

St. Mary Magdalene Pastorate

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FEBRUARY 15, 2026 ❧ **SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

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TO USE ANY OF THE 7 PARISH HALLS:

contact St. Mary Magdalene Pastorate Office in Salem

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

WEDNESDAYS: 9:00 am; THURSDAYS: 5:30 pm

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

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

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

WEDNESDAYS & FRIDAYS: 9:00 am

EPIPHANY, CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY

106 Jackson St., Epiphany, SD

No Weekend Mass

THURSDAYS: 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

TUESDAYS: 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

WEDNESDAYS: 9:00 am

SALEM, ST. MARY HELP OF CHRISTIANS

240 W. Vermont Ave., Salem, SD

SUNDAY: 10:30 am

SUNDAY Latin Mass: 1:00 pm; Confessions: 12:30 pm

No Saturday evening Mass

MONDAYS: 5:30 pm; FRIDAYS: 9:00 am



CONFESSIONS:

SATURDAY: 4:15-4:50 pm as well as after Mass,
at all parishes with Saturday evening Mass.

SUNDAY: for all the parishes with 8:30 am Mass,
confessions will be 7:50-8:20 am before Mass.

Emery and Alexandria will also have confessions
available after their 8:30 am Masses.

For Salem, when possible, confessions will be
offered before and after the 10:30 am Mass.



HOLY DAYS: as announced



BAPTISM/CARE OF THE SICK/

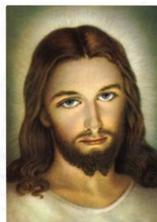
MARRIAGE/OCIA: Contact parish priest



DISCIPLESHIP & EVANGELIZATION:

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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.

PrayerChains

Healing and Hope for those suffering
with cancer and other illness.



Salem, St. Mary's: Monica Anderson-cell 605.421.1655
and Sandy Bies-605.425.2306.

St. Patrick's: Donna Hetland-605.480.2650.

St. Mary of Mercy: Camille Davies-cell 605.933.0574.

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.



BULLETIN: Vicky Huls: **Items** for the bulletin due Mondays at 2:00 pm to mavhuls@triotel.net
Finished bulletin due to LPi Wednesdays at 9:00 am (deadlines change during holidays)

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

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

FEBRUARY 16 – MARCH 1
THE MAIN ALTAR SANCTUARY CANDLE
 In loving memory of the families
 of James and Lauren Nelson.

ALTAR OF THE HOLY FAMILY-BLUE CANDLES
 (LS) For the happy repose of the soul
 of Bill Reif.
 (RS) For the happy repose of the soul
 of Bill Reif.

ALTAR OF ST. ALOYSIUS-RED CANDLES
 (LS) For the happy repose of the soul
 of Holly Rotert.
 (RS) For all St. Mary Magdalene Pastorate
 parishioners with health concerns,
 may they find strength and comfort
 surrounded in God's love.

PASTORATE PRAYER REQUESTS
 Lord hear our prayers
 ✠For information call the pastorate office.

SALEM, ST. MARY'S
 Charlie Eich, Lori Erikson, Pat Grady,
 Dianne Kampshoff, Kay Koch,
 Raya Koch, Bob Martin,
 Joanne Schneider, Jean Schnider,
 Carla Snyders, Jim Tuschen,
 Rosalie Weber,
 Merlin & Sandy Ziegmann

ST. PATRICK'S
 Vince Bartmann, Chad Gordon,
 Paul Gordon, Larry Hohn, Bob Kerkhove,
 Lisa Lund, Jim Miles,
 Laineey Raap, Sherry VanderZwaag

ALEXANDRIA, ST. MARY OF MERCY
 Peggy Kayser, John Schroeder

**SALEM, ST. MARY'S VISITS FOR THE
 LEGION OF MARY'S PILGRIM SHRINE**
 ✠For information on the Shrine call Luann McKillop 605-530-4041.

 Feb. 11-Allen & Anita Feterl,
 Feb. 18-Mark & Keri Feterl,
 Feb. 25-Steve & Carol Gessner.

**Salem, St. Mary's for pick up/drop off
 of the Legion of Mary's Pilgrim
 Shrine.** If the exchange cannot be
 made in person, return the statue near
 the baptismal font on the table beneath
 the Our Lady of Guadalupe wall hang-
 ing in the back of the church by 10 am
 on Wednesdays, so the next person
 can pick her up. If you have any ques-
 tions, call Luann McKillop at 605-530-
 4041.

PASTORATE COLLECTIONS
 FOR THE WEEK ENDING OF 2/8

ALEXANDRIA-ST. MARY OF MERCY
 \$1,680.00

BRIDGEWATER-ST. STEPHEN
 \$1,075.00; CFSA: \$50.00

EMERY-ST. MARTIN OF TOURS
 \$1,199.60

**ST. MARY MAGDALENE
 LITURGICAL SCHEDULES**

ALEXANDRIA-ST. MARY OF MERCY
Ash Wednesday, February 18

SERVERS Skylar Kayser, Radek Jarding,
 Carter Ruden

LECTOR Ed Henningsen

E. MIN. Dave & Cindy Beyer

USHERS Cody Kafka, Alex Kayser

MONEY Peggy Weber, Julie Kayser

Saturday, February 21

ROSARY Chris & Emily Ruden

SERVERS Carter Ruden, Madalynn Ruden,
 Allie Ruden

LECTOR Peggy Weber

E. MIN. Gary & Sharon Jarding

MUSIC Sandy Kayser

USHERS Robert Jangula, Alex Kayser

MONEY Ed Henningsen, Pam Wenande

EMERY-ST. MARTIN OF TOURS
Ash Wednesday, February 18

SERVERS Leighton VanLeur, Max Weber,
 Landon Berg

LECTOR Lisa Schleich

E. MIN. Kevin Janssen

USHERS Volunteers

MONEY Volunteers

Sunday, February 22

ROSARY Jack & Theresa Catron

SERVERS Jackson Weber, Sawyer Weber,
 Kenrick Kayser

LECTOR Landon Berg

E. MIN. Jason Weber

MUSIC Bonnie Arend

USHERS Ryan Budahl

MONEY Kevin/Pam Janssen,
 Kelsha Kressman

HUMBOLDT-ST. ANN
Ash Wednesday, February 18

SERVERS Miles Even,
 2 Volunteers

LECTOR Nicolle Shumaker

E. MIN. Rebecca Kaffar, Donna Beck

USHERS Lee Decker, Steve Bannwarth

MONEY Elsie Baye, Paula Jarding

Sunday, February 22

ROSARY Jackie Lofswold

SERVERS Abigail Even, Ellie Stofferahn,
 Landon Even

LECTOR Heather Harden

OFFER. Sheryl Siemonsma

E. MIN. Jackie Lofswold, Nicolle Shumaker

SACRISTAN Jackie Lofswold

USHERS Darrin Garry, Billy Kapperman

MONEY John & Jackie Jarding, Diane Struck

EPIPHANY-CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY
 \$250.00

HUMBOLDT-ST. ANN
 \$1,985.00

MONTROSE-ST. PATRICK
 \$1,862.00

SALEM-ST. MARY
 \$2,003.00

**JOINED IN THE SACRAMENT
 OF HOLY MATRIMONY**

AT SALEM ST. MARY'S
 Congratulations to
 Lauren Stiefvater
 &
 James Nelson,
 who were united
 Saturday, February 8.

AT ST. ANN'S
 Congratulations to
 Megan Schoeneman
 &
 Jake Harden,
 who were united
 Saturday, February 8.

May God Bless You
 with many happy years together.

MONTROSE-ST. PATRICK
Ash Wednesday, February 18

SERVERS Ben Wiebersick, Caleb Vogel,
 Lane Hanisch

LECTOR Charolotte Thompson

E. MIN. Sarah McAreavey

USHERS Andrew Raap, Steve Zimmer

MONEY Joni Grocott, Denise Erickson

Saturday, February 21

SERVERS Ayla Struck, Kennedy Struck,
 Claire Vogel

LECTOR Denise Erickson

OFFER. Todd & Jill Skyberg Family

E. MIN. Nick Vogel

SACRISTAN Barb Spicer

USHERS Leo Hoiten, Paul Klaudt

MONEY Beth Odenbach, Sara McAreavey

SALEM-ST. MARY
Ash Wednesday, February 18

ROSARY Dave & Barb Hoiten

SERVERS Aliza, Maria, & Felicia Addy

LECTOR Laura Gottlob

E. MIN. Laura Gottlob, Todd Snyders

USHERS Dan McKillop, John Scheier,
 Pat Scheier, Kurt Bies

Sunday, February 22

ROSARY Steve Leber

SERVERS Brooke & Adam Heumiller,
 Antone Kremppes

LECTOR Crystal Wilkinson

E. MIN. Volunteer, Crystal Wilkinson

H. BD. Darlene Gross

USHERS Kevin Ernster, Dave Fendrich,
 Jim Gottlob, Pat Gottlob

MONEY Carla Eichacker, Marnie Weier

ST. PATRICK'S HAM DINNER
Sunday, March 22
 serving from 11:00-1:00.

Sign up sheets for working at the dinner are
 in the back of the church. Please sign up so
 calls don't have to be made at a later date.

FOR THOSE ATTENDING THE TLM IN SALEM

Welcome to all of those attending the 1pm TL Mass at St. Mary's, Salem. One quick note on donations -- if you put a collection envelope from St Dominic's (Canton) in the collection, that donation will be sent to Canton. It's perfectly alright to do so, as long as that's your intention -- what you want to do. If you would like to get envelopes for St. Mary's, just let us know: 605-425-2600 or email: salem.stmary@sfcatholic.org. God bless you, Fr. Kuhn.

**OUR LADY OF FATIMA ALEXANDRIA
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FISH FRY**
February 20th & 27th,
at the hall, 5:00pm to 7:00pm
Serving: cod, baked potato & coleslaw

WOMEN'S BOOK STUDY

Jesus & the Jewish Roots of the Eucharist:
Unlocking the Secrets of the Last Supper.
Tuesday, February 17th at 6:30pm in Humboldt



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, Jan. 25 at 2:00 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!

SD 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 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. Need not be present.



**Humboldt
Food
Pantry**



Who: St. Ann Religious Ed

When: Wed. 2/25 - Wed. 3/25

This year, the winning class each week will receive a treat and the overall winners will receive a pizza party!



The **SALEM KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 40 CANS FOR LENT FOOD DRIVE** is asking for donations of non-perishable food items. The donation baskets will be in the church entry through April 5th. Thank You! Salem St. Mary's Knights of Columbus.

MONTROSE-HUMBOLDT KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

February 27th @St. Patrick (Montrose) & March 13th @St. Ann (Humboldt)

Lenten Fish Fry

Serving 5:00PM-7:00PM

- + Fish
- + French Fries
- + Coleslaw
- + Green Beans
- + Homeade Bars
- + Coffee/Juice



Free-will donation to support charitable causes



Court St. Thomas #1533 of Humboldt and Montrose will be having a **BAKE SALE** on **Friday, February 27th** at **St. Patrick's Hall** during the **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FISH FRY**. Please come and select from a variety of homemade baked items. Profits are given to national and local charities.

THANK YOU to everyone that came out to our Life Causes Breakfast. *Montrose-Humboldt Knights of Columbus #10296 Post.*

LENTE DISCIPLINES OF FASTING & ABSTINENCE

Catholics in good health ages 18 to 59 are required to fast and to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

Fasting consists of eating only one meal, with the possibility of two smaller snacks that do not add up to a single full meal.

Catholics age 14 and older are to abstain from meat on all Fridays in Lent.

LENT
40 Days of Renewal

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*Remember that you are dust,
and to dust you shall return.*

FEBRUARY 18TH ASH WEDNESDAY MASS TIMES

- 7:00 am Emery (no 9am Mass today)
- 7:00 am Salem
- 5:30 pm Humboldt
- 6:30 pm Alexandria
- 7:30 pm Montrose (no 9am Mass today)



Ash Wednesday is not a Holy Day of Obligation but it is a good and devout practice to start the Lenten season with Mass and reception of blessed ashes. CCD is also canceled on Ash Wednesday so that kids can attend Mass that day.

Building Virtuous Men

Featuring:

Dan Venezia

Catholic Speaker and Former Minnesota Twin

Saturday Morning
March 7, 2026

7:30 am (Event starts at 8 am)

12:30 pm (Social/Lunch from Pizza Ranch)

Church of St. Mary - Sioux Falls
2109 S 5th Ave
Sioux Falls, SD 57105



Please pre-register
using the QR code
\$30 per person / \$35 at the door
or visit:

<https://brothersinchrist.ticketspice.com/spring2026>

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THE WEEK AHEAD



2/15, Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM MASS IN EMERY

For Pro Populo (the People of our Parishes)

8:30 AM MASS IN HUMBOLDT

For Deceased members of the Peter & Margaret Dahmen Family

10:30 AM MASS IN SALEM

For †Shirley Zens

2/16, Monday, Weekday in Ordinary Time

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

For Priest Personal Intention

*2:00 pm ITEMS for the bulletin due to mavhuls@triotel.net

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

5:30 PM MASS IN SALEM

For Priest Personal Intention

2/17, Tuesday, The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order

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

For Priest Personal Intention

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

5:30 PM MASS IN ALEXANDRIA

For †Patrick Johnston

5:30 PM MASS IN HUMBOLDT

For Rick Muth

2/18, Wednesday, Ash Wednesday

7:00 AM MASS IN EMERY (NO 9AM MASS TODAY)

For Pro Populo (the People of our Parishes)

7:00 AM MASS IN SALEM

For †Darla Atsma

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

For Priest Personal Intention

*9:00 AM FINISHED BULLETIN DUE & SENT TO LPi

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

For †Ethan Schallenkamp

5:30 PM MASS IN HUMBOLDT

For Kathleen Petri

6:30 PM MASS IN ALEXANDRIA

For †George & †Margaret Smith

7:30 PM MASS IN MONTROSE (NO 9AM MASS TODAY)

For Living & Deceased Members of the Catholic Daughters

2/19, Thursday, Lenten Weekday

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

For Priest Personal Intention

5:30 PM MASS IN BRIDGEWATER

For †Al & †Jean Mescher

5:30 PM MASS IN EPIPHANY

For Holy Souls in Purgatory who have no one praying for them

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

2/20, Friday, Lenten Weekday

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

For Priest Personal Intention

9:00 AM MASS IN EMERY

For †Dan Olinger

9:00 AM MASS IN SALEM

For †Joan Mae Stiefvater

2/21, Saturday, Vigil: First Sunday of Lent

5:00 PM MASS IN ALEXANDRIA

For Pro Populo (the People of our Parishes)

5:00 PM MASS IN MONTROSE

For Members of the Bob Cleveland Family

2/22, First Sunday of Lent

8:30 AM MASS IN EMERY

For †Loren Huber

8:30 AM MASS IN HUMBOLDT

For Deceased Members of the Becker Family

10:30 AM MASS IN SALEM

For †Don Eichacker