

Sacred Heart Parish

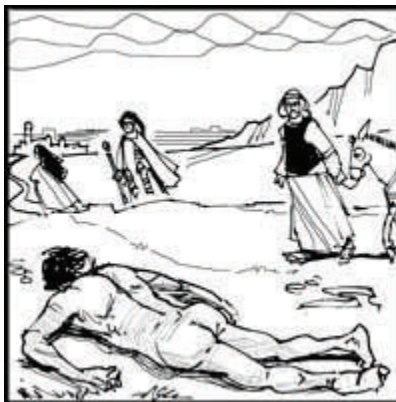
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“Who is my neighbor?”

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JULY 11, 2010

Pastor.....Fr. Edward J. Pierce
Associate Pastor.....Fr. Kevin Zilverberg
Deacon.....Rev. Mr. Dick Kelley
Deacon.....Rev. Mr. Mike Wambach
Bookkeeper.....Kris Rehfeld
Secretary.....Mary Wanner
Office Manager.....Anna Lacher
CCD Coordinators.....Michele Coughlin/Dawn Wanttie
Home Ministries.....Sharon Gould
Maintenance Custodian.....Dennis Sahli
Housekeeper.....Marge Guhin
Music Director/Organist.....Charlene Blondo

Sunday Liturgies

Saturday.....5:00 p.m.
Sunday.....7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

Weekday Masses (check schedule inside)

Office hours.....Monday thru Friday - 8:30 a.m.—4:30 p.m.

Youth Groups – Sundays in Parish Hall

Grades 7-12.....7:00 p.m.—9:00 p.m.
Aberdeen Catholic Schools

Aberdeen Catholic Education Office.....226-2100
Roncalli Primary School.....225-3460
Roncalli Elementary School.....229-4100
Roncalli Jr. & Sr. High School.....225-7440

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Thursday.....4:30 - 5:00 p.m.
Saturday.....3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Mon.-Fri.....6:30 - 6:50 a.m.
Saturday.....7:45 - 8:05 a.m.

BAPTISMS: Pre-Baptism Class for parents required before all Baptisms. Classes are the second Thu. of the month. Next session, August 12th at 7:00 p.m. at Roncalli Elementary School. Please call the parish office to register.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION: Couples planning marriage must contact their priest at least 6 months before the wedding day. A year in advance is not too early.



**FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
July 11, 2010**

Schedule of Masses

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| Monday | 7:00 a.m. | +Lucinda Finley |
| Tuesday | St. Henry 7:00 a.m. | +James Kostner |
| Wednesday | Blessed Kateri Tekawitha 7:00 a.m. | Catholic Aid #136 Liv/ Dec |
| Thursday | St. Bonaventure 7:00 a.m. | +Carole Maloney |
| Friday | Our Lady of Mount Carmel 7:00 a.m. | +Special Intention |
| Saturday | BVM 8:15 a.m. | Int. Stacy Levsen |

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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| Saturday | 5:00 p.m. | +Milbert Jung |
| Sunday | 7:30 a.m. | For Our Parish |
| | 9:30 a.m. | +James May |
| | 11:30 a.m. | +Veronica Brendel |

LECTORS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

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| For the weekend of July 17 th and July 18 th | | |
| Saturday | 5:00 pm | Lu Murphy See Schedule |
| Sunday | 7:30 am. | Paul Hoerner See Schedule |
| Sunday | 9:30 a.m. | Leo Schatz See Schedule |
| Sunday | 11:30 a.m. | Georgia Fossum See Schedule |

ALTAR SERVERS

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| For the weekend of July 17 th and July 18 th | |
| Saturday | 5:00 p.m. Catherine/Danielle Hintz, Teagan Hughes |
| Sunday | 7:30 a.m. Christy/Lynn Renner, Anna Sayler |
| | 9:30 a.m. Eric/Ryan Marnette, Trevor Zens |
| | 11:30a.m. Mary Merxbauer, Emily Schock, Kaitlyn Stellingwerf |

GREETERS

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| For the weekend of July 17 th and July 18 th | |
| Saturday | 5:00 pm. Vicky Meginness, Madeline Hartman, Deb Peterson, |
| Sunday | 7:30 am Scott/Sharon Goodspeed, Robert Hixon, Loretta Grote |
| | 9:30 am Bermice Wald, Tonya Senger, Dan/Penny Malsam |
| | 11:30 am Deb Kambel, Kathy Carter, Gene/Corliss Morris |

VAN DRIVER THIS WEEK

Sun., July 18th Jeff Steele – 226-0696

Traveling Icon for Vocations.

Mike Sayler will have the icon July 11th – July 17th, Mildred Dumer will have the icon July 18th—July 24th.



FROM THE PASTOR...

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Throughout this past year of the priest we have read various articles critical of the church for one reason or another. When I came across this article, I found the thoughts reassuring and wanted to share it with you.

Excerpts of an article written by non-Catholic Sam Miller – a prominent Cleveland Jewish businessman: “Why would newspapers carry on a vendetta on one of the most important institutions that we have today in the U.S, namely the Catholic Church?”

Do you know – the Catholic Church educates 2.6 million students everyday at the cost to that church of 10 billion dollars, and a savings on the other hand to the American taxpayer of 18 billion dollars. The graduates go on to graduate studies at the rate of 92%. The Church has 230 colleges and universities in the U.S. with an enrollment of 700,000 students.

The Catholic Church has a non-profit hospital system of 637 hospitals, which account for hospital treatment of 1 out of every 5 people – not just Catholic – in the United States today.

Yet the press has blamed the disease of pedophilia on the Catholic Church, which is as irresponsible as blaming adultery on the institution of marriage.

Let me give you some figures that Catholics should know and remember. For example, 12% of the 300 Protestant clergy surveyed admitted to sexual relations with a parishioner. While 1.7% of the Catholic clergy has been found guilty of pedophilia, 10% of the Protestant ministers have been found guilty of pedophilia. This is not a Catholic Problem.

A study of American priests showed that most are happy in the priesthood and find it even better than they had expected, and that most, if given the choice, would choose to be priests again in face of all this obnoxious PR the church has been receiving. The Catholic Church is bleeding from self-inflicted wounds. The agony that Catholics have felt and suffered is not necessarily the fault of the Church. You have been hurt by a small number of wayward priests that have probably been totally weeded out by now.

Fr. Ed Pierce

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!
2010 Sacred Heart Parish Market Street Bazaar

Saturday, October 9, 2010
Sunday, October 10, 2010

Check us out on Facebook!!!

STEWARDSHIP

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| Last Week's Collection | \$15,207.47 |
| Youth envelopes | \$102.02 |
| CFSA Pledged | \$101,747.00 |
| CFSA Paid | \$80,425.00 |
| Geo-Thermal Goal | \$467,581.35 |
| Amount paid | \$416,717.68 |

Debt Reduction Crusade

We took in \$693.00 this week.

We started our *Crusade last June* at \$898,652.00. Our daily interest is \$116.47. As of 5/13/10 our debt balance is \$772,962.41.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Sunday, July 11th

Breakfast will resume in the fall.

Youth Groups: No meetings this month

Wednesday, July 7th

VAN DRIVERS NEEDED!! Do you need a ride to 9:30 a.m. Mass? Call Jeff at 226-0696

RONCALLI NEARLY NEW:

Thank you for your donations and support. Stop in and shop our Crazy Day specials each business day this week. *Roncalli Nearly New, Aberdeen, Open Tues, Wed, Thurs. and Sat. from 12:00 to 4:00.*

Family Faith Formation – JULY 11th

Theme: "Go and do the same!"

Listen to the Word: As you hear this reading, what words or phrases strike you? What in this reading touches your heart? What lingers in your memory?

Question for Children: Jesus tells us to love today. Name a time when you showed your love for your family or friends during the past week or two.

Question for Youth: The Samaritan reached out to a stranger and helped him. Who are the strangers who you could reach out and help in the coming week or month? How will you respond?

Question for Adults: Jesus tells us today to love God, our neighbor and our self. How will you love God this week? How will you love your neighbor this week? How will you love yourself this week?

PLEASE REMEMBER TO DRESS MODESTLY FOR MASS.

It is inappropriate to wear low cut shirts, tops with no or thin straps, short skirts, skirts with slits, shorts and other immodest apparel to the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. (It is a distraction to others and disrespectful to Christ Our Lord) Please refrain from gum and mints in Church. Besides being inappropriate, it also breaks the one hour fast before receiving Jesus in Holy Communion.

SUPPORT AND HELP

Project Rachel is for women and men who suffer from the pain of previous abortions. Call 1-800-700-7867.

Natural Family Planning Classes: Learn more about a way of responsible parenthood that is supported by the Catholic Church. Call 226-2232 or Sacred Heart at 225-7065.

Annulments: A possible 2nd chance for marriage in the Catholic Church. For more info, call Sacred Heart 225-7065.

Catholic Family Services: Call 226-1304.

Marriage Encounter: to make a good marriage better!

Web site is www.wwme.org or call 362-0924.

Retrouvaille: Help for hurting marriages. Call 988-3763 or 988-3776 or 2021@retrouvaille.org for more information.

Pregnant? Alone? Afraid?: Call BIRTHRIGHT at 229-0258. We are open from 1-4 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Thursdays of each week.

2010 Public Square Rosary Crusade: Currently, the United States is suffering from the sins of abortion, homosexuality, impure fashions and immoral laws. Moreover, secularism attempts to remove God from society. Without God, where will our leaders get the wisdom to solve the great problems we face? We must ask God, through the Rosary of His Most Holy Mother to save America. Location: Home Federal Bank in K-Mart Parking Lot. When: 1:00 p.m. July 17, Aug 14, Sept. 18, and Oct. 16th.

Questions and Answers on the Cathedral Restoration

Why are there statues of pelicans in the Cathedral? The symbolism of the mother pelican feeding her young pelicans comes from a legend which said that in times of famine the mother pelican would wound herself by striking her breast with her beak in order to feed her young with her blood and to keep them from starving to death. Early on Christians applied this legend to Jesus and His own self-sacrifice for our redemption. He died that we might have life. The legend also serves as an image for the Eucharist: Jesus feeds us with his own flesh blood to keep us spiritually alive.

MAKE YOUR PLANS NOW

RENOWNED CATHOLIC SPEAKER, DR. SCOTT HAHN, IS COMING TO SACRED HEART CHURCH AUGUST 13TH & 14TH. YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS THIS SPECIAL EVENT SPONSORED BY OUR PARISH!

Hours: 6:00 pm—9:45pm Saturday,

8:15am-12:30pm Sunday

For complete information on the event, please see: www.eventsinsd.com

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Mon. Is 1:10-17 Ps 50:8-9,16bc-17,21-23 Mt 10:34-11:1
Pray for the deceased members of Sacred Heart
- Tue. Is 7:1-9 Ps 48:2-8 Mt 11:20-24
Pray for the homebound
- Wed: Is 10:5-7,13b-16 Ps 94:5-10,14-15 Mt 11:25-27
Pray for the members of our Parish Council
- Thur Is 26:7-9,12,16-19 Ps 102:13-14ab,15-21 Mt 11:28-30
Pray for all who have had abortions
- Fri. Is 38:1-6,21-22,7-8 Is 38:10-12,16
Pray for all priests and religious
- Sat. Mi 2:1-5 Ps10:1-4,7-8,14 Mt 12:14-21
Pray for all victims of abuse
- Sun. Gn 18:1-10a Ps 15:2-5 Col 1:24-28 Lk 10:38-42
.Pray for all victims of war

MEET THE SEMINARIANS



Daniel Ryan— Born in Omaha and raised in Wessington Springs, SD by Pat and Theresa Hoarty along with his siblings: Tony, Tom, Elizabeth, Hilary (twin sister), Ian and Logan. Daniel attended Wessington Springs High School before going on to St. John Vianney Seminary at the University of St. Thomas in St. Paul,

Minnesota. He is currently studying for a double major in Philosophy and Catholic Studies. For the past 2 summers, Daniel has worked as a Totus Tuus Teacher for Diocese. When he is not studying, Daniel enjoys playing music on the piano, trombone and guitar, hiking and reading.

Open Positions

Aberdeen Catholic School System

Aberdeen Roncalli Catholic School System has an opening for a full time, year round teacher. Duties include: Pre-school teacher, after school and summer teacher/coordinator. Position closes July 16, 2010. To apply, submit letter of interest, resume, application, transcripts, credentials and a copy of current teacher's certificate to ACSS, 1400 N Dakota St., Aberdeen, SD 57401. Application may be accessed at aberdeenroncalli.org.

Aberdeen Catholic Schools has two part-time openings in the food service department to assist with preparation and serving of meals at the Primary School. Hours are approximately 3 hours each day that school is in session. For more information and an application, contact Vickie Haiar at 226-2100 or complete uncertified staff application on our website at www.aberdeenroncalli.org and return it to 1400 North Dakota Street, Aberdeen, SD.



LIGHT OF THE WORLD

LOTW asks for parish family prayers for safe travel and a fulfilling experience for leadership members who are preparing for a trip to the National Conference in Batavia, IL mid July. Learning and experiencing is key in keeping the program enriched & alive within the lives of each participant as well as the entire parish! Please join us prayerfully! To become involved in LOTW join us at the next weekend retreat Sept. 11-12, 2010 right here in Sacred Heart Parish! What joy!

Save this date...Sunday, August 15, 2010 from 4-7 at Wylie Park Birdhouse LOTW participants will be gathering to picnic and enjoy each other's families and company! Watch for more information coming up!

Fall 2010 Weekend retreat dates are Sept. 11-12th. All are welcome with JOY!

INTER-PARISH

Family Rosary – Tue., July 13th at 7:00 p.m. at Sacred Heart.

Aberdeen Right to Life: There will be no July meeting. Regular meetings will resume on Thursday, August 5th at 7:00 p.m. All subsequent meetings will meet on the 1st Thursday of the month in the Brown County Courthouse basement.

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

“My hour spent with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is a quiet, peaceful time in His presence. My hour is 3-4 p.m., the time Our Lord died for us. He promised His divine mercy at the time of our death if the Chaplet of Divine Mercy is said at that time. This is a great comfort to me.” (Marilyn Batch) Open hours of Adoration are 12 -1 a.m. Sundays and 3-4 a.m. on Mondays. Call Theresa @ 226-0838 or Mary at 225-6001.

WE AS A COMMUNITY

Welcome into the Body of Christ Gabriella Anne Martinez son of Eduardo and Jodi Martinez July 3rd) who was initiated into the Christian Mystery through Baptism.

A FAMILY PERSPECTIVEby Bud Ozar

All the characters in today's gospel are within us. Like the Levite we can ignore the problem and “cross to the other side.” Or we can be like the Samaritan, focus on the person and “approach and care for him.” A healthy family looks beyond the problem to the person who is “stripped and beaten.”: We expect our family to “bind our wounds.”

RONCALLI UNIFORM SALE is Monday, July 12th at Roncalli Primary School, 419-1st Ave. N.E. from 3-7 p.m.