

**February 14, 2010**  
Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**CELEBRATION OF THE MOST HOLY EUCHARIST**

**2/15 MON**      **Rectory Office Closed**  
**7:00 PM - HOVEN - Mass/Rosary**  
**\*Stephanie McCutcheon**

**2/16 TUES**      **5:15 PM - HOVEN - Mass/Rosary**  
**\*Roman Brenner+**

**2/17 WED**      **ASH WEDNESDAY - Day of Abstinence/Fast**  
**5:00 PM - ONAKA - Mass**  
**\*Fr. Don Molumby+**

**7:00 PM - HOVEN - Mass**  
**\*Dave Goebel+**

**2/18 THURS**      **5:15 PM - HOVEN - Mass/Rosary**  
**\*Frank Hoven+**

**2/19 FRI**        **7:20 AM - HOVEN - Mass/Rosary**  
**\*Intentions of Pope Benedict XVI**

**7:00 PM - ONAKA**  
**Communion Service/Stations of the Cross**

**7:00 PM - HOVEN**  
**Stations/Benediction/Confessions (Incense)**

**2/20 SAT**        **11:00 AM - HOSP. - Rosary/Mass**  
**\*Clarence Frost Family**

**3:30 - 4:30 PM Confessions**

**THE LORD'S DAY MASS**

**5:00 PM - HOVEN - Mass**  
**\*Roman Brenner+**

**2/21 SUN**        **7:30 - 7:55 AM - Confessions - Onaka**

**8:00 AM - ONAKA - Mass**  
**\*People of our Parishes**

**9:15 - 9:45 AM Confessions - Hoven**

**10:00 AM - HOVEN - Mass**  
**\*Dan Glodt Family**

**This Sunday's Readings:**

Jer 17; 5-8; Psalm 1; 1 Cor: 15: 12, 16-20; Lk 6: 17, 20-26

**CATECHISM PARAGRAPHS FOR THIS SUNDAY:**

+ 310, 2086 - The Lord upholds creation.  
+ 2443-2449 - Love of the poor.  
+ 1965-1974 - The New Law.  
+ 2544-2550 - Poverty of heart.  
+ 989-991, 1002-1003 - Hope in the Resurrection.  
+ 1716-1724 - Desire for happiness. The beatitudes.  
+ 632-635 - Christ's descent into hell. Solidarity with all the dead.

**DAILY READINGS FROM SACRED SCRIPTURE:**

**Monday:** Jas 1: 1-11; Mk 8: 11-13

**Tuesday:** Jas 1: 12-18; Mk 8: 14-21

**Wednesday:** Jl 2: 12-18; 2 Cor 5: 20, 6:2; Mt 6: 1-6, 16-18

**Thursday:** Dt 30: 15-20; Lk 9: 22-25

**Friday:** Is 58: 1-9a; Mt 9: 14-15

**Saturday:** Is 58: 9b-14; Lk 5: 27-32

**Sunday:** Dt 26: 4-10; Psalm 91; Rom 10: 8-13; Lk 4: 1-13

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYERS:**

**FROM HOVEN:** Fr. Lance Oser, Helen Glodt, LaVonne Schumacher, Dyt Rundall, Marvin Schmidt, Kenny Kaup, Kay Klocker, Rick Karst, Richard Simon+.

**FROM ONAKA:** St. John's Parishioners, Bertha Tuchscherer, Phil Heintzman.

**OTHER:** Pope Benedict XVI, Bishop Paul Swain, priests, seminarians, Sisters of our Diocese, World Peace, sanctity of all human life, our military personnel, Jeff & Trish Simon, Laura Keller-Huber, Gene Ronke, Sandy Entringer, Dorothy Frost, Krista Seurer, Carmen Rausch.

**Names will remain on our prayer list for four weeks. Please contact Linda in the office to request continued prayers.**

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS February 17, 20-21, 2010**

**ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA - Ash Wednesday - 7:00PM**

LECTOR: Kurt Rausch  
EUCH. MIN: Don Seurer  
GREETERS: Wayne Stuwe Family  
SERVERS: Travis Clark, Ashur Fleming, Colton Hageman

**ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA - Saturday - 5:00 PM**

LECTOR: Rachelle Griese  
EUCH. MIN: Allen Frost  
GREETERS: Ron Arbach Family  
MARY'S HELPERS: Jasmine Frost, Shelby Shaykett  
USHERS: Please Volunteer  
SERVERS: Caleb Hageman, Isaac Kaiser, Garret Spindler

**ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST - Sunday - 8:00 AM**

LECTOR: Darin & Nathan Vetch  
OFFERTORY: Dwight Vogel Family  
USHERS: Please Volunteer

**ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA - Sunday - 10:00 AM**

LECTOR: Jerry Brickner  
EUCH. MIN: Bob Keller, Joel Rausch  
GREETERS: Bob Keller Family  
MARY'S HELPERS: Maria Rausch, Samantha Rausch  
USHERS: Please Volunteer  
SERVERS: Peter Rausch, Jacob Rausch, Michael Rausch, Andy Rausch

Almighty and everlasting God, have mercy upon Thy servant, Benedict, our Supreme Pontiff, and direct him, according to Thy loving kindness, in the ways of eternal salvation; that, by Thy gift, he may always desire that which is pleasing unto Thee and may accomplish it with all his might. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

***Please pray for Pope Benedict XVI's General & Mission Intentions for February:***

(G) General intention; (M) Mission intention

(G) **Scholars** - That scholars and intellectuals, by sincere search for the truth, may come to know the one true God.

(M) **The Church's Missionary Identity.** That the Church, aware of its missionary identity, may strive to follow Christ faithfully and to proclaim His gospel to all peoples.

**FR. LANCE'S NOTE**

**Dear Family in Christ:**

Coming this week is Ash Wednesday, which is the beginning of Lent during which we enter liturgically into the desert wilderness with our Lord as He prays, fasts and endures temptation in atonement for our sins. How much suffering we have cost our loving Savior! And how few of His disciples really understand and appreciate what our Lord has accomplished for us. **At St. Anthony's we will have Stations of the Cross every Friday @ 7pm and closing with Benediction.** With the help of His grace may each of us make a generous response this grace-filled opportunity of Lent. Please note: **On Fridays in Lent, we will have Mass/Rosary at 7:20am with Stations/Benediction at 7pm.**

This week we begin Catholic Family Sharing Appeal 2010. Your gift helps various ministries to reach out to thousands of our brothers and sisters, giving a voice to the unborn through the Respect Life Office, education in our faith for our religious education teachers, seminarian formation and ministry to the homebound. Please prayerfully consider a gift to this year's

appeal and fill out your pledge card and bring it to church next weekend or mail it to the rectory. If you do not receive a letter, please let the parish office know. Thank you for your generosity and may God reward you. *Ad Jesum per Mariam!*

**ADULT EVENTS/RETREATS**

**Tues., March 2nd - "Time Out for Women" presentation** @ Good Shepherd Hall, Ss Peter & Paul Catholic Church, Pierre. Mass @ 5:15pm with a Soup & Sandwich supper immediately following (\$6) and a 7:00pm presentation & panel. 'Lighting your personal candle'. Sponsored by Catholic Daughters of the Americas.

**March 5-7 - St. Bernard's Parish (Redfield) Koinonia Retreat**  
The Koinonia retreat theme is the Death & Resurrection of Jesus and is an experience of Catholic Christian Community of Prayer and Vision based on the Paschal Mystery of Christ. Contact Fr. Bill Osborn at 605-472-2500 for more info or an application. Rooms available if you care to stay overnight Friday and Saturday.

**Sat., March 13th - Day of Intercessory Prayer For Priests** @ Holy Spirit Parish, Mitchell, SD - In an effort to support the priests of our diocese, Charismatic Renewal is sponsoring "A Day of Intercessory Prayer For Priests" using Praise, Worship, Adoration and Intercession. The day begins at 10:00am and will conclude at 3:00 pm. A free-will lunch will be served. Pre-registration is requested for planning purposes. To register, or for more information, contact Jane Barz at [cottonwoodfrm@santel.net](mailto:cottonwoodfrm@santel.net) or 605-940-4101. Please join us as we pray for our priests.

**Saturday, April 24th - Introduction to Theology of the Body**  
Presentation by Christopher West at Holy Spirit Church, Sioux Falls. Session is from 9am to 3:30pm. Cost is \$40/person or \$75/couple (includes lunch). Register by 4-15-10. Download registration form at [www.tobinstitute.org](http://www.tobinstitute.org). For more info e-mail Kathy Davis @ [kdavis@qwestoffice.net](mailto:kdavis@qwestoffice.net) or call her @ 605-371-2320. See poster in the Church vestibule.

**COMING EVENTS - HOVEN**

**Mon., Feb. 22nd @ 8:00 PM** - KC Meeting at the KC Hall.

**COMING EVENTS - ONAKA**

**Tues., Feb. 16th @ 7:00 PM** - Altar Society meeting in the Community Hall.

**CCD/YOUTH CORNER**

**Bishop Hoch Deanery Scholarships** are available for attendance @ Mt. Marty, Yankton, or Presentation College, Aberdeen. Deadline for filing application is 4-16-10. These merit-based scholarships are made available by the annual Catholic Family Sharing Appeal. Scholarship recipients are selected from each of the seven deaneries in the Diocese. Application is available at the rectory.

**YOUTH RETREAT**

**In 2010 the Diocesan-led Steubenville trip will be going to the Steubenville North conference in St. Paul;** the dates of the actual conference are Friday, July 30th to Monday, August 2nd. Cost is \$325/person and includes a trip to Valleyfair The diocese has approximately 100 seats available. Visit [www.sfcatholic.org/youth/](http://www.sfcatholic.org/youth/) for more info and registration form.

**NOTES**

**Sun., Feb. 21st - KC Fundraiser for Dytz Rundall** - Serving pancakes, ham, sausage & eggs from 8:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the

KC Hall. Free-will offering.

**Sun., Feb. 21st - Hometown Soup Dinner** @ St. Boniface Church, Seneca. Serving starts at Noon. Beef Stew, Oyster Stew, Knoephla Soup, Homemade Bread and Pies. Free-will offering. Everyone welcome! Come and enjoy good food and fellowship!

**A new parish giving option:** Plains Commerce Bank customers now have the option of making automatic contributions to the parish from their savings or checking account. Please call Linda at the rectory for more information.

**Christmas Concert Pictures** are available at the rectory if you wish to order them. Cost is 50 cents each.

**Notice** - There are daily spiritual readings and reflections at the following website [www.apostleshipofprayer.org](http://www.apostleshipofprayer.org).

**Anniversary Mass Celebration** - If you will be celebrating 25, 50, 60, and 65 or more years of marriage, **please call the rectory by Mar. 19th** so your name can be submitted to the diocese. A special Mass in your honor will be celebrated this summer, date is not scheduled at this point. For those who submit their names, an invitation will be sent to you by the diocese to attend this celebration.

**Movies for Sale** - "The Passion", "Jesus of Nazareth", "Our Father's Plan", "Joan of Arc", "Kenosis Confession", "Three Kinds of Love", "The Meaning of the Mass". If interested, stop at the rectory or call us.

**Natural Family Planning & Fertility Care:** For information and a list of instructors and physicians call the Family & Children Faith Formation Office, 605-988-3776.

Also see: [www.usccb.org/prolife/issues/nfp](http://www.usccb.org/prolife/issues/nfp)

**Please remember** that the Church bulletin is available on St. Anthony's website at [www.stanthonyshoven.com](http://www.stanthonyshoven.com) and also in a printable form on the Hoven website at [www.hovensd.com](http://www.hovensd.com)

**SACRIFICIAL GIVING – ST. ANTHONY’S**

*February 6-7, 2010*

Amount collected for weekend.....\$2,027.00  
Amount collected for Haitian Relief.....\$209.00

**SACRIFICIAL GIVING – ST. JOHN’S**

*February 7, 2010*

Amount collected for weekend.....\$523.00  
Amount collected for Haitian Relief.....\$687.00

*God bless you for your continued support of our parishes!*

**Geothermal Update**

**Project Cost: \$495,000**  
**Pledge Goal: \$300,000**  
**Pledge Total: \$200,208.62**  
**Pledge Income Received: \$177,024.82**  
**Outstanding Pledge Balance: \$23,183.80**

**Haitian Relief Donations** are still being accepted. Please make your check payable to St. Anthony's or St. John's Parish. Our parishes will then forward your gifts to the diocese for Catholic Relief Services. **Thank you for your generosity! A special thanks to those who have already donated.**

### Prayer for a Priest

Lord Jesus, by the Precious Blood shed in Thy painful Scourging, shield with Thine own special protection and that of Thine Immaculate Mother, all the ministers of the sanctuary, so that having renounced the goods of earth in order to belong entirely to Thee, they may every day offer and receive Thy Body and Blood with such pious dispositions as to enable Thee to find in their hearts "a paradise of delight." Our Lady of the Precious Blood, watch over the living chalices of the Blood of Jesus. Amen.

### Lenten Regulations for Catholics

The Lenten season begins February 17th with Ash Wednesday. Here are the regulations and guidelines Catholics are to follow during the season of Lent.

- The Christian faithful are to do penance for their sins through prayer and fasting, abstinence and by exercising works of piety and charity. All Fridays through the year, especially during Lent, are penitential days.
- **Abstinence:** All who have reached their 14th birthday are to abstain from eating meat on Ash Wednesday and on all Fridays of Lent.
- **Fasting:** All those who are 18 or older, until their 59th birthday, are to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Only one full meal is allowed on days of fast. Two other meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to one's need; but together, they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted, but liquids are allowed.

The obligation does not apply to those whose health or ability to work would be seriously affected. People in doubt about fast or abstinence should consult a priest.

### Some Practical Tips for Lent

- \* Morning and Evening Prayers (this should be a habit).
- \* Monthly Confession (never hide a grave sin from the Priest).
- \* Daily Mass and/or Rosary (especially Sorrowful Mysteries).
- \* Read the Bible prayerfully for 30 minutes daily.
- \* Make a Holy Hour before Jesus present in the Most Blessed Sacrament at the hospital Adoration Chapel. Make the little extra time and effort it would take will reap spiritual benefits. *Our Lord is present there. What better way to renew one's spirit than by visiting the Lord in this unique and blessed way.* It would be great to see many people visiting throughout the days of Lent.
- \* Multiply acts of charity toward family and neighbors - be creative.
- \* Give donations to God and the poor (for a small offering, you can have a Mass offered for yourself or someone else).
- \* Fasting from food, TV, Internet, radio, music, movies and other entertainment; making real efforts to avoid temptation and sin every day.

The Church grants a Plenary Indulgence for reading the Bible for 30 minutes; for Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament for 30 minutes; for praying the Rosary in Church or with another person; for making the Stations of the Cross. A Plenary Indulgence can be gained once a day for oneself or for the souls in Purgatory but not for others who are living - they have to get their own.

These are just a few of the ways by which we can atone for our sins and grow in God's grace, and thus become SAINTS!! We are here on earth to choose to become either godlike or more like the devil...we choose every day, so we must choose wisely.

**Fasting and Abstinence** from *Externals of the Catholic Church* by Rev. John F. Sullivan - The penitential practices of fasting and abstinence are of very ancient origin. The Church, in her earliest

days, recognized the necessity for her children to "chastise the body and bring it under subjection," as St. Paul advises. "I see a law in my members fighting against the law of my mind and making me captive to sin... The wisdom of the flesh is death, but the wisdom of the spirit is life. If I live according to the flesh, I shall die; but if by the spirit I mortify the works of the flesh, I shall live." The doctrine of St. Paul has been repeated by every writer in the whole list of the Church's teachers. Century after century those who have written of spiritual things have sought to impress upon us that we human beings are composed of a human body which is perishable and a soul which is immortal; that the body is striving ever for mastery over the spirit; and that, therefore, besides the external sources of temptation which we summarize as "the world" and "the devil," we have always with us another, even more dangerous, which we cannot shun, for it is a part of our very nature. This is the reason for mortification.

Besides rendering the assaults of our bodily passions less dangerous for us, the practice of self-denial in things that are lawful will enable us to turn with greater earnestness to spiritual things.

### **ALTAR SOCIETY NEWS**

**Next Funeral Luncheon:** Circle 1

**Special Activity:** Circle 7- Cleans Church in February

**Wed., Feb. 17th @ 4:00pm** - Circle 7 cleans Church.