 p.m. †Jeff Beckel
Thursday	<b>St. Michael, St. Gabriel, St. Raphael</b> 7:00 a.m. †Joe Kelly
Friday	<b>St. Jerome</b> 7:00 a.m. †Donna Duch
Saturday	<b>St. Therese of the Child Jesus</b> 8:15 a.m. †Kathryn Kline

**TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Saturday	5:00 p.m. †Int. Judy Mecseji
Sunday	7:30 a.m. Sacred Heart Parish 9:30 a.m. †John Thomas 11:30 a.m. †Leitha Janes

**READERS AND EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS**

<b>For the weekend of October 1<sup>st</sup> and October 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	
Saturday 5:00 p.m. Deb Barnett	See Schedule
Sunday 7:30 a.m. Harry Jasinski	See Schedule
9:30 a.m. Ike Kvasnicka	See Schedule
11:30 a.m. Jenelle Remily	See Schedule

**ALTAR SERVERS**

<b>For the weekend of October 1<sup>st</sup> and October 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	
Saturday 5:00 p.m. Joseph Crompton, Carson/Rayce Simes	
Sunday 7:30 a.m. Andrew Artz, Connor Hansen, Mallorie Mattern	
9:30 a.m. Erin/Cameron Dudley, Lindsey Hahler	
11:30 a.m. Daniel/Thomas Gallagher, Hosea Kost	

**GREETERS**

<b>For the weekend of October 1<sup>st</sup> and October 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	
Saturday 5:00 p.m. Carmen Morrison, Kathy Lovaas, Pat Derzab	
Sunday 7:30 a.m. Chris/Cindy Mitchell, Maureen Cantwell, Andy/Mary Raile	
9:30 a.m. Darin/Tamera Kucker, Irma Mork, Tom Werlinger	
11:30 a.m. Vickie Haiar, Kathy Schulz, Stacey King	

**VAN DRIVER**

**October 2** Jim Geffre-226-2661

**STEWARDSHIP**

Last Week's Collection	\$15,205.85
Youth Envelopes	\$74.68
Church Facade	\$0.00

**We have thirty-one families** in the Loan Interest Club. You too can become a member. Just pay one day's interest each month in addition to your regular contribution and designate it as Interest Club.

**Thank you, Thank you, Thank you!!!!**

**THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**

**Monday, September 26<sup>th</sup>**  
Band 10 7:00 Parish Hall

**Tuesday, September 27<sup>th</sup>**  
Photos 2:30-9:00 pm RE School Classroom-use South school door

**Wednesday September 28<sup>th</sup>**  
Photos 2:30-9:00 pm RE School Classroom-use South school door  
Religious Ed 5:00-9:00 p.m. Church  
Traditional Choir Practice 7:00 pm Parish Hall

**Thursday, September 29<sup>th</sup>**  
Altar Server Training 6th graders 10:00 am  
Photos 2:30-9:00 pm Parish Hall  
Latin Choir Practice 5:45 Choir Loft  
RCIA 7:00 Religious Ed Office

**Saturday, October 1<sup>st</sup>**  
Photos 10:00-4:30 Parish Hall  
Contemporary Choir Practice RE School 3:45

**ALTAR SERVER TRAINING**

If you're a 4<sup>th</sup> grader or older and are interested in altar serving, Fr. Haggerty will be doing training with the Catholic School Kids and the Public/Home School Kids on the following dates:

Catholic School Kids 5th & 6th graders:  
practicum September 29.

Public/Home School Kids: October 15  
Training Session 10 a.m. -12 p.m. Parish Hall (**Pizza** will be served @ 12p.m.)



**NEW PARISH MEMBERS**

If you recently registered in the parish, please schedule a time for your professional photo for our parish directory. Visit our website [www.sacredheartaberdeen.com](http://www.sacredheartaberdeen.com) or contact the office at 225-7065.

**VOLUNTEER TRAINING**

**ALL VOLUNTEERS** who are Homebound Communion Visitors, Van Drivers, or work with children in any way: **Safe Environment training is due.** Please visit online at <http://safeandsacred-sfcatholic.org> to complete your certification for this year. There are only 2 options: new volunteers and returning. Return certificates to Michele Coughlin at [mcoughlin@parishmail.com](mailto:mcoughlin@parishmail.com). Thank you for complying with our diligence in the Sioux Falls diocese to provide safe and sacred space for all our parishioners in need.



**TRAVELING VOCATIONS ICON**

Gen Westerfield will have the icon from October 2-October 8 and Lu Murphy from October 9-October 15.



## Principal Loan Club

Due to the overwhelming success of our Interest Loan Club, we are now forming a new

### *Principal Loan Club.*

Choose one day a month and pay \$100.00, toward the principal of our loan, in addition to your regular giving.

We are blessed to have our first *two* members. Can we find 29 more? If you are interested or have questions please call Fr. Stevens or the office. Together we can pay down our debt, restore our savings, and address needed future repairs. Come on folks Join the Club!

Fr. Shane D. Stevens

## CURSILLO WEEKEND

This coming October, the Sioux Falls Diocese is holding two Cursillo weekends at Inspiration Hills, Inwood, IA (36 miles Southeast of Sioux Falls). The men's weekend is October 6th-9th and the women's is one week later, October 13th-16th.

Each Cursillo weekend is a three-day "short course in Christianity" beginning Thursday night at 7pm and ending early Sunday evening. Led by spiritual directors (priests, deacons, and sisters) and lay people; a combination of talks, discussions, meditations, prayers, and liturgies lead those who attend to better knowledge of themselves and Christ. Cursillo provides the tools necessary to live the message of the Gospel in our everyday lives.

## PARISH DIRECTORY

**NOTE: Location has changed for Tuesday and Wednesday—All photos taken Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 27 and 28 will be in a RES classroom. Enter through the south school door and press the bell to be admitted into the building.**

**Photos taken Thursday through Saturday will be in the Parish Hall.**

**Next week photos October 4 & 5 also will be in the RES classroom.**

**There are still openings for pictures.** Don't forget to schedule for your free professional photo. Be part of our parish family album.

Contact the office at 225-7065 if you do not have access to the Internet or if you have additional questions. Or schedule on-line from the parish website.



## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Knights of Columbus Meeting September 27 will be held at St. Mary's parish hall due to the construction at Schrivvers. Officers meeting at 7:30 pm and council meeting at 8:00 pm.

## BREAKFAST OCTOBER 2

We are beginning our monthly breakfasts next month. Neighborhood 1 will be serving a full breakfast October 2 after the 7:30 and 9:30 Masses. Come and enjoy egg bake and sausage, apple kuchen, Danish puffs, muffins with coffee and orange juice. Come and enjoy a great breakfast and conversation with fellow parishioners.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AIDE NEEDED

Our classes keep growing!! We are needing a 1<sup>st</sup> grade class aide for our 5pm session. Please contact Mrs. Michele Coughlin if you are able to help. How wonderful it is that Jesus is drawing all the children to Himself!

Welcome to all of our new families! It is our joyful prayer that you are 'right at home' with us at Sacred Heart!

## DIOCESAN MARIAN CONFERENCE

DIOCESAN MARIAN CONFERENCE October 1, 2011, St. Joseph Cathedral, Sioux Falls

"To Celebrate the Restoration of Saint Joseph Cathedral with Mary." Be sure to set aside the First Saturday of October, so that you can attend the inaugural Diocesan Marian Conference. Bishop Paul J. Swain desires to have "a major Marian event" as one of the first happenings in the newly-restored Cathedral. It will be a day of prayer and study . . . a day for children and adults . . . a day of inspiration and instruction celebrating life and family. Contact the OMFRL at 988-3755 for more information.

## YOUTH RALLY

Mark your calendars for an EXCELLENT road trip! The Junior High YOUTH RALLY will be October 9<sup>th</sup> in Huron. Anyone interested in going or wanting more information should contact Mrs. Michele Coughlin at the parish. The High School YOUTH RALLY is November 6<sup>th</sup>. The more the merrier! Sean Dalton and Leah Darrow will be the headline speakers. You can google them. Also, for more information on diocesan youth events, look up [sfatholic.org/Youth](http://sfatholic.org/Youth).

## YOUTH GROUP

The Youth Group will be gathering on Wednesday evenings, beginning at 7:30 in the Youth Room. Religious Education students grades 7 and above are encouraged to join us following their classes."

## PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration at Avera St. Luke's Hospital is available 24/7. Please continue to pray for faithful adorers. Open hours are: Mon. 2 a.m., Thurs. 9 p.m. and Sat. 4 p.m. and 9 p.m. Please call Theresa at 226-0838 or Mary at 225-6001.

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon.	Zec 8:1-8 Ps 102:2,16-23 Lk 9:46-50 Pray for a balance in parishioners' lives
Tue.	Zec 8:20-23 Ps 87:1-7 Lk 9:51-56 Pray for all home-bound parishioners that they may feel our love and support
Wed:	Neb 2:1-8 Ps 137:1-6 Lk 9:57-62 Pray for all nurses that they may be hands and feet of Christ in their caring giving
Thur.	Dn 7:9-10,13-14 Ps 138:1-5 Jn 1:47-51 Pray for all of us who are coping with mental illness
Fri.	Bar 1:15-22 Ps 79:1-5,8-9 Lk 10:13-16 Pray for the healing of hearts, minds and souls
Sat.	Bar 4:5-12,27-29 Ps 69:33-37 Lk 10:17-24 Pray for all Sacred Heart parishioners
Sun.	Is 5:1-7 Ps 80:9,12-16,19-20 Phil 4:6-9 Mt 21:33-43 Pray for all Aberdeen priests and deacons

## INTER-PARISH

- Family Rosary** Tue., Sept 27, 7:00 p.m. at St. Mary's
- Aberdeen Right to Life Meetings** 7:00 pm on the 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month, Brown County Courthouse basement
- Serra Club** 9:00 am following the 8:15 am Mass the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month, Sacred Heart Parish Hall
- Rosary Crusade** Oct 15, Noon, Home Federal Bank (in Kmart parking lot)
- Sacred Heart Westport Chicken Dinner**, Sept 25, 4-7 p.m.
- St. Helena's Ellendale Turkey Dinner**, Sept 25, 11-2 p.m.
- KC Meeting** Sept 27 8:00 p.m. St. Mary's Parish Hall
- St. Anthony's Hoven Swiss Steak Dinner & Games** Oct 2, 11-1:30
- St. Mary's Bazaar & Roast Beef Dinner** Oct 8-9 Roncalli High School, Midway 3:00, Dinner 4:30

## PROTECT YOUR CONSCIENCE RIGHTS!

In implementing the national health care law, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) recently issued a rule requiring almost all health care plans to cover contraception and sterilization as "preventive services" for women, which has never been done in the history of our nation. Pregnancy is not a disease and contraceptive drugs can cause an abortion. Please contact HHS by September 30th, and our U.S. Senators and Representative, and ask them to stop this unprecedented threat to religious freedom and moral conviction, and to protect the conscience rights of millions. You can easily do so and learn more by visiting the diocesan CAN website at [www.sfcatholic.org/CAN](http://www.sfcatholic.org/CAN).

**There are several very nice cake/pie pans in the parish hall. If you want your pan, please pick it up within the next 2 weeks.**

# MARKET STREET BAZAAR



**!! CONGRATULATIONS !!**

### Raffle Ticket Winners:

- \$50: Paulette Preszler, Emily Magera, Mark/Jeanette Hahler, Jim Whitman, Floy Venegas, Mrs. Robert McGarry
- \$100: Larry Fischbach, Pat Larson, Kristen Gasperich, Leonard Grajczyk, Lois Opsahl, Joe Ludwig,
- \$200: Walter Plumage, Ike Kvasnicka, Barb Hoerner
- \$500: Stuart Barton

Unable to attend St. Mary's bazaar? Order a roast beef dinner to be delivered Sat. or Sun. Contact Marilyn Stone at 229-5299 or [rmstone@nvc.net](mailto:rmstone@nvc.net). Meal cost is \$8.00 per meal.

## RONCALLI NEARLY NEW

This week all clothing with a Green Tag will be half price. Roncalli Nearly New appreciates your donations and business. Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday from 12:00 to 4:00pm.

## RONCALLI HALL OF FAME

**Roncalli Hall of Fame, Oct. 4, at Ramada Inn.** The 2011 Roncalli Hall of Fame banquet will be held on Tuesday, October 4, at the Ramada Inn, at 6:30 p.m. This year's banquet will celebrate the 125-year history of Catholic schools in Aberdeen, and there will be no inductees. Tickets are \$15 per person or two for \$25. Call the ACSS at 226-2100 to reserve tickets. Sponsorships are also available.

## RONCALLI SCHOOLS

September 19-23	
Mon, Sept 19	Picture Day—All Schools
	BG at Watertown 10:30 am
	GT at Mitchell/Huron 12:00
	CC at Duel 4:00 pm
Tue, Sept 20	VB at NW 6:30 pm
Wed, Sept 21	RE Mass Sacred Heart 12:10 pm
	Booster Club 7:00 pm
	Homecoming Coronation RHS 7:00 pm
Thurs, Sept 22	RP Mass St. Mary's 12:10 pm
	BG at Sisseton 10:00
	GT at Watertown/BV 11:00
	VB vs Watertown 6:30 pm
Fri, Sept 23	RHS Mass 9:30 am
	FB vs Deuel 7:00 pm
Sat, Sept 24	Run/Walk for the Glory 5K,10K, and 10K half marathon

Applications are being accepted for Substitute Teachers in K-12. Applications can be found at [222.aberdeenroncalli.org](http://222.aberdeenroncalli.org) or by calling 226-2100.