

Welcome to **ST. MARY MAGDALENE PASTORATE** and the 7 parishes of St. Mary of Mercy, St. Stephen, St. Martin of Tours, Church of the Epiphany, St. Ann, St. Patrick, & St. Mary Help of Christians.

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**THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, NOVEMBER 10, 2024**



In honor of all military, past, present and future.

**HAPPY VETERAN'S DAY.**

Thank you for your service and sacrifice.  
God's Blessings to you today and always.



**32ND SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY TIME**

"Amen, I say to you,  
this poor widow put in  
more than all the other  
contributors to the treasury."  
- Mk 12:43



**I Wait for You .... The Light is On**

Each church is now open all the time, and with a light on so you can stop by any time and pay a visit to our Lord. It's why He sits there day after day, night after night – He waits for His sons and daughters to come to Him, to pay Him a visit, to spend time with Him, to speak to them.

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**To USE ANY OF THE 7 PARISH HALLS:**  
contact the St. Mary Magdalene Pastorate Office in Salem

**MASS TIMES:**

—ALEXANDRIA, ST. MARY OF MERCY—

220 5th St., Alexandria, SD

SATURDAY: 5:00 pm — only in even months

SUNDAY: 10:00 am — only in odd months

MONDAY: 8:30 am & WEDNESDAY: 6:30 pm

—ALEXANDRIA, CARMELITE MONASTERY—

DAILY: 7:30 am Mass (Extraordinary Form)

Fr. Lance Oser

Rosary & Benediction

Sunday at 3:15 pm Adoration

First Friday 9:00 am-5:00 pm

—BRIDGEWATER, ST. STEPHEN—

351 N. Juniper, Bridgewater, SD

SATURDAY: 5:00 pm — 1st Saturday only

in odd months

SUNDAY: 10:00 am — 1st Sunday only

in even months

WEDNESDAY: 9:00 am & FRIDAY: 8:30 am

—EMERY, ST. MARTIN OF TOURS—

342 3rd Ave., Emery, SD

SATURDAY: 5:00 pm — 2nd, 3rd, 4th & 5th

weekends only in odd months

SUNDAY: 10:00 am — 2nd, 3rd, 4th, & 5th

weekends only in even months

TUESDAY & THURSDAY: 8:30 am

—EPIPHANY, CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY—

106 Jackson St., Epiphany, SD

SUNDAY: 11:00 am

THURSDAY: 10:00 am

—HUMBOLDT, ST. ANN—

409 W. 4th Ave., Humboldt, SD

SUNDAY: 10:30 am

TUESDAY: 5:30 pm; WED. & FRI: 8:30 am

—MONTROSE, ST. PATRICK—

211 S. Church Ave., Montrose, SD

SATURDAY: 5:00 pm only in odd months

SUNDAY: 8:30 am

WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY: 8:30 am

—SALEM, ST. MARY HELP OF CHRISTIANS—

240 W. Vermont Ave., Salem, SD

SATURDAY: 5:00 pm only in even months

SUNDAY: 9:00 am

MONDAY: 5:30 pm; TUES. & THURS: 8:30 am

**CONFESSIONS:** SATURDAY: 4:20 pm for ½ hour  
before wherever Saturday evening Mass is.

SUNDAY: Alexandria, Bridgewater, Emery, Montrose, Salem; confessions begin 40 minutes before Mass and go for ½ hour. Epiphany & Humboldt: confessions after Mass until all are heard.

**HOLY DAYS:** as announced

**BAPTISM/CARE OF THE SICK/**

**MARRIAGE/RCIA:** Contact parish priest

**DISCIPLESHIP & EVANGELIZATION:**

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**BULLETIN:** Vicky Huls: mavhuls@triotel.net  
bulletin items due Mondays at 2:00 pm,  
(changes during holidays)

**BULLETIN ONLINE:** <https://www.salemcatholic.org>

**ST. MARY MAGDALENE BULLETIN:**

During the holidays, LPi (*the bulletin's printer*) requests early transmission, which means early deadlines.

**Nov. 17th** bulletin items **due 2pm, Mon., Nov. 11,** & sent to LPi, 9am, Wed., Nov. 13.

**Nov. 24th** bulletin items **due 2pm, Fri., Nov. 15,** & sent to LPi, 9am, Mon., Nov. 18.

**Dec. 1st** bulletin items **due 2pm, Wed., Nov. 20,** & sent to LPi, 9am, Fri., Nov. 22.

*Changes continue through January and all holidays.*

Email to: mavhuls@triotel.net

**Montrose/Humboldt Court St. Thomas #1533  
Catholic Daughters Meeting, November 18,  
7:15pm, St. Ann Hall, Humboldt.**

**ST. MARTIN/ST. STEPHEN  
CRE**

**CHRISTMAS PROGRAM,** soup supper and raffle will be Dec. 8, 2024. Program at 5:30 at the Church; supper serving at 4:30-7:30 pm at St. Martin Parish.

**ST. MARTIN'S PARENTS**

Please send names and addresses of college students of St. Martin Parish to Jean Clarke 605.360.1648; she will send them a Christmas gift from Sacred Heart League. Deadline: Nov. 25, 2024

**November 28,  
THANKSGIVING DAY,  
There will be 2 and  
only 2 Masses:  
9 am in Salem  
9am in Emery**

**PASTORATE COLLECTIONS\$  
FOR THE WEEK ENDING OF 11/3  
ALEXANDRIA-ST. MARY OF MERCY**

\$2,636.00

**BRIDGEWATER-ST. STEPHEN**  
\$5.00; wkend amount not available

**EMERY-ST. MARTIN OF TOURS**  
wkend amount not available

**EPIPHANY-CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY**  
\$985.00

**HUMBOLDT-ST. ANN**  
wkend amount not available

**MONTROSE-ST. PATRICK**  
\$750.00;

wkend amount not available

**SALEM-ST. MARY**

\$3,493.00

**ST. MARY MAGDALENE PASTORATE LITURGICAL SCHEDULES**

**ALEXANDRIA-ST. MARY OF MERCY**

**Sunday, November 17**

- ROSARY** Chris & Emily Ruden
- SERVERS** Tenly Slaba, Daniel Kayser, Will Jarding
- LECTOR** Donna Haiar
- E. MIN.** Ray & Brenda Slaba
- MUSIC** Sandy Kayser
- USHERS** Vince Kayser, Tate Schoenfelder
- MONEY** Peggy Weber, Kathy Hoffman

**MONTROSE-ST. PATRICK**

**Saturday, November 16**

- SERVERS** Carson & Casey Klinkhammer, Volunteer
- LECTOR** Dolly Lund-Collins
- OFFER.** Dorothy Erickson
- E. MIN.** JoAnn Thompson
- MUSIC** D & Heisel
- USHERS** Bob Erickson, Leo Hoiten
- SACRISTAN** Denny Vogel

**Sunday, November 17**

- SERVERS** Jake & Nathan Merrill, Hunter Thompson
- LECTOR** Barb Spicer
- OFFER.** Robert & Denise Erickson
- E. MIN.** Denny Vogel
- MUSIC** D & A Heisel
- USHERS** Robert Hoiten, Paul Klaudt
- SACRISTAN** Barb Spicer
- MONEY** Sarah McAreavey, Beth Odenbach

**EMERY-ST. MARTIN OF TOURS**

**Saturday, November 16**

- ROSARY** Jack & Theresa Catron
- SERVERS** Ben & Max Weber, Riley Weber
- LECTOR** Darrin Kayser
- E. MIN.** Kevin Janssen
- MUSIC** Rosalie Weber
- USHERS** Darrin Kayser, Carson Weber

**EPIPHANY-CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY**

**Sunday, November 17**

- ROSARY** Eichs
- SERVERS** Luke Endorf, Kannon Kampshoff
- LECTOR** Brooke Endorf
- E. MIN.** Leanne Eich
- OFFER.** Stan Koepsell Family
- MUSIC** Pat Koepsell, Rene Koepsell
- USHERS** Marlon Koepsell, Dick Krempges, Troy Loudenburg, Dave Schmitt

**SALEM-ST. MARY**

**Saturday, November 16**

- H. BD.** Carol McCormick
- Sunday, November 17**
- ROSARY** Crystal Wilkinson
- SERVERS** CJ & Jordan Hemmah, Earl Heumiller
- LECTOR** Randy Sabers
- E. MIN.** Todd Snyders, Sharon Lauck
- H. BD.** Dan & Luann McKillop
- USHERS** Dan McKillop, John Scheier, Pat Scheier, Kurt Bies
- MONEY** Jean Skaff, Barb Gottlob

**HUMBOLDT-ST. ANN**

**Sunday, November 17**

- ROSARY** Elsie Baye
- SERVERS** Abigail Even, Dawson & Brylee Garry
- LECTOR** Mary Garry
- E. MIN.** Charles & Donna Beck
- OFFER.** M & H Harden
- MUSIC** A Busser
- SACRISTAN** Jackie Lofswold
- USHERS** Tom Kaffar, Billy Kapperman
- MONEY** Charles & Paula Jarding, Elsie Baye

**SALEM, ST. MARY'S VISITS FOR THE  
LEGION OF MARY'S PILGRIM SHRINE**



\*For information on the Shrine call 425-3000

**Nov. 6-**Marc & Kate Harris,  
**Nov. 13-**Bob & Karen Martin,  
**Nov. 20-**Kurt & Kathy Stiefvater.

**PASTORATE PRAYER REQUESTS**



Lord hear our prayers

\*For more information call St. Mary's Office.



**ST. STEPHEN'S**

Theresa (Schallenkamp) Graff.

**ST. PATRICK'S**

Lisa Lund, Lainey Raap, Vince Bartmann, Chad Gordon, Paul Gordon, Larry Hohn, Bob Kerkhove, Jim & Kay Miles, Mary Ann (Healy) Tuschen, Sherry VanderZwaag.

**SALEM, ST. MARY'S**

Bob Martin, Pat Grady, Pat Huls, Kay Koch, Lori Erikson, Dianne Kampshoff, Raya Koch, Jean Schnider, Jim Tuschen, MaryAnn Tuschen, Dan Westhoff, Merlin Ziegmann.

14 day candles are available (\$10.00).  
Call the Pastorate Office.

**14 DAY CANDLES, SALEM, ST. MARY'S**

NOVEMBER 11-NOVEMBER 24

**THE MAIN ALTAR SANCTUARY CANDLE**

For the happy repose of the soul  
of Bob Weier.

**ALTAR OF THE HOLY FAMILY-BLUE CANDLES**

(LS) For the happy repose of the soul  
of Elizabeth Thompson.

(RS) For the happy repose of the soul  
of Karen Fendrich.

**ALTAR OF ST. ALOYSIUS-RED CANDLES**

(LS) For Holy Souls in Purgatory.

(RS) For Vocations.

**NEW WEEK-END MASS SCHEDULE**

**STARTING DEC. 7-8, 2024**

Even months below are: *February (2), April (4), June (6), August (8), October (10), and December (12)*

Odd months are: *January (1), March (3), May (5), July (7), September (9), November (11)*

Epiphany & Bridgewater: No weekend Mass.

St. Ann (Humboldt) Even months: Sunday, 8:30 am  
Odd months: Saturday, 5 pm

St. Patrick (Montrose) Even months: Saturday, 5 pm  
Odd months: Sunday, 8:30 am

St. Martin (Emery) Even months: Sunday, 8:30 am  
Odd months: Saturday, 5 pm

St. Mary (Alexandria) Even months: Saturday, 5 pm  
Odd months: Sunday, 8:30 am

St. Mary (Salem) Sunday, 10:30 am every week,  
No Saturday evening

When the last day of the month is a Saturday, the Sunday Mass determines the time & day of Mass. Whoever is scheduled for Sunday, gets Sunday and the other parish gets Saturday night.

Example: in September St. Ann (Humboldt) is scheduled for Saturday night, St. Patrick for Sunday. If September 30 falls on a Saturday, then St. Ann has Sunday and St. Patrick has Saturday evening (on Sept. 30) because St. Ann is scheduled for Sunday that weekend (October 1 and October is an even month).

**40 Hours Devotion at St. Thomas Aquinas Parish, Madison:**

St. Thomas Aquinas parish in Madison will be hosting a 40 Hours Devotion starting with the 10 am Mass on Sunday, Nov. 24 and running through Tuesday evening, Nov. 26. An exact schedule is posted on the bulletin board in each parish. I encourage you to attend. The 40 Hours Devotion dates all the way back to the 1500's. It consists *mainly* (though not solely) of Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with 40 straight, continuous hours of Adoration, day and night. Confession times will also be offered, as well as talks by Sr. Joseph Andrew Bogdanowicz of the Dominican Sisters of Mary, Mother of the Eucharist. This Dominican order is very faithful and I'm sure the talks will be excellent and thought-provoking. The devotion will conclude Tuesday evening with Benediction (6:45 pm), Mass at 7 pm, and veneration of a relic of St. Thomas Aquinas.

**Salem Knights of Columbus Meeting  
November 20, 6:30 pm, QP Rm**

**SERVER PRACTICE -- FOR ALL SERVERS:** There either is already or will soon be a sign-up sheet in the back of the church for server practice. There will be some small changes in serving practices so BOTH current servers and new servers will need to sign up for a practice session. Only those servers who come to a practice will be assigned as servers -- the list of those who come to a practice will be the new list of servers.

For current servers, this will not be a long practice and we can have any number of current servers come to practice at once. Current servers will only go over the changes. There will be a couple of dates offered for current servers.

For new servers: those currently in 4th grade and up are eligible. The goal is to have 3 (minimum of 2) practice at one time so they can actually walk through the Mass like they will do on weekends. So up to 3 kids can be signed up for a given time slot / practice session. Please don't add names beyond that.

Parents: please provide your contact information. There are notes and these will be emailed to parents, in addition to the hard copy that kids will get when they come to practice.

With the number of parishes, the expected number of kids per parish, and the limited number of days available for scheduling, it became clear that the priests were not going to be able to do the server practices in any kind of timely fashion. There is one lay person, then, who will be leading server practices at each parish: Alex Kayser (St. Mary, Alexandria), Jack Catron (St. Martin, Emery), Aaron Carlson (St. Ann, Humboldt), Denny Vogel (St. Patrick, Montrose), and Steve Leber (St. Mary, Salem). I'm very grateful for their willingness to help.

One last important note: for Epiphany and St. Stephen parishes -- parents, please have your kids sign up for server practice at the parish you expect to attend. They should probably sign up for one of the new server time slots since serving might be different than what they're used to at their current parish.

*God bless you, Fr. Kuhn.*

**PLEASE COME:** When the new Mass schedule is implemented, Epiphany and St. Stephen (Bridgewater) will no longer be getting a weekend Mass.

All parishioners from this pastorate are invited and encouraged to come to their last weekend Mass and stay for the meal afterwards in their parish hall. It is a great consolation to have others present at a time of loss.

The dates of their last weekend Masses are:

Epiphany: Sunday, Nov. 24, 11 am

St. Stephen: Sunday, Dec. 1, 10 am

**NEW WEEK-DAY MASS SCHEDULE**

**STARTING MONDAY, DEC. 9**

Epiphany Thursdays, 5:30 pm

St. Mary, Salem Mondays, 5:30 pm  
Fridays, 9:00 am

St. Patrick, Montrose Wednesdays, 9:00 am

St. Ann, Humboldt Tuesdays, 5:30 pm

St. Mary, Alexandria Tuesdays, 5:30 pm  
Mon.-Fri., 8:30 am

St. Martin, Emery Wednesdays, 9:00 am  
Fridays, 9:00 am

St. Stephen, Bridgewater Thursdays, 5:30 pm  
Wednesdays, 9:00 am



There is a **Rosary on Mondays**, 5pm at St. Mary's Church; a **Rosary on Tuesdays**, 9am at St. Stephen's Church and a **Rosary on Thursdays**, 7pm at St. Mary's Church or Grotto (determined by weather).



The OUR LADY OF FATIMA COUNCIL KNIGHTS  
have their annual TOOTSIE ROLL DRIVE  
for Intellectual Disabilities on  
Saturday, Nov. 9th in Emery.

**4TH DEGREE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST** will be held on **Sunday, Nov. 10**, from 9:30 to 11 am at Salem, St. Mary's Hall. Serving pancakes, sausage, scrambled eggs, cheesy hashbrowns, fruit cup, coffee, and orange juice. Free will offering will be taken to help support veterans. To go meals are also available. The St. James Assembly includes members from Salem, Hartford, St. Catherine Drexel, & Tea. The 4th Degree is the Patriot Degree of the Knights: Serving those that serve us.

The **SALEM KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** are collecting non-perishable food items for the Thanksgiving season. The baskets can be found in the Church entrance. Please note, that expired food items cannot be accepted. Thank you for your donation(s).  
Salem, St. Mary's Council 9375.

**MONTROSE-HUMBOLDT KC FAMILY NIGHT**  
**Thursday, November 21<sup>st</sup> at 6:30 pm**  
**Montrose Legion Hall**

Grilled hamburgers, hotdogs, chips, beans & drinks provided. *Please attend: current Knights, wives, kids, widows, & prospective Knights.*

*The Salem, St. Mary's Altar Society are doing semi-annual fall cleaning, Saturday, November 16, at 9:00 am, all are asked to bring buckets and rags. Knights will do their part on the 15th.*  
Monica Anderson, Shelley Barnett, Tami Bies, Glenda Blindert, Victoria Buchanan, Tammy Duxbury, Danielle Dykes, Jayne Eichacker, Kim Ernster, Heather Gessner, Nicole Grasma, Laura Gottlob, Lynn Gottlob, Barb Hoiten, Sara Kampshoff, Teresa Kerkhove, Sharon Kinzley, Jessi Klinkhammer, Joann Koch, Maggan Kremppges, Melissa Kremppges, Carol McCormick, Luann McKillop, Joyce Meyer, Lisa Muth, Laura Osterberg, Teresa Rotert, Dawn Scheier, Geralyn Sherman, Amy Tuschen.

**PASTORATE BIBLE STUDY: Revelation: The Kingdom Yet to Come** is an intriguing eleven-session study program. In this study, presenter Jeff Cavins pulls back the veil on the rich symbolism present in Revelation. Discover what the mysterious figures and images of Revelation mean and see how Revelation is more than an apocalyptic vision of the "end times." Explore the Church's teaching on the second coming of Christ and the Last Judgment. Understand how God, the Divine Bridegroom, and the Church, his spotless bride, enter into a heavenly, holy, and mystical marriage every time we celebrate Mass. Workbooks are \$28. Please call St. Mary Magdalene office and get registered so we can order books. Mike Heumiller will be leading this bible study, starting Sunday, December 1, at St. Mary's School in Salem.

## The Week Ahead

**11/10, Thirty-second Sunday, in Ordinary Time**

**8:30 AM MASS IN MONTROSE**

For †Ralph & †Agatha Weber

**9:00 AM MASS IN SALEM**

For Andrew, Vicki & Luke Streff

**10:00 AM MASS IN ALEXANDRIA**

For †Dylan Mentele

**10:30 AM MASS IN HUMBOLDT**

For the People of our Parishes (Pro Populo)

**11:00 AM MASS IN EPIPHANY**

For †Elaine Eich

**11/11, Monday, St. Martin of Tours**

**8:30 AM MASS IN ALEXANDRIA**

For Priests Personal Intentions

**\*2:00 pm 11/17 Bulletin information due to mavhuls@triotel.net**

5:00 pm Rosary to end abortion, St. Mary's Church

**5:30 PM MASS IN SALEM**

For Priests Personal Intentions

**11/12, Tuesday, St. Josaphat**

**8:30 AM MASS IN EMERY**

For †Virgil & †Margie Schulte

**8:30 AM MASS IN SALEM**

For †Mary Ann Eich

9:00 am Rosary, St. Stephan's Church

**5:30 PM MASS IN HUMBOLDT**

For †Dan Sutera

**11/13, Wednesday, St. Frances Xavier Cabrini**

**8:30 AM MASS IN HUMBOLDT**

For †Denny Ahrendt

**8:30 AM MASS IN MONTROSE**

For L & D Catholic Daughters

**9:00 AM MASS IN BRIDGEWATER** (Fr. Rader)

For All Parishioners

**\*9:00 am 11/17 Bulletin due/sent to LPi**

**6:30 PM MASS IN ALEXANDRIA**

For †Michael Jarding

**11/14, Thursday, Weekday in Ordinary Time**

**8:30 AM MASS IN SALEM**

For †Gert Kayser

**8:30 AM MASS AT EMERY**

For L & D St. Martin Sacred Heart

**10:00 AM MASS IN EPIPHANY**

For †Arnold Scheuren

7:00 pm Rosary for our Nation, St. Mary's Grotto or Church

**11/15, Friday, St. Albert the Great**

**8:30 AM MASS IN BRIDGEWATER**

For †Dennis VanDam

**8:30 AM MASS IN HUMBOLDT**

For †Cooper Bertram

**8:30 AM MASS IN MONTROSE**

For Don, Rose, & Tom Wheeler

**\*2:00 pm 11/24 Bulletin information due to mavhuls@triotel.net**

**11/16, Saturday, Vigil: Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**5:00 PM MASS IN EMERY**

For †Nicholas Schleich

**5:00 PM MASS IN MONTROSE**

For Lainey Raap

**11/17, Sunday, Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**8:30 AM MASS IN MONTROSE**

For the People of our Parishes (Pro Populo)

**9:00 AM MASS IN SALEM**

For †Gerald Hanisch

**10:00 AM MASS IN ALEXANDRIA**

For †Doris Cumbee

**10:30 AM MASS IN HUMBOLDT**

For †Ken Struck

**11:00 AM MASS IN EPIPHANY**

For †Fr. Paul Josten