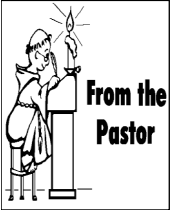


# Catholic Tri-Parish Community

STS. SIMON & JUDE  
105 S. Bates St.  
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OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL  
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ST. PETER  
Colman, SD  
c/o Sts. Simon & Jude



## Apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima (part 11)

The first picture depicts the way that The Virgin Mary appeared to the children of Fatima on a cloud on top of the small holm oak tree.

The second picture is of the statue of Our Lady of Fatima, which reproduces the vision of the Virgin Mary, Mother of God, in the way that she appeared to the three children of Fatima. The only thing that is not true to the original vision is the location of Her Immaculate Heart surrounded by thorns and aflame with the Fire of God's Love. In the original vision, The Virgin Mary was holding her Immaculate Heart filled with God's Love in her left hand, but the statue makers could not construct a statue durable enough to keep the Heart from eventually breaking off in the hand. So the statue makers repositioned the location of her Immaculate Heart to her chest where it could be solidly connected to the statue.

*Fr. Doug Binsfeld*



Liturgy Schedule			Location	Mass Intention
<b>Mon., Nov. 23</b>	7:30 AM	Prayer/Communion Service	Flandreau	-----
	7:45 AM	Prayer/Communion Service	Elkton	-----
<b>Tues., Nov. 24</b>	7:45 AM	Prayer/Communion Service	Elkton	-----
	9:00 AM	Thanksgiving Mass (Fr. Osborn)	Colman	-----
	10:00 AM	Funeral Mass	Flandreau	† Patricia Fargen
<b>Wed., Nov. 25</b>	6:00 PM	Thanksgiving Mass	Elkton	† A. Gebhart (healing)
<b>Thur., Nov. 26</b>	7:45 AM	Prayer/Communion Service	Elkton	-----
	9:00 AM	Thanksgiving Mass	Flandreau	† Francis/Erma DeLay & Gary Hemmer
<b>Fri., Nov. 27</b>	7:45 AM	Prayer/Communion Service	Elkton	-----
<b>Sat., Nov. 28</b>	5:00 PM	Mass	Elkton	All Parishioners
<b>Sun., Nov. 29</b>	8:30 AM	Mass	Colman	† Ray/Ethel Heinricy
	10:30 AM	Mass	Flandreau	† Lloyd Fields
Confessions are scheduled 1/2 hour prior to each weekend Mass.				

### MINISTERS OF SERVICE

#### **ELKTON ~ SAT., NOV. 28**

**Lay Minister:** JoAnn Schmidt, Shari Myers  
**Lect/Comm:** Kelly Neill, Lois Stuefen  
**Altar Servers:** Billy Stuefen, Aiden Ericksen  
**Greeters/Gift Bearers:** Dale/Maxine Lynn  
**Ushers:** Kevin P. Myers, Dwight Gullickson

#### **COLMAN ~ SUN., NOV. 29**

**Lay Minister:** Jerry Hemmer, Rose Shoenrock, Mary Zwart  
**Lect./Comm.:** Dan Schmidt  
**Altar Servers:** Carter Schmidt, Ben Zwart  
**Gift Bearers/Usher/Greeters:** Ryan Zwart Family

#### **FLANDREAU ~ THANKSGIVING-THUR., NOV. 26**

**Lay Minister:** Dave Johnson, Jean McGlone, Bev Minor  
**Lect./Comm.:** Pam Rorvik-Albers, Erica Rorvik (C)  
**Altar Servers:** Hannah/Kathryn/Maria Parsley,  
Kelsey Sutton  
**Ushers/Greeters:** Todd Dietrich Family  
**Sacristan:** Donna Hendrickson

#### **FLANDREAU ~ SUN., NOV. 29**

**Lay Minister:** Rita Parsley, Pam Rorvik-Albers, Jim Redder  
**Lect./Comm.:** Pat/Amy Weight  
**Altar Servers:** Xavier/Marianna/Isabella Pavlis, Jacob Weber  
**Ushers/Greeters:** Todd Dietrich Family  
**Sacristan:** Donna Hendrickson

**Intention of the Holy Father for November:** That we may be open to personal encounter and dialogue with all, even those whose convictions differ from our own.

**Read our parish bulletins on-line:**

[www.parishesonline.com/find/sts-simon-and-jude-parish](http://www.parishesonline.com/find/sts-simon-and-jude-parish)

**Thinking about the priesthood? Seminary Visit:** December 3-5; Immaculate Heart Seminary, St. Mary's University in Winona, MN; **COST IS FREE**, Go to [www.sfvocations.com](http://www.sfvocations.com) to sign up or Contact: Fr. Shaun Haggerty Director of Vocations Email: [frshaunhaggerty@sfcatholic.org](mailto:frshaunhaggerty@sfcatholic.org) Facebook: Diocese of Sioux Falls Vocations Office Phone: 605-988-3772

**Ski with the Seminarians:** December 29, 8:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. Meet at St. Lambert Church - Ski at Great Bear Sioux Falls. Sign up online at [www.sfvocations.com](http://www.sfvocations.com) or call Fr. Shaun Haggerty @ 988-3772

#### **Daily Mass Readings:**

Nov 23: Daniel 1:1-20; Daniel 3:52-56; Luke 21:1-4  
Nov 24: Daniel 2:31-45; Daniel 3:57-61; Luke 21:5-11  
Nov 25: Daniel 5:1-28; Daniel 3:62-67; Luke 21:12-19  
Nov 26: Daniel 6:12-28; Daniel 3:68-74; Luke 21:20-28  
Nov 27: Daniel 7:2-14; Daniel 3:75-81; Luke 21:29-33  
Nov 28: Daniel 7:15-27; Daniel 3:82-87; Luke 21:34-36  
Nov 29: Jeremiah 33:14-16; Ps 25:4-10,14;  
1 Thessalonians 3:12-4:2; Luke 21:25-28,34-36

**CFSA Final pledges for 2015** are now payable.  
Thank you for your generosity.

Nov. 15<sup>th</sup>  
Our  
Weekly Offering

**Flandreau:** \$2662  
**Elkton:** \$436  
**Colman:** \$696

#### **Propagation of Faith Collection Totals:**

Flandreau: \$1665  
Colman: \$565 Elkton \$265

## ST. PETER

**Religious Education Coordinator Needed:**  
call Fr. Doug - 997-2610.

## OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL

**Adult Formation Opportunity** Open to All-  
"Symbolon: The Catholic Faith Explained"  
**Monday, November 30<sup>th</sup> at 7pm at St. Mary's Hall.** Topic this month is A LOVE THAT LASTS: Discovering Authentic Love.

**Guild Meeting:** After Mass on Sat., Dec. 5th for the **purpose of selection of officers.** Please have talked with the person you plan to nominate to have their permission to submit their name. If you wish to be an officer, call Nancy Spiering (542-2063) or the parish office (997-2610) to submit your name if unable to attend the meeting.

**Card Party:** Anyone interested in getting together to play cards - call Nancy (542-2063).

**Funeral Mass for Patricia Fargen:** Tuesday at 10:00 AM at Sts. Simon & Jude-Flandreau; wake service Monday at 7:00 PM at Skroch's Chapel.

## **Wednesday Religious Education (CCD)**

No Classes on Wed., Nov. 25 at all three parishes.  
Happy Thanksgiving!

**Help for the military and their families:** The St. Raphael Fund is meant to assist the military and their families in meeting needs not supported in other ways. The goal is encourage healthy families and to provide care for those who serve. Applications for funds can be sent to St. Raphael Fund, 523 N. Duluth Ave, Sioux Falls, SD 57104, or any Catholic Family Services Office around the diocese, 1-800-700-7867. Donations to the fund can be sent to the same address.

**Pray for Life with Bishop Paul J. Swain**  
by Planned Parenthood on 41<sup>st</sup> Street  
**12:00 Noon - November 24th**

## TRI-PARISH

**Baptismal Preparation Class:** Required of all parents requesting to have their child baptized. 1st Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM in SS&J Parish Basement. **Contact Fr. Doug (997-2610) prior to the class** to sign-up and give baptismal information.

## STS. SIMON & JUDE

**Confirmation Students Bake Sale** in conjunction with the KC "First Sunday" meal in December, after mass on **December 6<sup>th</sup>** as their final fundraiser for their Confirmation retreat.

**1st Communion parent meeting**  
Dec. 6th after Mass.

**Choir Practice** begins Nov. 29th at 9:00 AM in the choir loft. Everyone is welcome.

**Frozen Cookie Dough sale** Nov 22 & 29 after Mass. \$3.50/dozen, choice of chocolate chip, sugar, or peanut butter. Proceeds will be used by the CDA to purchase angel tree gifts.

**No Quilting** on Nov. 25th - Happy Thanksgiving!

**Bible Study:** Mondays at 7:00 PM in church basement. Contact Amy.Weight@k12.sd.us or 605-651-0095 for more information.

Fridays at 10:30 AM. Call Tonya at 864-1538 for more information.

**KC Meeting:** Mon., Nov. 23 - 7:00 PM.

**Tuesday 7:30 AM Daily Mass** cancelled due to Funeral Mass for Patricia Fargen - Tuesday at 10:00 AM; wake service Monday - 7:00 PM.

**The Parish Office** will be closed  
Friday, November 27th.

**No Friday 9:00 Daily Mass at Flandreau**

Bulletin deadline: Nov. 25th at Noon.

### **Thanksgiving Masses**

Tues., Nov. 24 - 9:00 AM - Colman (Fr. Osborn)

Wed., Nov. 25 - 6:00 PM - Elkton

Thur., Nov. 26 - 9:00 AM - Flandreau



Give thanks unto the Lord, for he is  
good: for his mercy endureth  
forever. Psalm 107:1

**RETROUVAILLE:** A confidential weekend that offers hope and help for couples to heal and renew their marriage relationship is scheduled for March 18-20, 2016. The weekend will take place at Broom Tree Retreat Center. Retrouvaille is a peer to peer ministry and has helped couples experiencing chronic communication problems, as well as those who thought they were beyond hope, already separated, or even divorced. For more information visit [www.retrouvaille.org](http://www.retrouvaille.org) or call 988.3755 to register.

### Broom Tree Retreats

For more information or to register please call (605) 263-1040, email [broomtree@sfcatholic.org](mailto:broomtree@sfcatholic.org) or check website [www.broom-tree.org](http://www.broom-tree.org)

**Women's Silent Retreat:** Oct. 22-25, Nov. 5-8; Feb. 18-21, Mar. 3-6, May 12-15; June 16-19

**Men's Silent Retreat:** Nov. 19-22; Feb. 25-28, April 7-10; Aug. 18-21, Sept. 22-25,

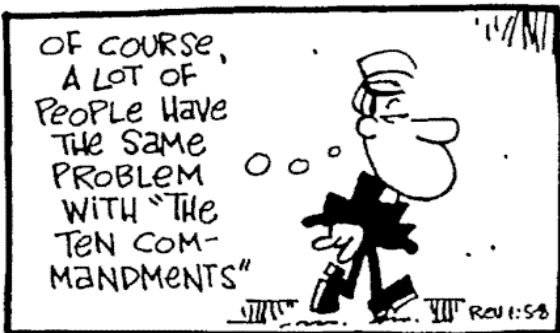
**Day of Recollection: December 8 (Holy Day):**

**Mary: Our Model for Advent – Father Robert Wullweber** Begin at 10 a.m. and include conferences, time for Adoration, Mass, and an opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. The day ends in mid-afternoon. *Because lunch is served, we ask that you please register.* A prayerful donation is requested.

**One-Day Silent Retreat:** Dec. 12; ***In the Silence God Speaks:*** Directed by Fr. Joe Vogel.

**Bishop Hoch Scholarship:** \$1,000.00 scholarship to enable a student to attend either Mount Marty College in Yankton or Presentation College in Aberdeen. Applications are being accepted for the 2016-2017 school year. Contact Mary Andersen at [mandersen@sfcatholic.org](mailto:mandersen@sfcatholic.org) for more information.

### Father Flood



**Mass in Spanish on the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Saturday, December 12th, at 11:00 a.m. in Saint Thomas More Church, Brookings** - hosted by Saint Thomas More Parish in Brookings and the Diocesan Office of the Marian Apostolate. A potluck will follow. All are invited.

### Let us prepare for Christmas and the Holy Year of Mercy!

Join us for the Fourth Annual Advent Afternoon of Recollection, sponsored by the CDA, KC and the Diocesan Office of the Marian Apostolate, on the First Sunday of Advent, **November 29th 1:30-4:00 PM** at Saint Lambert Church. **Monsignor Charles Mangan will be the presenter.** Confessions will be available. No registration. Admission is free. **Everyone is welcome.**

**Looking for that perfect Christmas Gift?** What better gift for that hard-to-buy-for person on your list than tickets to an inspiring performance at *Christmas at the Cathedral*. This year's theme, "*Love Came Down at Christmas*" looks at the powerful, universal theme in the Christmas story – Love – which can be shared by everyone every day of the year. Through beautiful music and words, audiences will hear inspiring stories of Christmas love from Nashville studio recording artist, Shelley Jennings, and tenor, Mike Eldred, who performed on Broadway in *Les Miserables* as "Jean Valjean". Conducted by Dan Goeller. The six performance are on **December 17, 18, 19 & 20**. Proceeds from this year's performances will benefit the Bishop Dudley Hospitality House and the Cathedral of St. Joseph ongoing care and maintenance endowments. Get tickets: at any Sioux Falls Hy-Vee store; on-line at [www.cfesd.org](http://www.cfesd.org); call 988-3765; email [bkuyper@sfcatholic.org](mailto:bkuyper@sfcatholic.org) 5) stop by the Catholic Foundation Office (523 N Duluth Ave).

**The Abbey of the Hills** is proud to announce that tickets to **Sing NOEL** are on sale now! Don't miss the Northern State University Chamber Choir's performance of Christmas Songs on **Saturday, December 5th**. Opening music will be performed by Kim Folk and Bobbie Jo Meyer and nationally acclaimed organist, Nathan Knutson. The event will be hosted by Phil Schreck of KSFY-TV. Tickets are \$50 per person and include an evening social with appetizers, drinks, pasta bar and gourmet desserts! Seating will be assigned first come, first serve. Have a hard to buy for person on your Christmas list? These tickets make great gifts and overnight packages are available! Please contact The Abbey at 605-398-9200 for questions or register at [www.abbeyofthehills.com](http://www.abbeyofthehills.com).

**Living with Chronic Illness** support group meets the first Tuesday each month, 1-3:00 p.m. for those living with chronic illness **and** their care givers. Meeting at St. Lambert, 1000 S. Bahnson Ave Sioux Falls on **December 1**. For details call Margi at Catholic Family Services, 988-3775.

## Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe ~ November 22, 2015

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