



Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time - October 25-26, 2025

"Jesus addressed this parable to those who were convinced of their own righteousness and despised everyone else. "Two people went up to the temple area to pray; one was a Pharisee, and the other was a tax collector. The Pharisee took up his position and spoke this prayer to himself, 'O God, I thank you that I am not like the rest of humanity - greedy, dishonest, adulterous - or even like this tax collector. I fast twice a week, and I pay tithes on my whole income.' But the tax collector stood off at a distance and would not even raise his eyes to heaven but beat his breast and prayed, 'O God, be merciful to me a sinner.' I tell you, the latter went home justified, not the former; for whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and the one who humbles himself will be exalted."

Luke 18:9-14

LITURGY & PRAYER

Sunday Liturgy:

Saturday 5 PM

Sunday 8 & 11 AM

Daily Liturgy:

Tuesday-Friday 8 AM

*The Rosary is prayed at 7:30 AM prior to Daily Mass

**First Friday Devotion following Mass on first Fridays

Eucharistic Adoration:

Wednesday 8:30-7:30 PM

Reconciliation:

Wednesday 5:30-6:30 PM

Saturday 3:30-4:30 PM

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Deacon Phillip Thompson

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A few years ago, the Reconciliation in the Pastoral Priority Plan for the diocese was expressed in this way: "As God has reconciled us through Jesus Christ, so we will promote forgiveness and healing within families; within and between communities; among racial groups; with the Church. We will invite others to experience the good news of God's love through an encounter with Jesus Christ."

When we choose to look for ways to be a reconciling community of believers, it is then that the Kingdom of God is made more present; it is then that Christ's merciful love comes alive; it is then that we are most authentic in the Christian way of life. Few weeks ago, I invited us all for a spiritual exercise in reconciliation in our life. I invited us to look into some of the past experiences and have those events to be joined to the life of Christ, our Merciful Savior. A true reconciliation begins when we as individuals have the desire for reconciliation and when we trust in the Spirit of God to guide us.

For our personal reflection on the reconciliation, I encourage us all to reflect in our prayer life on the possible questions:

1. How do I personally define reconciliation? How do I personally define unity?
2. What are signs that reconciliation exists? What are marks of unity? Marks of disunity?
3. With whom do I need to be reconciled with in my own life? In my family? In extended family? In the parish community?
4. Where is reconciliation and unity strong? In my own life? In my family? In extended family? In the parish community?
5. Do I find the process of reconciliation difficult? If so, why?
6. How does Jesus want me to become more involved in the ministry of reconciliation? (Ask Jesus to help you see this grace at work in your life)

For further study and reflection, I invite and encourage you to read; Catechism of the Catholic Church, paragraphs # 1420-1484. Many of us thinks of this Sacrament as outdated and perhaps not necessary. Some of us believe that our sins are only between God and the individual. What does the scripture say about it and where is the wisdom of the Church in this sacrament? You can find answers in the CCC #1420-1484.

In Christ,
Fr. Andrzej

The FALL FESTIVAL is next weekend. Please come and support OLBH's only Church fundraiser. The Country Store and Silent Auction will be open after all Masses next weekend. The Carnival and Turkey Dinner will be open 11-1:30 PM on Sunday. Come and enjoy the feast!

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FALL FESTIVAL & TURKEY DINNER

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND

TURKEY DINNER & CARNIVAL GAMES
11-1:30 PM

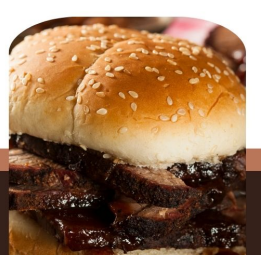
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SUGGESTED DONATION, DINNER IS A FREE WILL OFFERING

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PARISH MEAL

FIRST WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH | 5:30-6:30 PM
November 5th

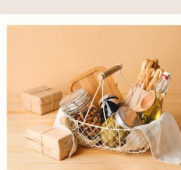


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To cook and serve a meal, call Angela in the office.

Fall Festival & Turkey Dinner

SILENT auction



OUR LADY OF THE BLACK HILLS

Saturday, 11/1, 6-7 PM
Sunday, 11/2, 9-1 PM

PLEASE CONSIDER DONATING AN ACUTION ITEM.
If you have new items or a basket you would like to donate please contact Cheryl at (605) 830-1457.

THE COUNTRY STORE

Calling all CRAFTERS & BAKERS

Support the parish with your donation of crafts, jams, and baked goods.

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Following all Masses November 1-2
Contact Shanesa Rhodes at 605-786-4240
Our Lady of the Black Hills - Piedmont

Join us for the next Wisdom Wednesday speaker event!



The Rosary:

Where it's from, Why it's prayed, and How to pray it

"The Rosary is a sweet chain linking us to heaven. It is the prayer of the simple and the great alike... It is Our Lady's school, where her children learn the secrets of the Gospel through her eyes and heart" (St. Bernadette Soubirous)

WED OCT 26 at 6:15pm

(during faith formation)

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EARLY BIRD BIBLE STUDY

Mondays
OLBH Library
7:30-8:30 AM

ADULT BIBLE STUDY with Shawna Hanson

Wednesdays
St. Joseph's Hall
4:30-5:45 PM



"JUST MEN" BIBLE STUDY

Thursdays
St. Francis
9-10:30 AM

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Book of Revelation
Thursdays
St. Joseph's Hall Kitchen
9-10:30 AM

WEEKLY SCHEDULE Pss II

*The Rosary is prayed at 7:30 AM prior to daily Mass.

Monday, October 27
7:30 AM Early Bird Bible Study
7 PM Women's Cursillo in the Library

Tuesday, October 28
SAINTS SIMON AND JUDE, APOSTLES
8 AM Mass for the repose of Tom Katzureck

Wednesday, October 29
8 AM Mass for the repose of Bernie Gerving
8:30-7:30 PM Adoration
4:30-5:45 PM Faith Formation
5:30-6:30 PM Confessions
6:15-7:30 PM Faith Formation
6:15 PM WISDOM WEDNESDAY - The Rosary

Thursday, October 30
8 AM Mass for the friends and benefactors of the Immaculate Heart Hermitage; presided by Bishop Bullock
9 AM "Just Men" Bible study
9 AM Women's Study of the Book of Revelation
6 PM Discipleship Commission Meeting

Friday, October 31
8 AM Mass for the wellbeing of Dean Hohm
8:45 AM Mass at St. Elizabeth Seton School for the repose of Treacy Franklin Gibbens

Saturday, November 1
ALL SAINTS DAY
7 AM Men's Cursillo
7 AM Confessions
8 AM Mass [All Saints Day] for the repose of Jan (John) and Zofia Wyrostek
9 AM Adoration for First Saturday Devotion
3:30-4:30 PM Confessions
5 PM Mass for Diocesan Masses for Life
Country Store & Silent Auction Open until 7 PM

Sunday, November 2
ALL SOULS DAY
8 AM Mass for the community of Our Lady of the Black Hills and our sister parishes of Kenel, Bullhead, and McLaughlin
Country Store & Silent Auction Open
11 AM Mass for the wellbeing of Jean Hohm
11-1:30 PM TURKEY DINNER & CARNIVAL GAMES
Country Store & Silent Auction Open until 1:30 PM

WEEKLY MINISTRY SCHEDULE

11/1 8 AM Mass with Fr. Andrzej **ALL SAINTS DAY**
Altar Servers: Justin Carlin (lead) Alexandria and Elaina
Lectors: Christine Pulaski (1st) NOT FILLED (2nd)
Hospitality: NOT FILLED
Sacristan: Stacy Tate
Eucharistic Minister: Deacon Phillip Thompson

11/1 5 PM Mass with Fr. Andrzej
Altar Servers: Sean Bestgen (lead) Oliver and Otto
Lectors: Jean Hohm (1st) Deacon Walt Wilson (2nd)
Hospitality: Tracy and Kim Cook
Sacristan: Joe and Linda Schacher
Eucharistic Minister: Samantha Hough

11/2 11 AM Mass with Fr. Andrzej
Altar Servers: Sean O'Connor (lead) RJ and Winter
Lectors: Brenda Flottmeyer (1st) Joyce Williamson (2nd)
Hospitality: Gary and Sandy Langfeldt
Sacristan: Bob Weaver
Eucharistic Minister: Diane Clarke

11/2 11 AM Mass with Fr. Andrzej
Altar Servers: Emmett Edwards (lead) Cash and Cole Litzen
Lectors: Joni Osnes (1st) Kelli Siemieniak (2nd)
Hospitality: Richard and Cathy Long
Sacristan: Stacy Tate
Eucharistic Minister: Dennis Fischer

"All good giving and every perfect gift is from above." Jas 1:17

October 18-19, 2025

	Automatic	Basket	Total
Adopt a Seminarian	54	1,000	1,054
Sunday Collection	3,654	8,069	11,723
Building Fund	42	-	42
Priest Retirement	-		250
BH Pregnancy Center			345
Fall Festival			1,000
Total Contributions	3,749	9,069	14,413.64

Did you know that OLBH is a Stewardship Parish? We ask that you give us your time, talents, and treasure to support our wonderful parish. In return we will utilize your gifts and talents to provide the resources, facilities, and events to aid you in your journey of faith. Please prayerfully consider automatic contributions at olbh.org/donate.



PRAYER MINISTRIES

PRAYER CHAIN To add an intention to the private OLBH prayer chain, text Shanesa Rhodes at 605-786-4240 or email shanesarhodes@gmail.com.

MASS INTENTIONS To request a Mass Intention please fill out the envelope on the back counter of the Narthex or call the office at 605-787-5168.

PRAYER BLANKET MINISTRY To obtain a prayer blanket, contact the office at 605-787-5168.

COMMUNION FOR THE HOMEBOUND If you or a family member are sick and would like Communion from a priest or lay extraordinary minister of the Eucharist, please call the office at 605-787-5168.

ANointing of the Sick If you or a family member has been diagnosed with an illness, are preparing for surgery, or in the case of serious illness, call the office to request the sacrament at 605-787-5168.

Intentions of the Holy Father for October

Pope's Intention: For collaboration between different religious traditions. Let us pray that believers in different religious traditions might work together to defend and promote peace, justice and human fraternity.

WEEKLY SCRIPTURE READINGS

The weekly readings are on the USCCB.org website.
Monday: Romans 8:12-17; Psalm 68:2 and 4, 6-7ab, 20-21; Luke 13:10-17
Tuesday: Ephesians 2:19-22; Psalm 19:2-3, 4-5; Luke 6:12-16
Wednesday: Romans 8:26-30; Psalm 13:4-5, 6; Luke 13:22-30
Thursday: Romans 8:31b-39; Psalm 109:21-22, 26-27, 30-31; Luke 13:31-35
Friday: Romans 9:1-5; Psalm 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20; Luke 14:1-6
Saturday: Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14; Psalm 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; 1 John 3:1-3; Matthew 5:1-12a
Sunday: Wisdom 3:1-9; Psalm 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Romans 5:5-11; John 6:37-40

OLBH NECROLOGY

To remember in prayer for the repose of their souls those whose deaths are recorded in the parish; and for the clergy that have served the Diocese of Rapid City. We pray for:

- October 27 Rev. Amandus Boelaars, S.J. (1945)
- October 28 Rev. Eugene Buechel, S.J. (1954); Mary Matt (1942)
- October 30 Rev. Henry Grothe, S.J. (1929); Rev. Robert Whiteside (1975)
- November 1 Deacon Lawrence Kocer (2005); Charles Panek (1965); Cora Coad (1965); Elizabeth "Betty" Walz (2017)
- November 2 Francis E. Basler (1991)

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR OUR ILL & HOMEBOUND

call to add a name to the prayer list. These individuals are in special need of your prayers. We pray for Fr. Andrzej Wyrstek, Thomas Eimers (father of Kim Harming), Lynn Gerving, Jean Schacher, Omel Weaver, Arlene Holzer, Linda Schacher, Joyce de Paulo, Charlene Mizenko, Adrienne Ghio, John Mizenko, Crescenia Yanez, Mary-Elizabeth Crane (sister of Sheila Keeler), Sheila Keeler, Kathleen Leutenegger, David Trautman Sr., John Gerving, Karen Bestgen, Mary Ann Pulaski, Tony Corbine, Jud Schumacher, Patricia Cariveau, Deb Curl, Coleen Short, Rebecca Boylan, Kodi Carlin, Angie Oberle, Rick Siewert (father of Jess Bernhagen), Ryan Wilson, Patty Tapp, Mary Antonsen, Klare Schroeder, Richard, Joyce Kinney, Gary Sexton, Kathleen Espinosa, Deacon John Osnes, Ann Garrido

FOR THE CURRENTLY DEPLOYED

Mike Scharn

FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED

We pray for the repose of the souls of the recently deceased. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. Edwin Weaver

ESTATE PLANNING & END-OF-LIFE SEMINAR

St. Joseph Church, Spearfish

November 10th

5:30pm - 8pm (Dinner Included)

St. Francis of Assisi, Sturgis

November 15th

10am - 2pm (Lunch Included)

RSVP BY CALLING WSDCF: **605-721-6843**



Join us in celebrating the Installation to the Ministry of Lector for the following Deacon Candidates:

Frank Birkholt
Todd Curtis
Eugene Iron Shell Jr.
John Talcott
Steve Van Mullem

NOVEMBER | 1 | 5:30 PM

Holy Cross Chapel
Terra Sancta Retreat Center

Reception will be held immediately following.

Going Deeper Youth Retreat – Nov 7-9

We invite high school youth to join us at Placerville Camp and Retreat Center for a weekend retreat. The retreat will be led by the Sisters of the Servants of the Pierced Hearts of Jesus and Mary and Air Force Lieutenant Colonel James Diroff. James – a combat aviator and U-2 pilot. This weekend will be a weekend of growth and encounter with Jesus Christ, our Lord. www.rapidcitydiocese.org/goingdeeper25/



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IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY SEMINARY COME AND SEE WEEKEND

November 14 - 17, 2025

PLACES

- Visit Cathedral of St. Joseph
- Visit Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe
- Participate in community fun and recreation

PEOPLE

- Meet Seminarians from the Diocese of Rapid City
- Speak with other seminarians
- Share in liturgical life
- Experience the daily schedule of a seminarian

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to be in
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November 9!



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Refuel Retreat for religious educators on Jan. 23-24.

Our speaker this year will be Colleen Carroll Campbell. The theme this year for Refuel will be "The Wisdom of the Saints." They can teach us about evangelizing a hostile culture, dodging the pitfalls of perfectionism, and resisting both dilution and distraction as we keep our eyes on the ultimate prize: helping Jesus save souls. Begins on Jan. 23 at 4:30 pm, concludes on Jan. 24 at 4 pm. Cost, \$100 (early bird discount of \$10 before Jan. 5)

Registration and more information: <https://www.rapidcitydiocese.org/refuel26/>

MISCARRIAGE RETREAT

- Have you experienced the loss of a child during pregnancy and longed for a safe place to grieve and heal?
- Have you desired to connect with others who understand your loss and share your journey of faith?
- Are you seeking time with the Lord to find peace, hope, and renewal after loss?



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NOV 9th | 3 PM

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