



# Pentecost Sunday



May 15, 2016

Dear Parish Family,

**Weekly Adoration:** Beginning last week Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament was resumed on Tuesdays, starting at the conclusion of Mass and continuing until 8pm. I want to thank those who so faithfully each week spend time in adoration, prayer, and reparation for the needs of the Church and world. Have you ever felt the need to spend some time in quiet prayer? Maybe weekly adoration is just the invitation you should accept. Spending time in silence, listening to God speak to your heart and mind is a powerful way to find peace, and healing. I am personally asking and inviting you all to consider taking one of the hours throughout the day. Please call Jenny at the office to find out which hours need adorers, or which hour you will be willing to cover, even as a substitute.

**Rectory Housekeeper:** I am looking for a housekeeper for Holy Family rectory. If you are interested please let me know, and I will be happy to share details, expectations and wages. Thank you!

**Summer Deacon Internship:** Bishop Swain has invited Holy Family to host one of the newly ordained deacons for the summer at Holy Family. I am happy to report that Deacon Andrew Thuringer, will be spending about 8 weeks with us. Deacon Andrew will be ordained Thursday May 26th at 11:00am at St. Joseph Cathedral in Sioux Falls. One of the expectations of his summer assignment is home visits. If you would like to host him for supper please let me know.

**Bids for Kids:** Thank you, thank you, thank you, to one and all who made last Friday such a great event!

**Summer....** Graduations, weddings, summer vacations are soon to begin. Plan well for some much needed family time, and time for rest. Make Sunday Mass a priority, even when not easy; God will bless you for your faithfulness to Him!

Peace to you and yours!

Fr. Stevens



**We Welcome through the Living Waters of Baptism:**  
NOLAN VINCENT, son of Joshua & Corttany (Sandmann) Lockett. May God shower you with an abundance of His grace and blessings.



*Holy Family wishes to Congratulate  
Alexa Duling & Shea Williams*

*who were united in marriage at Holy Family last weekend.  
May the Lord bless you both as you begin your  
vocation of married life.*

*Congratulations to...*

*Jack & Eileen Toman who celebrated 55 years of  
marriage last Sunday. May the Lord bless you with  
many more blissful years together.*



## PARISH COLLECTION



Envelopes: \$11,626.00 (340 parishioners)  
Loose: \$ 1124.01  
Children: \$ 172.50

Total collected last week: \$12,922.51 Thank You!

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### CATHOLIC FAMILY SHARING APPEAL: (CFSA)

Our 2016 Goal: \$ 110,400  
Pledged thus far: \$ 69,590 (63%)  
Collected thus far: \$ 61,225 (55%)  
Parishioner response: 402 (37%)

Thank you to those who have so generously responded to this year's Catholic Family Sharing Appeal. **We need \$40,810.00 yet to reach our goal. The remaining balance is due to the diocese in June regardless if we make our parish goal and any shortfall will be paid out of the general fund.** If you have misplaced your card, please let the parish office staff know at 996-3639. Thank you.

**AUTOMATIC WITHDRAWALS FOR CONTRIBUTIONS (ACH):** If you would like to have your church contributions automatically deducted from your bank account each month, call the parish office at 996-3639. Forms can also be found on our website, [www.holyfamilymitchell.com](http://www.holyfamilymitchell.com) (under FORMS) that you can fill out and return to the parish office.

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**PARISH MEMBERSHIP:** We welcome those who are new to our parish and ask them to call the parish office for registration information, or if you are moving, please also notify the parish office at 996-3639.



### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every Tuesday from 8:30 AM to 8:00 PM

CONFESSIONS 5:30 - 6:30 PM

"EACH HOUR I SPEND WITH JESUS WILL DEEPEN  
HIS DIVINE MERCY WITHIN MY HEART"

Please note above that the Tuesday confession time has changed. ALSO, we are currently **IN NEED OF SCHEDULED ADORERS**, for the hours of **10-11 AM, 6-7 PM and 7-8 PM**. Please call the parish office at 996-3639 to volunteer.

## PARISH NEWS



WOW! Just WOW! I seriously do not have the words to explain the overwhelming sense of gratitude that still fills my heart today! Thank you hardly seems enough to say to each of you for making the first Bids for Kids event such an amazing success. I give thanks and praise to God for all the good He has done. I am still tying up loose ends, but I will share any figures I have as soon as I am able. My special thanks to some amazing ladies who had significant roles in making this event successful: Jodi Wilson, Renee LeBrun & Julie Krall. Blessings on your week! --Nicole Fuhrer - MFCE Director

**REMINDER:** Training for NEW and CURRENT Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion will take place on May 25th @ 5:30 and 7:00pm and June 1st @ 5:30pm and 7:00pm.

**DIRECTORY PHOTOS:** Those who had not purchased pictures from Lifetouch may pick up their free 8X10 photo during parish office hours which are 8:30 to 4:30 Mon-Fri. **ALSO: Those who had submitted pictures for the directory may now pick them up in the parish office.**

**ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING:** Tuesday, May 17<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM in the church basement. Ladies of the parish are welcome to attend.

SCRIP WILL BE SOLD IN THE GATHERING SPACE  
AFTER ALL MASSES THIS WEEKEND

## AREA HAPPENINGS

*A special welcome this weekend to members of the Notre Dame Class of 1956 who are gathered together in Mitchell this weekend!*

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**Totus Tuus** : The focus of Totus Tuus is 1-The Eucharist, 2-Marian Devotion, 3-Catechetical Instruction, 4-Vocational Discernment, 5-Parish Support & Training, and 6-Fun! *We hope many young people from the parishes will participate in Totus Tuus this June 26-30.*

**Day Session:** Monday-Thursday, June 27-30 from 9:00am-2:30pm daily for youth entering Grades 1-6 this fall. This will be held in John Paul II School MPR. This year's theme is Prayer (Our Father) & Glorious Mysteries of Rosary.

**Evening Session:** Sunday-Wednesday, June 26-29 from 7:30-9:30pm daily for youth in Gr. 7-12, held at Holy Family Church.

**Cost:** The cost will be \$20 per child, non-refundable. Information and Registration forms are available at the Faith Formation Office and online at [www.ffmitchell.com](http://www.ffmitchell.com).

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### DAYCARE POSITION AVAILABLE

John Paul II Elementary School is currently seeking a full-time Daycare Supervisor for the 2016-2017 school year. We are searching for a person who will be responsible for providing a safe and developmentally appropriate daycare environment including academics, faith-based activities, and social activities for 3 – 5 year old children in our newly added daycare setting. This position will follow the nine month school schedule. All applicants can find an application form on our website [www.johnpaul2.org](http://www.johnpaul2.org) or stop in to the school office to inquire. Applications are due on Wednesday, May 18, 2016. Please send or deliver to: John Paul II School, 1510 West Elm Avenue, Mitchell, SD 57301

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### FREE FOOD FOR SENIORS IN NEED

**FEEDING SOUTH DAKOTA** Are you a senior citizen at least 60 years of age on a fixed income? Having to choose between groceries and medication, or other bills each month? The Senior Box Program, a USDA Commodity Supplement Food Program through Feeding South Dakota, distributes *free* food to limited income senior citizens. The boxes average 25-27 pounds of food, and contain at a minimum: Juice, shelf-stable or powdered milk, cereal, canned fruits, canned vegetables, pasta or rice, a canned meat or entrée such as beef stew or chili. **ELIGIBILITY:** \* Over 60 years old \* 130% of federal poverty level (monthly household income of \$1276 per month for one person, \$1726 for two) Those interested in learning more or would like to sign up to receive a monthly box of food should contact the Mitchell Food Pantry, PO Box 815, Mitchell, SD or call 999-8150.

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**FOOD PANTRY NEEDS:** Peanut Butter, Pasta, Hamburger/Tuna Helper, Tuna, Chili Beans, Mac & Cheese, Dinner Sides, Vegetables, Canned Fruit, Juice and Desserts (Brownies, Cake, Cookies). **Please place food donations in the container in the main entrance of the Gathering Space or bring to the Food Pantry at 724 N Sanborn Blvd. Monetary donations may be mailed to: Mitchell Area Food Pantry, PO Box 815, Mitchell, SD 57301.**

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### Pilgrimage planned to Our Lady of Guadalupe

A seven day Mexican pilgrimage will be led by Bishop Paul J. Swain on the occasion of the 10th anniversary of his ordination as a bishop, October 23-29. The pilgrimage will include stops at the various sites related to Our Lady of Guadalupe. See the parish office for additional information or call Peter's Way at 800-225-7662.

## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

05/17	8:00am	d. James Heying
05/18	8:00am	d. Ronald Kight
05/19	8:00am	d. Frank & Tillie Tucek
05/20	8:00am	d. Lt. Clinton Wermers
05/21	5:00pm	d. Mike Olinger
05/22	8:30am	For Holy Family Parish
	10:00am	d. Bernard Niehus
	11:30am	For Maurice & Estelle Bolgrean

## MINISTRY SCHEDULES

### Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers

05/21	5:00pm	L-S Kirby; EM-K Rubendall, S Loecker, V Weber, M Bittner, Volunteer
05/22	8:30am	L-J Feiner; EM-D&C Harrell, A Deinert, 2 Volunteers
	10:00am	L-N Sparks; EM-A Sparks, T&K Harrington, D Price, Volunteer
	11:30am	L-R Grimsley; EM-H&B Kelly, K Mohr, J Van Oort, Volunteer

### Mass Servers

05/21	5:00pm	C Trisco, A&E Vermeulen
05/22	8:30am	J&R VanDriel, Volunteer
	10:00am	K Thomas, B&B Sparks
	11:30am	A&E Driscoll, J King

### Ministers of Hospitality

05/21	5:00pm	B&J Freeman, S Grosz, C Janzing
05/22	8:30am	R&S Heying, R&D Kelly, D&S Kirkus
	10:00am	P&L Essig, J&J Heemstra, T&J Hohrman
	11:30am	H&L Andersen, T&M Day, Volunteer

## WEEKLY BULLETIN BOARD



05/15	<b>Pentecost Sunday</b> <b>Baccalaureate Mass</b> – 11:00am Mass – Holy Spirit Church
05/16	<b>Our Lady Rosary Makers</b> – 1pm – Conference Rm
05/17	<b>Eucharistic Adoration</b> – 8:30am to 8:00pm <b>Confessions</b> – 5:30pm to 6:30pm (Please note time change) <b>Properties Mtg</b> – 12pm – Conference Rm <b>Altar Society Mtg</b> – 7pm – Church Bsmt
05/20	<b>JP II School Mass</b> – 9am – Holy Spirit Church
05/21	<b>Confessions</b> – 3:30 to 4:30pm
05/22	<b>Trinity Sunday</b>

## OFFERINGS FROM CATHOLIC FAMILY SERVICES

### One Day Grief Retreat for 11-16 year olds:

Saturday, June 4, from 10:00am to 3:00pm at Catholic Family Services, 523 N Duluth Ave, Sioux Falls. The retreat is designed for those who've experienced the death of a loved one. There will be pizza, activities, discussion, and projects. Pre-registration is required. For questions or to register call Catholic Family Services at 605-988-3775

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**Catholic Family Services** invites you to join our *Living with Chronic Illness* group. This is an educational supportive group that meets the first Tuesday of each month from 1- 3p.m. for those living with chronic illness **and** their care givers at St. Lambert Parish, 1000 S. Bahnson Ave., Sioux Falls. Our next meeting will be June 7. For details please call Margie at Catholic Family Services, 605-988-3775.