THE CHURCH OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

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WEEKLY CALENDAR & MASS INTENTIONS

Visit the National <u>www.EucharisticRevival.org</u> site today!

Fourth Week in Ordinary Time

Fr Igwilo in Hot Springs

2/3	Mon.	7:00A	Office of Readings & Morning Prayer
		5·30I	KC's Rosary

2/4 Tues. 7:00A OR & Morning Prayer

2/5 Wed. 7:00A OR & Morning Prayer

2/6 Thurs. 7:00A OR & Morning Prayer

2/7 Fri. 7:00A <u>Holy Communion Service</u>

First Friday

2/8 Sat. 7:30A Most Holy Rosary for Life

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:30P Sun. Vigil Mass

(Int.: Sheryl Schwartz†)

2/9 Sun. 8:00A Sun. Mass:

(Int.: *Pro Populo* ["for the People" of the Parishes])

Note: * indicates that incense will be burned.

Knights of Columbus Pancake
Breakfast is a fundraiser for the
programs supported by the
Knights. Please plan to attend
the next Sunday after Mass and bring
someone else from your pew!

Please bring your old palms to church and leave in the basket in the back.



Scan the QR code to visit our online giving page.

And my God will meet all your needs according to the riches of his glory in Christ Jesus. Philippians 4:10

FINANCIAL SUPPO	:	through January 26 2025				
General Collection	\$	1,635.04	Anawim Fund	\$	50.00	
- via e-giving	\$	234.44	Major Capital Fund	\$	0.00	
Adopt-A-Seminarian	\$	20.00	Votive Candles	\$	73.84	
Special Collections			Gathering Area	\$	60.00	
Ch. In Latin Amer.	\$	20.00	Solemnity of Mary	\$	10.00	
General Fund Income, Actual (to date) : \$120,237.09						
General Fund Income, Budgeted (to date)					06,256.00	
Difference of YtD Actual against Budgeted (+/-)					3,981.09	

Note: Avg. \$3,664/week needed for FY25 budgeted income.



EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

– an opportunity to pray before our Eucharistic Lord. "Lord Jesus Christ, pierce my soul with your love so that I may always long for you alone, who are the bread of angels and the fulfillment of the soul's deepest desires. may be filled with the sweetness of your presence."

IN THE CHARITY OF YOUR PRAYERS:

Martha Coyler†, James Dillon, Fr. Dan Juelfs†, Jean Kayl†, Glen Kostelecky, Bea Henry†, Joanne Mason, Florence & John† Murphy, Jerry Oehlerking, Jack Sayles, Duke Schneller, Rhonda Snyder, Terry & Bill† Wakeland, Dorothy Wehrkamp†, Shirley Whittington†, Bill & Linda Young, Madelyn Zeltinger & all residents of MH's facilities in Custer.

DID YOU KNOW WE HAVE A HOMEBOUND MINISTRY??

If you know of anyone who is homebound and would like to have someone bring them the Holy Eucharist, please let Dn. Pat Coy know and he can assign a Eucharistic Minister to them



Come join in the Prayer of the Rosary before Mass. Saturday at 4:55pm & Sunday at 7:25am. And with the KC's on Mondays at 5:30pm

-Steubenville of the Rockies, kids grades 8-12, July 25-27. Trying to get all costs covered for attendees. Sign up today as tickets need to be purchased this week. Contact the Parish Office or Sophie May 281.881.4192

Thank you to all who sent cards and joined me for supper last week. It has been my priviledge to direct the choir all these years. I will miss that.

Colleen Mahrt

STEWARDSHIP SPOT: When Mary and Joseph brought Jesus to the Temple, they offered a sacrificial gift "in accord with the dictate in the law of the lord." An offering of a specific size or kind is not "dictated" when we bring our gifts to the altar at Mass. Is my gift reflective of the many blessings I have received?



"I call heaven and earth as witnesses today against you, *that* I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing; therefore choose life, that both

you and your descendants may live." Deut. 30:19

-- Presentation of the Lord--

Luke 2:23-40: My eyes have seen your salvation.



Marriage Matters Retreat: a time of intentional growth for married couples. February 7, 8, and 9, 2025 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Spearfish, SD. Create space to focus on your relationship. Retreat covers prayer, communication, love languages, emotional needs, conflict resolution, renewal, and balance. \$200 per couple, Meals included/lodging separate. Register using QR Code or at www.cssrapidcity.com/mm. Sponsored by Catholic Social Services.

Kim May and Terry Wakeland are in the process of updating the Parish Directory. We will be accepting your own photo(INCLUDE CONTACT INFO) through February. Please email them to us at sjbcuster@gmail.com. We can also take a recent photo for you if need be. Contact Kim @ 281-881-2905 or Terry @209-598-5479 If you know any Snowbirds, please pass information on to them. Thanks, and God bless.



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

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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.



A word of hope

The Month of February is dedicated to the Holy Family



Thank you to all those who participated in the first parish BINGO in many years. It was a huge success with nearly 50 people in attendance and we raised money for a great cause. February's calendar is quite full of events so the next BINGO won't be until **Feb. 23, 1-3pm** with money going to send some SJB kids to a fantastic youth conference at **Steubenville of the Rockies.**

Looking to enjoy the Super Bowl regardless of who wins or even if you don't like football? Come to the **SJB Super Bowl party on Feb. 9 starting at 3pm** in the Parish Hall. The game will be on but we will also have corn hole, boardgames, football pool, face decorating and more!! Fun for everyone. Bring a Friend!! Food sign-up sheet is posted in Church Entrance.