

# Catholic Tri-Parish Community

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**OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL**  
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Colman, SD  
c/o Sts. Simon & Jude



## Lipstick in Catholic School

According to a news report, a certain private Catholic school was recently faced with a unique problem. A number of 12-year-old girls were beginning to use lipstick and would put it on in the bathroom. That was fine provided it was of a natural or neutral skin tone, but after they put on their lipstick, they would press their lips to the mirror leaving dozens of little lip prints. Every night the maintenance man would remove them; and the next day the girls would put them back.

Finally, the principal, Sister Mary, decided that something had to be done. She called all the girls to the bathroom and met them there with the maintenance man. She explained that all these lip prints were causing a major problem for the custodian, who had to clean the mirrors every night (you can just imagine the yawns from the little princesses).

To demonstrate how difficult it had been to clean the mirrors, Sister Mary asked the maintenance man to show the girls how much effort was required. He took out a long-handled squeegee, dipped it in the toilet, and cleaned the mirror with it. Since then, there have been no lip prints on the mirror.

(Author Unknown)

There are teachers..... And then there are educators!

## How Rich You Are

*I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee. - Hebrews 13:5*

My children, that word is unfailingly true. Down the centuries thousands have proved My constancy. My untiringness. My unfailing Love. "Never leave." "Never forsake." Not just a Presence is meant by this, but. . .

My Love will never leave you, My Understanding will never leave you. My Strength will never leave you. Think of all that I am:

**Love**—then forever you are sure of Love.

**Strength**—then forever, in every difficulty and danger, you are sure of strength.

**Patience**—then always there is One who can never tire.

**Understanding**—then always you will be understood.

Can you fear the future when it holds so much for you? Beloved, "Set your affections on things above" (the higher, spiritual things), "and not on things on the earth" (the lower, temporal things), and you will see how rich you are.

(taken from "God Calling" by A.J. Russell)

*Fr. Doug Binsfeld*



## 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ September 4, 2016

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Liturgy Schedule			Location	Mass Intention
<b>Mon., Sept. 5</b>	7:30 AM 7:45 AM	Prayer/Communion Service Prayer/Communion Service	Flandreau Elkton	----- -----
<b>Tues., Sept. 6</b>	7:30 AM 7:45 AM 9:00 AM	Mass Prayer/Communion Service Mass (Fr. Osborn)	Flandreau Elkton Colman	Pam Meyer (health) ----- -----
<b>Wed., Sept. 7</b>	9:00 AM 9:00 AM 11:00 AM	Mass/Exposition/Adoration Mass (Fr. Osborn) Mass at Riverview Manor	Elkton Colman	† Ed Langin ----- Steve Evans (health)
<b>Thur., Sept. 8</b>	7:45 AM 9:00 AM	Prayer/Communion Service Mass/Exposition/Adoration	Elkton Colman	----- † Rich Johnston
<b>Fri., Sept. 9</b>	7:45 AM 9:00 AM	Prayer/Communion Service Mass/Exposition/Adoration	Elkton Flandreau	----- Special Intention
<b>Sat., Sept. 10</b>	7:00 PM	Mass	Colman	All Parishioners
<b>Sun., Sept. 11</b>	8:30 AM 10:30 AM	Mass Mass	Elkton Flandreau	† Anastasia Gebhart † Steve/Drew Haman & LaVern/Minnie Schmidt
Confessions are scheduled 1/2 hour prior to each weekend Mass.				

#### MINISTERS OF SERVICE

##### **COLMAN ~ SAT., SEPT. 10**

**Lay Minister:** Betty Merges, Mary Zwart, Doug Entringer  
**Lect/Comm:** Chuck Richter  
**Altar Servers:** Monte Berg, Sutton Bunde  
**Gift Bearers/Usher/Greeters:** Ray Luze Family

##### **ELKTON ~ SUN., SEPT. 11**

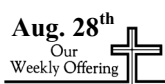
**Lay Minister:** Chris Myers, Rich Frederiksen  
**Lect./Comm.:** Bill Fargen, Beth Frederiksen  
**Altar Servers:** Abby/Alex Landsman  
**Greeters/Gift Bearers:** Linda Henningsen  
**Ushers:** Bill Stuefen, Steve Erickson

##### **FLANDREAU ~ SUN., SEPT. 11**

**Lay Minister:** Jean McGlone, Bev Minor, Rita Parsley  
**Lect./Comm.:** John Evans, Reggie Gassman (C)  
**Altar Servers:** Ted/Toby Taylor, Luke Behrens,  
Makenzey Burggraff  
**Ushers/Greeters:** Dave/Kris Johnson, John/Sharon Duncan  
**Sacristan:** Bev Minor

#### **Intention of the Holy Father for September:**

That each may contribute to the common good  
and to the building of a society that places the  
human person at the center.



**Flandreau:** \$1665  
**Elkton:** \$1443  
**Colman:** \$1152

#### Daily Mass Readings:

Sept 5: 1 Corinthians 5:1-8; Ps 5:5-7,12; Luke 6:6-11  
Sept 6: 1 Corinthians 6:1-11; Ps 149:1-6,9; Luke 6:12-19  
Sept 7: 1 Corinthians 7:25-31; Ps 45:11-17; Luke 6:20-26  
Sept 8: Micah 5:1-4; Ps 13:6; Matthew 1:1-23  
Sept 9: 1 Corinthians 9:16-27; Ps 84:3-6,12; Luke 6:39-42  
Sept 10: 1 Corinthians 10:14-22; Ps 116:12-18; Luke 6:43-49  
Sept 11: Exodus 32:7-14; Ps 51:3-4,12-13,17,19; 1 Timothy  
1:12-17; Luke 15:1-32

**Louisiana Flooding collection:** Archbishop Joseph E. Kurtz, President of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, has asked that a special collection be taken in support of those effected by the heavy rains and flooding in Louisiana. This emergency collection will be taken on **September 17/18** and will be used both to support the humanitarian efforts of Catholic Charities USA and to provide pastoral and rebuilding support to impacted dioceses.

**Pray for Life with Bishop Paul J. Swain**  
by Planned Parenthood on 41<sup>st</sup> Street  
**12:00 Noon ~ September 6th**

**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**

**Needed: 9-12 teacher** to co-teach with Mr. Weight. This is with our Lifeteen Program.

**CCD Classes begin** on Wed., Sept. 14th; 5:45 PM for Pre,K-6; 7:15 PM for 7-12.

**First Sunday Meal Today:** Knights of Columbus are serving hamburger hotdish after Mass. Everyone is invited.

**Choir Practice for Centennial Celebration Mass:** Sun., Sept. 11 - 9:15 AM in the choir loft.

**Bible Study:** Fridays at 10:30 AM at Tonya Pavlis home 864-1538.

### **TRI-PARISH**



**Copies of the Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2015/2016 and Parish Budget for next year** are available in each respective church entrance. Please pick up a copy.

#### **Tri-parish Confirmation Meeting**

**Wednesday, September 21 – 7:00 PM at SS&J**

This meeting is mandatory for all students who will be confirmed this spring and their parents.

**Confirmation** is scheduled for Wednesday, April 5<sup>th</sup> – 6:30 PM at SS&J, Flandreau

**Annual Safe Environment Training:** Tri-parish volunteers working with our youth and all parish employees: if you are unable to complete your annual training on-line, a training session has been scheduled for **Wed., Sept. 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM** at the Flandreau CCD Center.

### **OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL**

**CCD Classes** will start September 14<sup>th</sup>. Supper will be served at 5:30. Cost is \$1.00 for grades K-5, and \$2.00 for grade 6- adult. There will be a mandatory parent meeting and registration at 6:00 even if you registered your child last year.

**Gathering at St. Mary's** on September 12th at 7:00 PM. Topic is Our Tainted Nature's Solitary Boast. It is also the feast of the Holy Name of Mary, which is so fitting that we will be learning more about Mary, the Mother of God.

**Mark your calendars** for the Fall Dinner which will be held on Oct. 16<sup>th</sup>.



Congratulations to **James Mack & Rachael (Remund) Jorgenson** who were married this weekend.

### **ST. PETER**

**CDA Meeting:** Thur., Sept. 8 - 6:30 PM.

**CCD Classes begin** on Wed., Sept. 14th; 6:00 PM for elementary; 7:00 PM for HS.

**Altar Society Meeting** for all ladies of the parish on **Wednesday, September 7<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM** in the parish hall. We will plan for the Fall Dinner and also discuss other items.

**St. Peters Roast Beef Dinner** will be held on Sunday, September 25 serving 11:00 to 1:00. Fr. Al Krzyzopolski will be celebrating a 10:00 AM Mass prior to the dinner.



**Sunday, September 11<sup>th</sup> ~ Beginning with 10:30 AM Mass**  
A 100 Year Anniversary Celebration of SS&J Church Cornerstone

**Order your Commemorative T-Shirts:** Order forms available in church entrance or at the Personal Touch. Proceeds go to the Elevator Fund.

**Are you 80 years of age or older? Baptized as a child at SS&J? AND Been a continuous member of SS&J?** If yes, We would like to recognize you at our celebration; please let us know by calling Libby Heinemann at 997-2654 or email: lheinemann55@gmail.com

**Still looking for Pictures/Information** that will tell the story of our parish. If you have some pictures, articles, etc. that could be displayed, please call Brenna LeBrun (997-5235) or benlebrun@svtv.com Thank you.

**Church Replica Contest:** Use your imagination! Submit a replica of our church by September 11<sup>th</sup>. Prizes will be awarded per age category for creativity! One submission per person. Questions contact Libby Heinemann at 997-2654 or email: lheinemann55@gmail.com

**New Wine Retreat: Transformation Through God's Mercy ~ Sept. 12-16**

Like a fine wine blending three grape varieties – we will focus on Personal Prayer, God's Mercy, and the Gifts of the Holy Spirit; it will yield deeper purpose & faith in our lives, inspiring us to bear into the world the hope of God, which is Jesus Christ crucified. Directed by Fr. Roger Geditz. Register at [www.AbbeyOfTheHills.com](http://www.AbbeyOfTheHills.com)

**21<sup>st</sup> Annual "Bishop's Charity Hunt":**

**Sept. 26 & 27 at Horseshoe "K" Ranch near Kimball, SD.** This is a truly memorable outing that includes lodging, breakfast, lunch, dinner, social, trap shoot, hunting, and pheasant cleaning. An additional bonus is fellowship with Bishop Swain and daily Mass. **This year, the Bishop's Charity Hunt benefits the Newman Catholic Campus Ministry in our diocese.** Whether you bring your close friends, your parents or your son/daughters, it's an opportunity to share fellowship, faith and have fun making lasting memories, while raising money for an amazing cause. For more information or to register please contact the Catholic Community Foundation at 605-988-3765 or 1-888-246-3386 or at [www.ccfesd.org](http://www.ccfesd.org)

**Diocesan Youth Hunt: Sat., Oct. 1st at Abbey of the Hills, near Marvin, SD.**

The Youth Hunt is a great way to celebrate faith, family, and tradition in the context of responsible stewardship for God's creation. There will be opportunities for prayer, fellowship, education, and all the excitement surrounding a hunt, including family fun activities for non-hunting family members. For more information and to register visit [www.sfcatholic.org/RespectLife](http://www.sfcatholic.org/RespectLife) or 988-3755.

Father Flood



**The Catholic Diocese of Sioux Falls is offering Religious Education classes for students entering grades 7-12 with diverse learning needs.**

COOL Kids (Children of Our Lord) is set to meet one Sunday a month at St. Terese Parish in Sioux Falls. This year, along with exploring our faith through modified lessons, we will be preparing for confirmation. Our first meeting date will be **Sunday September 18th - 2:00 p.m.** If you have a child or know of a child who would benefit from this program please contact Maggie Price at [mprice@sfcatholic.org](mailto:mprice@sfcatholic.org).

**The Catholic's DIVORCE SURVIVAL Guide- Fall Session**

begins **Wednesday, September 14 ~ 6:30-8:30 PM** at St. Mary School, 2001 S 5th Ave, Sioux Falls. Cost -\$45 per person includes a "Personal Survival Guide", refreshments and all materials for six weeks. For information or to register contact Margi at Catholic Family Services, 988-3775 [mculhane@sfcatholic.org](mailto:mculhane@sfcatholic.org) Scholarships available.

**Consider being a deacon:** A new class is beginning in September 2017 for those men interested in becoming Permanent Deacons. If you feel called to the diaconate or know someone who may be interested, please contact Deacon Roger R Heidt, 988-3715 or [rheidt@sfcatholic.org](mailto:rheidt@sfcatholic.org).

**Visit the World Famous Village of Boys Town!** A one day bus trip on Sat., Sept. 24 to see the square mile where kids are saved and families healed through the vision of Father Flanagan. **Everyone over age 18 invited.** The trip cost of \$55 includes bus, tips, snacks, lunch and tours. Hosted by St. Patricia CDA. Call Alice at 332-5244 or Betty at 334-3093 for registration information.

**Grief Programs:** To register, call Catholic Family Services at 1-800-700-7867; 605-988-3775 or [sfcatholic.org/cfs](http://sfcatholic.org/cfs) for information about any CFS event or counseling needs.

~ **Grieving the Loss of a Parent or Sibling- September 20 - October 25.** Tuesdays 6:30- 8:30 PM for six weeks. Located at Catholic Family Service, 523 N. Duluth Ave, SF. For adults grieving the loss of a parent or sibling.

~ **Grieving The Loss Of A Loved One** Weekend Non-Denominational Retreat for adults who have lost a loved one and are trying to understand and reconcile their grief. **September 9-11** at Broom Tree Retreat Center.

~ **One Day Retreat for Grieving the Loss of a Loved One: Saturday, September 17 from 1:00-4:00 PM** at **Avera St. Mary's Hospital, Pierre, SD.** Directed by Dr. Marcie Moran. This retreat is for adults who have lost a loved one and are trying to understand and reconcile their grief. Non-denominational and offered free of charge.

**Salad Luncheon:** Sept. 8 - Noon. Our Savior's Lutheran, Flandreau. All women are invited. Tom Ehrichs will speak on his trip to Israel.

**Turkey Dinner:** Sept. 18, 11:00-2:00; St. Mary, Dell Rapids.

**Roast Beef Dinner:** Sept. 25, 11:00-1:00; St. Peter, Colman.