

STEWARDSHIP SPOT: The gifts of God that the angel brought to Elijah—food, water, rest and encouragement—were given, not for his own good alone, but to strengthen him for service. How am I using my gifts to serve others?



“Every life is a gift and has something unique to contribute to the world.”
– Pope Francis

Save the Date—
September 8th Faith,
Family and Fun Day---
Chili Cook-Off and
Corn Hole Tournament



~~~~~19 Sunday in Ordinary Time~~~~~

**Jn 6:41-51:** "I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world."



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The Holy Father's Intentions for the Month of August 2024: For political leaders:

We pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and for the common good, especially caring for the poor and those who have lost their jobs.

AN ACT OF CONTRITION (*outside the confessional*): O my God, I am heartily sorry for having offended Thee, and I detest all my sins because I dread the loss of Heaven and the pains of hell, but most of all because they [have] offend[ed] Thee, my God, Who art all good and deserving of all my love. I firmly resolve, with the help of Thy grace, to confess my sins, to do penance, and to amend my life. Amen



the third year of the National Eucharistic Revival: The Year of Mission. WALK WITH ONE

We pray that Catholics may place the celebration of the

Eucharist at the heart of their lives, transforming human relationships in a very deep way and opening to the encounter with God and all their brothers and sisters.

Pope Francis

news and resources at <https://www.rapidcitydiocese.org/>

ANIMA CHRISTI: Soul of Christ, sanctify me; Body of Christ, save me; Blood of Christ, inebriate me; Water from the side of Christ, wash over me; Passion of Christ, strengthen me; O good Jesus, hear me; Within your wounds hide me; Separated from You, let me never be; From the evil one protect me; At the hour of my death, call me; And close to You bid me; That with your saints, I may be, praising You forever and ever.
Amen.

**~Monthly Devotion for August~
the Immaculate Heart of Mary**

Holy Mary,
mother fair,
Filled with love for
God,
Pray for us in all
our needs.
Pray for us today.
Amen.



Catholics Returning Home

We welcome returning Catholics who are here to worship with us today. We have a special program for non-practicing Catholics who may be considering a return to the Church. The **Catholics Returning Home** program begins Saturday, Sept. 7, 2024 @ 10-11:30AM at St. John's in Custer. For more information call Lynda Davis, (605) 745-3988.

Bishop-elect Scott Bullock will be Ordained and Installed as the 10th Bishop of Rapid City at **4:00 p.m.** on Monday, **September 23rd** at the Cathedral of Our Lady of Perpetual Help.

