

STEWARDSHIP SPOT: Even though we are told that if we seek the Lord, we shall not want, in the second reading St. Paul reminds us that, thus blessed by the Lord, the good steward should “give thanks to God the Father always and for everything in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.”



“A person’s a person, no matter how small.”

– Dr. Seuss

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



~~~~~20 Sunday in Ordinary Time~~~~~

**Jn 6:51-58:** "Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him."



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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



Jesus is calling us back to our *first* love for a new Pentecost. Your life -and our church- will never be the same! Join us in

prayer as the fires of revival sweep across our country.

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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.

Mother and Queen of Heaven,
this day I run to you as a child with confidence and trust. You are the glorious Queen Mother,



reigning over all of your children with love and mercy. Please pray for me, and bestow upon me all that I need. I open my heart to the grace of your Son, which you are entrusted to dispense. Make me holy and free from sin, so you can present me spotless and pure to your beloved Son, the King of the Universe. Queen of Heaven, pray for me. Jesus, I trust in You.

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.

• **Prayer tip:** If one finds oneself unsettled during prayer, make a quick prayer to the Sacred Heart of Jesus for the grace to pray well and without distraction.