

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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FEBRUARY 9, 2025, FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

They left everything and followed him.

- Lk 5:11



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: 8:30 am only in odd months

MON.-FRI.: 8:30 am; TUESDAYS: 5:30 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

No Weekend Mass

WEDNESDAY: 9:00 am; THURSDAY: 5:30 pm

**(First Thursday of the month NO 5:30 pm Mass)*

**(First Thursday of the month 10:00 am Mass at the
Bridgewater Nursing Home)*

—EMERY, ST. MARTIN OF TOURS—

342 3rd Ave., Emery, SD

SATURDAY: 5:00 pm only in odd months

SUNDAY: 8:30 am only in even months

WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY: 9:00 am

—EPIPHANY, CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY—

106 Jackson St., Epiphany, SD

No Weekend Mass

THURSDAY: 5:30 pm

—HUMBOLDT, ST. ANN—

409 W. 4th Ave., Humboldt, SD

SATURDAY: 5:00 pm only in odd months

SUNDAY: 8:30 am only in even months

TUESDAY: 5:30 pm

—MONTROSE, ST. PATRICK—

211 S. Church Ave., Montrose, SD

SATURDAY: 5:00 pm only in even months

SUNDAY: 8:30 am only in odd months

WEDNESDAY: 9:00 am

—SALEM, ST. MARY HELP OF CHRISTIANS—

240 W. Vermont Ave., Salem, SD

SUNDAY: 10:30 am

No Saturday evening Mass

MONDAY: 5:30 pm; FRIDAY: 9:00 am

—CONFESSIONS:—

SATURDAY: 4:15-4:50 pm at the Parishes
with Saturday evening Mass.

SUNDAY: for the Parishes with 8:30 am Mass, confession will be 7:50-8:20 am before Mass.

For Salem, if possible, confession will be offered before and after 10:30 am Mass.

HOLY DAYS: as announced

BAPTISM/CARE OF THE SICK/

MARRIAGE/RCIA: Contact parish priest

DISCIPLESHIP & EVANGELIZATION:

Maggan Krempges: 605.425.2600

mkrempges@salemcatholic.org

BULLETIN: *Vicky Huls*: mavhuls@triotel.net

bulletin items due Mondays at 2:00 pm,
(changes during holidays)

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

JUBILEE YEAR INDULGENCE

Pope Francis has granted a special Indulgence for this year, the Jubilee Year of 2025. You can obtain this Indulgence any time throughout this year, up through December 28, 2025. There is a document in the back of the church, at each parish, explaining what a Jubilee Year is, what an Indulgence is, and what you can do to receive this Indulgence.

LAST COLLAR STANDING 2025

Join us for the 6th Annual Last Collar Standing, Sunday, February 23 at 3 p.m.

Last Collar Standing is an opportunity to raise both awareness of and funds for our diocesan Lumen Christi Missionary program.

Nine priests will gather online during a livestreamed competition to compete in elimination challenges until one priest is declared the "Last Collar Standing". This fun and hilarious competition is an opportunity to witness the good-natured humanity of our priests and catch a glimpse of their fraternal brotherhood. You won't want to miss this family friendly event. We hope you'll join us!

Here is the link for this year's Last Collar Standing: <https://youtube.com/live/z9EMaSNXSM8>

If you would like to donate, please visit: sf catholic.regfox.com/



ST. MARY MAGDALENE PASTORATE LITURGICAL SCHEDULES

ALEXANDRIA-ST. MARY OF MERCY

Saturday, February 15

- ROSARY** Gary & Sharon Jarding
- SERVERS** Ayden Hruby, Daniel Kayser, Sophia Kayser
- LECTOR** Kenny Kayser
- E. MIN.** Ray & Brandi Slaba
- MUSIC** Sandy Kayser
- USHERS** Vince Kayser, Tate Schoenfelder
- MONEY** Heidi Jarding, Julie Kayser

EMERY-ST. MARTIN OF TOURS

Sunday, February 16

- ROSARY** Jack & Theresa Catron
- SERVERS** Max Weber, Leighton VanLeur, Jersey Kressman
- LECTOR** Landon Berg
- E. MIN.** Carson Weber
- MUSIC** Rosalie Weber
- USHERS** Terry Miller, Victor Weber

HUMBOLDT-ST. ANN

Sunday, February 16

- ROSARY** Elsie Baye
- SERVERS** Volunteer, Abigail Even, Miles Even
- LECTOR** Jackie Lofswold
- OFFER.** M & J Garrey
- E. MIN.** Charles & Paula Jarding
- MUSIC** Paul Chlebeck, Anna Busser
- SACRISTAN** Elsie Baye
- USHERS** Mark Harden, John Jarding
- MONEY** Charles & Paula Jarding, Elsie Baye

MONTROSE-ST. PATRICK

Saturday, February 15

- SERVERS** Makarie & Ben Wiebersick, Elliot Bartlett
- LECTOR** Dennis VanOverschelde
- OFFER.** Paul & Nancy McAreavey
- E. MIN.** Jim Wolf
- MUSIC** Anna Busser
- USHERS** Robert Hoiten, Paul Klautd
- SACRISTAN** Barb Spicer
- MONEY** Marlys Bartmann, Barb Spicer, Deanna Ollerich

SALEM-ST. MARY

Sunday, February 16

- ROSARY** Steve Leber
- SERVERS** Allison Leber, Quenton Gessner, Isaac Muth
- LECTOR** Laura Gottlob
- E. MIN.** Carol McCormick, Anita Feterl
- H. BD.** Dan & Luann McKillop
- USHERS** Jason Jaeger, Tom Kolbeck, Chad Krempges, Wayne Krempges
- MONEY** Marnie Weier, Charlie Eich

PASTORATE PRAYER REQUESTS

Lord hear our prayers
✪ For more information call the pastorate office.

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

Rosalie Weber, Chuck Mehlbrech, Bob Martin, Pat Grady, Kay Koch, Lori Erikson, Dianne Kampshoff, Raya Koch, Jean Schneider, Jim Tuschen, MaryAnn Tuschen, Merlin Ziegmann.

To purchase 14 day candles (\$10.00) at Salem, St. Mary's, call the pastorate office.

FEBRUARY 3 – FEBRUARY 16

THE MAIN ALTAR SANCTUARY CANDLE
For the happy repose of the soul of Bill Reif.

ALTAR OF THE HOLY FAMILY-BLUE CANDLES (LS) For the happy repose of the soul of Tony Lunders.

(RS) For all pastorate parishioners with health concerns.

ALTAR OF ST. ALOYSIUS-RED CANDLES (LS) For the happy repose of the soul of Bud Gottlob.

(RS) For Holy Souls in Purgatory.

PASTORATE COLLECTIONS

FOR THE WEEK ENDING OF 2/2

ALEXANDRIA-ST. MARY OF MERCY

\$1,596.00

BRIDGEWATER-ST. STEPHEN

\$1,445.00

EMERY-ST. MARTIN OF TOURS

\$832.00

EPIPHANY-CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY

\$283.00

HUMBOLDT-ST. ANN

\$1,290.00

MONTROSE-ST. PATRICK

\$2,178.25

SALEM-ST. MARY

\$3,896.00

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

✪ For information on the Shrine call 425-3000

Feb. 5-Dave & Charlotte Roesler,
Feb. 12-Travis & Lisa Muth,
Feb. 19-Allen & Anita Feterl.

Having money in your pocket is nice, but having the Lord in your heart is a million times better. Amen.

THE BRIDGEWATER COMMUNITY CANTATA is looking for singers for this year's cantata. It is a wonderful opportunity for fellowship and singing! Practice will start Sunday, Feb. 16 at 1:30 pm at the Zion Bible Church in Bridgewater. If you have any questions, please call Dan or Jean Clarke at 360-1648 or Jessica Schulz at 929-9878. New singers and returning members are welcome!

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY – ANNUAL SAUSAGE SALE

will be on **Saturday, March 8, 2025.**

Making sausage starts at 7am.

Any volunteer help would be welcome and appreciated!!



Sausage will be \$7/#, selling in 5# pkgs.

Sale starts at 10 am—first come/first serve.

Donations are now being accepted.

Please contact one of the LAS officers for any donations or questions.

Kim: 605.770.6729; Denise: 605.770.4103;

Sandy: 605.421.1275.



BISHOP HOCH DEANERY SCHOLARSHIP

APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE

The Diocese of Sioux Falls awards a \$1,000 scholarship in each of the seven deaneries to enable a student to attend Mount Marty University. The scholarships are available to new students, students already in college and non-traditional students interested in attending or already attending Mount Marty University in Yankton. To obtain an application, contact the Financial Aid Office at Mount Marty University. Applications must be returned to the Office of Catholic Schools, 523 North Duluth Avenue, Sioux Falls, SD 57104-2714. Applications are due March 15.

In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.

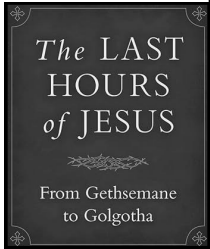
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ST. MARY MAGDALENE PASTORATE WOMEN'S LENTEN BOOK STUDY

Tuesday, April 8 at 6:30 & Thursday, April 10 at 9am.

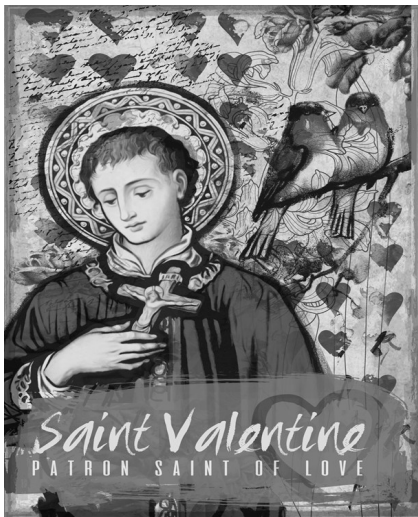
If there are a lot of people who sign up for the evening book study, I will add another one on April 3 at 6:30.

"The Last Hours of Jesus: From Gethsemane to Golgotha" by Fr. Ralph Gorman, C.P. Each of the four Gospels tells only part of the story of Jesus . . . and *all of them leave out background facts* that are essential to understanding events surrounding Jesus' arrest, trial, and crucifixion. That's because the Gospels were written for readers already familiar with many of the persons, places, parties, and politics that governed events in those long-past days. Not so modern readers, twenty centuries later! Which is why Fr. Ralph Gorman has here crafted a single, unforgettable, detailed account that combines material from all four Gospels with critically-important Old Testament passages, plus relevant facts from Jewish and Roman history, laws, traditions, and practices. He also includes helpful first century military, political, geographical, and archaeological information and keen depictions of Gospel places based on his three years residence there. The result? A richly-textured, moment-by-moment account that brings to vivid life the powerful events that transpired between Jesus' Agony in the Garden and His death on the Cross – a narrative that actually provides a fuller treatment of the events of Passion Week than is found in any of the Gospels.



Must be registered by February 9.

Registration link: <https://www.osvhub.com/salemcatholic/forms/st-mary-magdalene-pastorate-women-s-book-study-1>
Maggan Krempges, DDE - 605-425-2600 or mkrempges@salemcatholic.org



FEBRUARY THE MONTH OF THE HOLY FAMILY

The Holy Family is a model for all Christian families, teaching us: *faith*-centering our lives on God, *love*-selfless devotion and care for one another and *obedience*-trusting in God's plan.

Grant unto us, Lord Jesus, ever to follow the example of Your Holy Family, that in the hour of our death Your glorious Virgin Mother together with blessed Joseph may come to meet us and we may be worthily received by you into everlasting dwellings: who lives and reigns, world without end. Amen



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



Benefit Meal & Auction for

LAINEY RAAP

Lainey Raap, 1 1/2 year old daughter of Ashlynn and Andrew Raap was found to have a large tumor taking up most of her abdomen in February 2024. After multiple surgeries and discoveries of more tumors, Lainey was diagnosed with stage two germ cell cancer. Since then Lainey has undergone more surgeries and started chemo treatments. To support the family, the Montrose-Humboldt Knights of Columbus and the Montrose Community are coming together for a benefit auction and meal.



April 12, 2025
Montrose, SD

Silent Auction - 12:00pm - 8:30pm
(Montrose School Gym)
Meal - 4:00pm - 7:00pm
(St. Patrick Church Hall - Montrose)

TO DONATE AUCTION ITEMS CALL OR TEXT:

ERIC GROCCOTT 605-940-2806

JEFF HANISCH 605-421-1235

Hosted by:

Montrose-Humboldt
Knights of Columbus



SOUTH DAKOTA KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SPECIAL PROJECTS FUND RAFFLE

Tickets are available for a chance to win cash prizes by the South Dakota State Knights of Columbus. Funds raised will go towards state special projects. A few past recipients were: Special Olympics, Catholic Social Services and SD Knights of Columbus Disaster Fund. Tickets are \$20 each or 3 for \$50 and are available from the following Salem KC Council; contact Tim Wegener (605-421-0805) or at our scheduled brunches. Please check with your local council for ticket availability. 26 winners are as follows: 1st - \$10,000; 2nd - \$5,000; 3rd - \$3,000; 4th - \$2,000; 5th - \$1,000; 6th - \$500; 10 @ 7th - \$250 each; 10 @ 8th - \$125 each. Drawings will be held at the KC State Convention in April.



THE LOURDES CENTER

(formerly Catholic Family Services)

- *Living with Chronic Illness*; ● *Surviving Divorce Program*;
- *Coping with Stress and Anxiety Program*;
- *Grieving the Loss of a Child*;
- *Surviving Divorce*;
- *Grieving the Loss of a Loved One*;
- *Grieving a Loss from Overdose and Addiction*.

For more details call: 605-988-3775

The Week Ahead

2/9, Sunday, Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM MASS IN EMERY

For the People of our Parishes (Pro Populo)

8:30 AM MASS IN HUMBOLDT

For †Cooper Bertram

10:30 AM MASS IN SALEM

For Zachary Sonnier

2/10, Monday, St. Scholastica

8:30 AM MASS IN ALEXANDRIA (Fr. Bob)

For Priest Personal Intension

***2:00 pm Bulletin Items Due to mavhuls@triotel.net**

5:00 pm Rosary, Salem, St. Mary's Church

5:30 PM MASS IN SALEM

For Priest Personal Intention

2/11, Tuesday, Our Lady of Lourdes

8:30 AM MASS IN ALEXANDRIA (Fr. Bob)

For Priest Personal Intention

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

5:30 PM MASS IN ALEXANDRIA

For †Bud & †Janice Schoenfelder

5:30 PM MASS IN HUMBOLDT

For Barb Hanisch

2/12, Wednesday, Ordinary Time

8:30 AM MASS IN ALEXANDRIA (Fr. Bob)

For Priest Personal Intention

***9:00 am Bulletin Due/Sent to LPI**

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

For †Theresa Graff

9:00 AM MASS IN EMERY

For †Kenny Olinger

9:00 AM MASS IN MONTROSE

For Armagno & O'Laughlin Families

2/13, Thursday, Ordinary Time

8:30 AM MASS IN ALEXANDRIA (Fr. Bob)

For Priest Personal Intention

5:30 PM MASS IN BRIDGEWATER

For †Don & †Madelynne Schwans

5:30 PM MASS IN EPIPHANY

For †Fr. Paul Josten

7:00 pm, Rosary, Salem, St. Mary's Church or Grotto

2/14, Friday, Sts. Cyril, Monk, & Methodius

8:30 AM MASS IN ALEXANDRIA (Fr. Bob)

For Priest Personal Intention

9:00 AM MASS IN EMERY

For All Parishioners

9:00 AM MASS IN SALEM

For †Gerald Hanisch

2/15 Saturday, Vigil: Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 PM MASS IN ALEXANDRIA

For Holy Souls in Purgatory

5:00 PM MASS IN MONTROSE

For Davina Klein

2/16, Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM MASS IN EMERY

For the People of our Parishes (Pro Populo)

8:30 AM MASS IN HUMBOLDT

For Ken Struck

10:30 AM MASS IN SALEM

For †Darrell Tuschen