

# ST MICHAEL PARISH

Our Lady of Victory Pastorate

Divine Mercy Sunday

**April 7, 2024** 

**CONGRATULATIONS!** to our St. Michael 1st Communion children on the celebration of their First Holy Communion this weekend. May their lifetime communions be as meaningful as their first celebration!

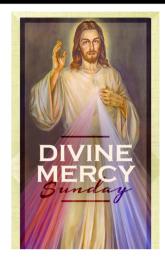


**Emily Cheryl Abbas Kooper Thomas Altermatt Zoey Grace Arnett** Luca Jerae Breitling **Sophia Grace Brink Keegan August Burns** Lilly Marie Campbell Briella Emmallen Castelluzzo **Brooklyn Clair Cody Violet Ryanne De Leon** Ellia Blue DeRosier **Harvey Lee DesLauriers** Cecelia Clay Gaster Freya Marie Gebur **Zoev Allyn Gran** Clara Rose Gustafson **Gavin Joseph Hamerly** 

# Communion Prayer

My Lord Jesus Christ, I firmly believe that I am about to receive, in Holy Communion, Your Precious Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity. I believe it because you have said it, and I am ready to give my life to maintain this truth.

**Liam Donald Heldorfer** Syriah Zaide Hemenway Alessandra Eve Hlaudy **Swayzie Ann Hodgkiss** Hugo Allyn Husman **Owen James Jarding Connor Joseph Jensen** Lola Luella Johnson Neva Jean Johnson **Brieanna Catherine Josten** Elise Marie Krein **Emily Capozello Krystosek** McKenzie Jayde Kuchta **Aurora June Leusink** Brigham Hendrik Lussman **Weston Thomas Maurer Grace Marie McCord** 



James Allen Murphy Spencer James Neises **Caroline Grace Ostermann Graham Michael Peters Noah John Peters Carson Grey Peterson** William James Pickering **Jack James Pittmann** Jaden Bradly Prindiville **Addilyn Grace Pugliese Grayson Christian Rans** Sloan Marie Robinson Brynlee Olivia Schoenfelder **Audra Jade Scholz Lucy Mae Schwartz** Kali Viola Singh **Natalie Grace Stone** Sullivan Brian Stredde **Kael Elliott Tolley** Samantha Marie Tucker Samuel Justus Wagner **Carter John Waits** 

The Lourdes Center Gift of Hope Concert featuring <u>Consumed by Fire</u> with special guest <u>Seph Schlueter</u> is Friday, April 19–7:00 p.m. @ St. Michael Catholic Church Tickets are still available, please call 605-988-3765 or visit <u>ccfesd.org</u> or scan the QR code to order today! Gift of Hope is presented by the Catholic Community Foundation for Eastern South Dakota.



#### **CELEBRATE THE EUCHARIST**

#### School Masses @ 8:15 am:



Mass Times for 1st Holy Communion: @ St. George April 28 @ 9:30 am



# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd: April 10, 17, and 24

All 3 Sessions

Grades 1-5
April 10, 17, and 24
5:45 pm Tidbits in Nave/6:00 pm Class

Grades 6-High School:
April 10, 17, and 24
7:00 pm Adoration/Class in the Nave



Lumen Christi is coming!
Dates: July 28-Aug. 2
for grades K-High School
A registration link will be available soon!

#### **PROCLAIM THE GOSPEL**

Are you entering 6th-9th grade?

If yes, it is time to register for

Rock'n Summer Serve 2024.

Click here, scan the QR code or email nicole@stmichaelsfsd.org to register.

Tell your friends and let's have some fun!

Dates are June, 12, 19, 26; July 10, 17, 24;

Steubenville Youth Conference: July 12-14, 2024. Only 20 spots left! It's filling up so register now!

Fun Day is July 31.



Cost \$600-\$800- depending on the number attending. Includes hotel, conference fees & t-shirt, all food and transportation. Contact Dana to register for Steubenville. dre@stgeorgehartford.com or click this link.

St. Michael Welcome Table

**PARISH NEWS:** 



At the Welcome table this weekend is Rhonda, our volunteer coordinator. She would love to talk to you about our various opportunities to volunteer at St. Michael.

SET ABLAZE Campaign "CALLED to SERVE"

"Be who God meant you to be and you will set the world on fire." St. Catherine of Siena From the Baltimore Catechism Question #6......

**Q**. Why did God make you?

**A.** God made me to know Him, to love Him, and to serve Him in this world, and to be happy with Him forever in heaven. Get to know Him, Love Him and Serve Him right here at St Michael Parish. Stop by the Welcome Table and talk to Rhonda this weekend about ways in which you can do all three!

With summer coming up that means vacations are coming up and that means we will be in need of more volunteers at Mass and future events here at St Michael. If you are not signed up for any ministries, we ask you to stop by, grab the QR Code and see where you can serve Him.



Easter flowers were donated in honor of Dale Davis & Art/Margaret Bisson.

**PARISH NEWS:** 

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Warren Friessen, father of Cindy Monnin and Patty Vognild. May he and all the faithful departed, rest in peace.

The Angel Gown Ministry will hold its monthly meeting Tues., April 9 @ 6:30 pm in the Commons. All are welcome to join!

The <u>St. Katharine Drexel Parish Knights of</u> Columbus Council will host a free-will offering Pancake Breakfast on Sun., April 14 from 8:30 a.m.-12 p.m. in the Multipurpose Room. The menu includes pancakes, eggs, sausages, potatoes, and drinks.

The Michael and Dianne Juba Family has been awarded the April 'Family of the Month' by the St. Michael Knights of Columbus Council. They serve as an inspiration to our parish, community, and council by supporting and strengthening Catholic Family Life.

**CONGRATULATIONS & THANK YOU!** 



**Catholic Daughters Court** Mother Teresa invites you to their annual "Tours of Tables" Spring Luncheon

Saturday, May 4 11:00 am - 1:30 pm in the St. Michael Multipurpose Room Doors open at 10:30 am. Tickets: Adult (12+) \$10 &

Youth (5-11) \$5 4 & under--free

Tickets available in the Office or call Doreen @ 605-359-9737 or Wendy @ 605-951-4946. All tables of 4 or more require reservations.



St. Michael offers baptism preparation classes for parents wanting to baptize their child. They will be held the 3rd Sunday of each month from 10:45 am -11:30 am in the Oxford Room. Upcoming class is April 21. Please register prior to the class by calling the office 605-361-1600.

**Catholic Daughters of the Americas** will hold their monthly meeting **Tues.**, Apr. 9 at 6:30 pm in the Multipurpose room. Use Entrance F.

#### Women at the Well.

All women welcome, just come as you are, no sign-up needed. Thurs., April 11 @ 7:00 pm in the Multipurpose room. Use Entrance F.

#### Sunday, April 14 7:00 pm in the Commons

Join others for our next



Wine & the Word! For ages 21-39, come enjoy the company of others while you discuss the Gospel in a relaxed atmosphere. Bring your Bible! Wine and snacks are provided!



The Feeding South Dakota barrels will be in the Commons for the month of April.

#### Magnificat Prayer Meal RSVP by April 12

Speaker: Fr Kristopher Cowles on April 27 9.30 am to Noon @ St Lambert Parish

Tickets: \$15 Register @

MagnificatSiouxFalls@gmail.com.

We have registration forms in the office also.

The Catholic Daughters are sponsoring a \$300 scholarship to a Catholic student attending a post-secondary school. Applications can be found in the parish office. The deadline is May 1.

Date	MASS INTENTIONS:		
Monday, April 8	Don Beaner (d)		
Tuesday, April 9	Dick Boyer (d)		
Wed., April 10	Susan Kappenman (d)		
Thursday, April 11	Trisha Watson (d)		
Friday, April 12	Vincent & Lorraine Nueses (d)		
Saturday, April 13	for the Oppressed of the world Karen McGuire (d)		
Sunday, April 14	Ella Doss (d) Jackine Pinto (d) Int. of Carl Carlson family For the people of St. Michael/		

Readings for the week can be found at <a href="https://bible.usccb.org">https://bible.usccb.org</a> or to receive a daily email go to this site <a href="https://bible.usccb.org/#subscribe">https://bible.usccb.org/#subscribe</a>

#### **Daily Mass Times:**

Mondays & Tuesdays @ 5:30 pm Wednesdays-Saturdays @ 8:15 am

Weekend Mass Times: Saturdays @ 4:00 pm Sundays @ 8:00 am, 9:30 am, 11:00 am, & 6:00 pm Confession Times: Mondays & Tuesdays @ 4:30 pm-5:15 pm

Thursdays @ 7:30 am-8:00 am Saturdays @ 2:45 pm-3:45 pm

# CONNECT WITH US ADDRESS:

1600 SOUTH MARION ROAD SIOUX FALLS, SD 57106

Phone: 605-361-1600

### Parish office hours:

**Monday-Thursday** 8:00 am - 5:00 pm **Friday** 8:00 am - 12:00 pm

Website: www.stmichaelsfsd.org

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#### **Online Giving**

St. George parishes

Giving online offers an easy and worry-free way to contribute to your parish. Safe and secure, easy to set up. Scan the code on your phone or go to <u>stmichaelsfsd.org</u>.



Scan the QR code for Onine Giving

#### Formed website:

https://formed.org/ Formed is a valuable tool for all Catholics! It has videos, books, blogs, and more! Sign up for free under St. Michael Parish of Sioux Falls!

#### Flocknote:

https://sfdiocese.flocknote.com/

Do you desire community & fellowship? Get connected & stay connected by opting into **Flocknote-text SFSD to 84576.** Opt into your desired area of interest & get involved with the journey.

Sean Dalton is the Director of Parish Programming at the Augustine Institute in Denver, Colorado. Sean has presented nationally to over 100,000 men and has extensive experience in Focus ministries.

Registration \$15 + applicable fees.
Register using the QR Code.







This performance will be in the Lorang Theater on the O'Gorman campus.

### **JOIN OUR**

# ST MICHAEL VOLUNTEER FAMILY

# **Each Weekend We Need Help With:**

- Receptionist (3)
- Altar Server, Cross and Book Bearer (20+)
- Lector (10)
- Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist (30+)
- Sacristan (5)
- Gift Bearers (10+)
- Greeters (10+)
- Gift Cards (10)
- Ushers (24+)
- Musicians (10+)

JOIN US NOW
BY SCANNING THE QR
CODE OR CLICKING
THE LINK BELOW!

Children's Liturgy of the Word (3+)

# Throughout the Year We Need Help With:

- Religious Education and Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
- Funeral Luncheon -serve and provide baked goods
- Hospitality Coffee and Rolls
- Church Environment, Lawn Care and Handy Helpers
- Social Concerns and Prayer Opportunities
- Serving at NFP Outside of the Church
- Recycling Cans
- Caring Ministries
- Parish Events
- and MORE!



https://giving.parishsoft.com/App/Form/0e3ecd9e-918e-4c1d-8ff7-583b7d5c0bb2



Spring Fling Event









Food Trucks / Games / Face Painting



**BUFFALO RIDGE BREWERY** 

12 PM -3 PM

102 N Main Ave, Hartford, SD



# GUEST SPEAKER: Fr. Kristopher Cowles



Fr. Kristopher Cowles was born and raised in Yankton, SD. He is the youngest of five children. On June 11, 1984, he was baptized and made an adopted son of our Heavenly Father. After finishing high school, he attended the School of Mines and Technology in Rapid City, where he studied engineering. It was there that Fr. Cowles began to know, trust, and follow Jesus for the first real time in his life. During his freshman year, he discerned a possible vocation to the priesthood and entered seminary the following fall. Seven years later, after many interior battles and struggles in seeking to accept his identity as God's beloved son, he was ordained a priest in the Diocese of Sioux Falls in 2011. Since then, he has served in Pierre, Sioux Falls, and Vermillion (USD Newman Center) at various parishes. Currently, Fr. Cowles is in his eighth year at hispanic Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish. Sometimes known as the "Viking Padre", he makes chainmail as a hobby, gives tomahawk throwing lessons, has a big, bushy, red beard, and hopes to someday own a forge. His biggest passion is sharing the Gospel with others and celebrating the sacraments.



### Sioux Falls Chapter Meal Saturday, April 27, 2024 Breakfast

9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

St. Lambert Parish 1000 S. Bahnson Ave. Sioux Falls, SD 57103 (at 18th St. & Bahnson Ave.)

Cost \$15 per person.

RSVP by 4/12/24. Call Erin Szabo at

605-789-4977 to check availability
and to make reservations.

#### Our Lady of Mercy & Hope Service Team

Julia Cady, Coordinator Erin Szabo, Assistant Coordinator Mary Zimmer, Secretary Sarah Impecoven, Treasurer Danika Dunlap, Historian

www.magnificat-ministry.net/chapters/sd-sioux-falls/

Your Name		
Guest Name		
Additional Guest names	may be written on	back of this form.
Address		
City	State	Zip
Phone (		
E-Mail Address		
Enclosed is \$	for	reservation

Mail Reservation Form and Check payable to: Magnificat 808 S Lowell Avenue Sioux Falls, SD 57103

Please Print Legibly



#### Mail Registration Form

- Int'l Ministry based on "The Visitation" Luke 1:39
- Diocesan Approval by Bishop Donald DeGrood
- Spiritual Director: Fr. Paul King
- Breakfast meal, praise music, testimony, and prayer
- All Clergy & Religious are Complimentary –
   Call 605-789-4977 to confirm attendance.
- Your check (payable to Magnificat) is your receipt.
- Your nametag is your ticket and will be at the door.
- Doors open at 9:00am.

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Mothers are invited to attend the next "Under Mary's Mantle" meeting of the series on topics of mothering during the early years on Tuesday, April 16, 9:30 am at Holy Spirit Church.

The fourth meeting topic is "Breastfeeding and Catholic Motherhood." If you were unable to attend previous meetings, you may join the remaining ones in the series. Young children are welcome. For more information or to inquire please contact Sandy Petree at: umm6726@gmail.com.



# DAKOTA'S RADICAL ABORTION PETITION

### **HERE'S WHY:**

1. DO YOU THINK BABIES SHOULD BE ABORTED UP TO AND INCLUDING AT BIRTH? THAT'S WHAT THEY WANT.

2. IT DENIES THE RIGHT OF PARENTS TO KNOW IF THEIR CHILD IS BEING COAXED TO HAVE AN ABORTION.

3. DOCTORS AND NURSES COULD BE FORCED TO PERFORM ABORTIONS OR FACE CRIPPLING LAWSUITS AND PENALTIES

4. IT WOULD OPEN THE DOOR TO TAXPAYER FUNDED ABORTIONS.

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