

Gathered at the Cross. Sent to Serve.

RISEN SAVIOR CATHOLIC CHURCH

Pastorate of the Holy Cross

18 OCTOBER 2026 | 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Welcome!

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses
Saturday | 5:00pm Vigil
Sunday | 8:00am & 10:30am

Weekday Masses
Monday | No Mass
Tuesday | 5:00pm
Wednesday | 9:00am
Thursday | 9:00am
Friday | 9:00am @ Bethany

Confession
Saturday | 4:00pm - 4:45pm
Other | By Appointment

Adoration
Thursday | 6:45am - 8:45am

GET IN TOUCH

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This Sunday and Monday evening @ 6pm we are happy to bring to our parish a TREMENDOUS speaker - Paul J. Kim - for our parish mission. This a speaker you do not want to miss. Sunday evening he will be speaking about how Confirmation is NOT Graduation. The middle school and high school youth from St. Rose and Risen Savior will be in attendance. After coming on Sunday, you will want to return, again, on Monday!

"Paul J. Kim is one of the most engaging, dynamic, unique evangelists on the scene today, period. He's got it all: the content, the way of delivering the message without beating around the bush, and speaking straight to a person's heart. He's also able to carry his content with a level of engagement and entertainment that is truly world class. I can't recommend him highly enough."
- Chris Stefanick

GET TO KNOW US

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Mass Schedule & Intentions

Monday, 19 Oct: No Mass
Tuesday, 20 Oct: (5 PM) Rose Welchert †
Wednesday, 21 Oct: (9 AM) Monica Braa †
Thursday, 22 Oct: (9 AM) Neva Clausen (99th BD!)
Friday, 23 Oct: (9 AM @ Bethany) Nancy Pulford †
Saturday, 24 Oct: (5 PM) Parishioners of the HC
Sunday, 25 Oct: (8 AM) Sr. Edane Volk †
(10:30 AM) Jacob Mulder †

2 Week Sanctuary Candle:
For our deployed Military
1 Week Mary Candle:
Nancy Ellwein †
Elaine Lundberg †
1 Week Joseph Candle:
Warren Kranz †
Respect for all life

NEWS AND EVENTS

Congratulations to Nicole and David Owens, who were recently joined in the Sacrament of marriage at Risen Savior!

Born to New Life in Christ and joined to our faith community through the Waters of Baptism, we welcome:
Arthur David Lundin, son of Nate & Sam
Wishing you a journey of faith, guided by the love of Jesus, and the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

World Mission Sunday - *This Sunday is World Mission Sunday! One in Christ, united in Mission.* Last year gifts from the U.S. helped form 41% of seminarians worldwide, built 751 new Churches, Sustained 1,130 mission dioceses, trained 843,785 missionary catechists and supported 50% of all religious sisters worldwide. United in Christ, let us bring everyone to Him: Give now if you can. Envelopes and a basket is available in the foyer. Learn more: *www.pontificalmissions.org/wms*

Join Jackie and help her clean up the grounds next Wed., October 21st beginning at 9:30 AM. Bring your favorite gloves, rake and/or hedge trimmers. Every extra pair of hands makes a big difference - hope to see you there!

We did it! Thanks to your generous donations, our tree-planting goal has been reached and the planting is complete. Any remaining funds will be used to spruce up the landscaping around the North side of the building once the wall is repaired. Thank you so much for your amazing support!

This October, we're supporting the Perpetual Adoration Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament. The Sisters would like to pray for your intentions. *Prayer request forms are on the table in the foyer. Please fill one out and place it in the wooden box, and we'll deliver them to the Sisters.* They also need food and other items this month, and you can find items listed on sheets of paper in the basket. Thank you!

Prayer Garden Annual Fall Fundraiser: Oct 24-25
Something for everyone - baked goods & treats, canned goods, craft items, gluten free options and more! Proceeds will benefit the Prayer Garden. One of the items that they would like to purchase soon is a veterans plaque. *Thank your for your support!*



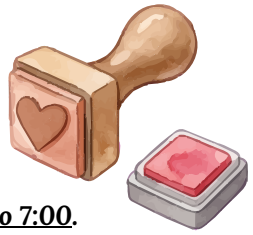
NEW TO OUR COMMUNITY OR CHURCH?

Join our parish family today and stay updated on all the happenings! Scan the QR code to join!

TODAY'S READINGS

ISAIAH 45:1, 4-6; PSALM 96:1, 3, 4-5, 7-8, 9-10;
1 THESSALONIANS 1:1-5B; MATTHEW 22:15-21

CHILDREN & YOUTH



We Belong to God! 🪙
This week, our readings remind us that we are created in God's image and everything we have belongs to Him. In the Gospel, some people try to trap Jesus with a tricky question about paying taxes to the emperor. Jesus looks at a coin, sees the emperor's face stamped on it, and says to give the emperor what belongs to him—but more importantly, to give God what belongs to God! The prophet Isaiah reminds us that God is the true King over all earthly rulers, and Saint Paul tells us how thankful he is for the way the community puts their faith into action. Because we are made by God, we carry His love stamped right onto our hearts!

💬 **Table Talk**
In today's readings, Jesus reminds us that while we have rules to follow at school or in our towns, our whole hearts and lives belong to God because He made us.
At dinner or in the car this week, ask your kids:

- "A coin has the face of a ruler stamped on it, but we have God's love stamped on our hearts. What are some ways we can show the world that we belong to God this week?

🙏 Family Prayer

Dear God, thank You for creating us in Your image and filling us with Your love. Help us to always remember that we belong to You, and give us the courage to share Your kindness with everyone we meet. Amen.
❤️

- ***NO CGS Atrium October 18th or 19th***
- ***Faith Formation for 7th-10th on October 18th from 5:30 to 7:00.***
- ***Faith Formation for K-6th on October 21st at regular times (No FF for 7th-10th on that day)***

Our **Faith Formation** students had a truly blessed week experiencing the profound joy and peace of Eucharistic Adoration. It was beautiful to witness our youth resting in the real presence of Jesus, offering up their prayers, and experiencing quiet moments of reflection. We are incredibly proud of their reverence and pray that this special time in front of the Blessed Sacrament continues to spark a lifelong love for Christ.



Youth Group Costume Party: October 26th from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm Bring a friend, costume, and snack to share!

Youth Group Corn Maze: October 30th. Details to come!



YOUTH CHOIR will meet this Sunday at 9:15-10 AM.

Youth Chili Fundraiser prior to our Parish Mission!

- When: Sunday, October 18 from 4:30-5:30
- What: Enjoy a delicious bowl of chili and help support our youth fundraising efforts for the trip!
- If you would like to volunteer to help out, we would love to have you!

RISEN SAVIOR PRESCHOOL

Thank you to the parents who came to conferences this past week!
The students are learning about Fall, Fire Fighters, Fire Safety, and Saints this month. November 1st is All Saints Day; make sure to say hello to the preschoolers when you come to Mass that morning. We will have gifts for you after Mass as well! Don't miss it!
Upcoming Events: Thursday, October 29th and Friday, October 30th we will be having a Halloween party. Costumes, Crafts, Games, and Trick or Treating will be so much fun!





STEWARDSHIP | MINISTRY

WEEK AT A GLANCE

STEWARDSHIP

Needed each week for regular expenses $12,500.00

10/11/2026

Adult Envelope - $ 6,843
Plate Cash/Check - $ 3,006
Auto-Contributions - $ 8,605
Stipends & Stole Fees - $ 10
Children's Envelopes - $ 71
Buildings & Grounds - $ 0
Weekly Total - $ 18,535

New online giving & payments! Simply scan the QR code to make payments for Risen Savior!

FOLLOW US

Mass is recorded each weekend on YouTube - risensaviorbrandon

My Parish App: Text App to 55321 or download myParish App using your app store.

The **Risen Savior Mass** is broadcast on the ALLIANCE CHANNEL on Monday evenings at 8 PM. The **Sunday TV Mass** is also broadcast weekly by the Catholic Diocese of SF on Sundays @ 10:30 AM on KELOLAND.

SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Fill out the form located on the Sacraments page of the parish website.
Marriage: Diocesan policy requires six months preparation for all couples planning marriage. Please contact Fr. Young well in advance of a desired wedding date.

CFSA 2026 - OUR GOAL: $135,000

Thank you for your stewardship! Please remember to return your pledge card to the parish office if you haven't done so already. Currently we have **$148,373** pledged and **$140,361** has been collected. We have had 286 households participate to date.

SIMPLIFIED GIVING: One option is to share your gifts by signing up for Simplified Giving - Automatic Withdrawals. You can have your parish support, CFSA, or Contributions taken out weekly or monthly. Forms are available in the parish office.

AROUND THE AREA

STAND STRONG Falls Prevention Program: A Matter of Balance (by Sanford Health) will be held on Tuesdays, Nov 3-Dec 22, 2026 (8 sessions) from 12:30-2:30pm and is FREE to all participants. This will be held at Blessed Redeemer Lutheran Church, 705 S. Sioux Blvd., Brandon. Registration is required by calling 605-333-4440.

Mother's Event in Sioux Falls Nov. 9: Join Lisa Hendey, Catholic author and speaker, for a presentation, "Everyday Encouragement for Today's Catholic Mom," on Monday, at 9 a.m. in the St. Mary Parish Hall in Sioux Falls. All mothers in the diocese are invited to join us for this event! For more information, visit divinemercysf.org/pastorate-mission.

Spiritual Direction: Arrange to meet monthly with a certified spiritual director to reflect on your experience of God. Confidential one-to-one meetings can be in person or via Zoom. Contact us at BenedictinePeaceCtr@yanktonbenedictines.org or 605-668-6292.

The November Schedule is "Live" so get signed up today!

October 24 - October 25: Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Saturday, 5:00 PM	Sunday, 8:00 AM (Mass)	Sunday, 10:30 AM (Mass)
Server	Brayden Hamilton (1) Olivia Hanten (2) Rozlie Swenson (3)	Isabelle Larson (1) Isaiah Larson (2) Briggs Lutz (3)	Braxton Witt (1) Parker Witt (2) Isaac Marx (3)
Extraordinary Eucharistic Minister	Marilyn Moor Jeannie Schneider Casey Swenson Janelle Vis **Needed**	Jane Mutschelknaus David Mutschelknaus Rick Pudwill Mary Beth Pudwill **Needed**	Patricia Kohnen Debbie Kribell Jeff Kribell Gary Lien Jane Mutschelknaus
Lector	Michelle Stemwedel (1) Marilyn Moor (2)	Rick Pudwill (1) Rebecca Larson (2)	Debbie Kribell (1) Ann McPherson (2)
Usher	Glen Hoffer Michele Hoffer	Steve Tripp Cade Tripp	Samantha Miley Nicholas Miley
Video-Tech		Russ Kielman	

SUN 18 OCT
8:00 AM Mass
No CGS
9:15 AM Youth Choir
10:30 AM Mass
4:30 PM Youth Chili Feed
6:00 PM PARISH MISSION with PAUL J. KIM

MON 19 OCT
No CGS
12:30 Prayer Shawl Ministry
6:30 PM Scriptural Rosary
M.O.W. Dave W.
6 PM PARISH MISSION with PAUL J. KIM

TUES 20 OCT
11 AM Funeral Mass
5 PM Mass
M.O.W. Dave W.

WED 21 OCT
9 AM Mass
9:30 AM Grounds Clean up
K-6th Faith Formation
NO 7th -10th Faith Formation
M.O.W. Howard & Nancy B.

THUR 22 OCT
6:45 AM Adoration
9 AM Mass
7:15 PM Knights of Columbus
M.O.W. Dave W.

FRI 23 OCT
9 AM Mass at Bethany
Parish Office Closed at 10 AM
M.O.W. Dave W.

SAT 24 OCT
4 PM Confessions
5 PM Mass

SUN 25 OCT
8 AM Mass
9 AM CGS
10:30 AM Mass