



Knights of Columbus

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP COUNCIL 1489



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Round Tables at Immaculate Conception (Latin), Rapid City and St. Michael's in Hermosa
August 2026



**KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS**
IN SERVICE TO ONE, IN SERVICE TO ALL.

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GRAND KNIGHT REPORT



Bill Swanson
Grand Knight

Brothers,

During July we had our annual presentation of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Icon at Our Lady's Chapel. The icon was presented on the 20th at the conclusion of the 5:30 evening mass with a Fourth Degree Guard. On the 27th, again after the 5:30 mass, we held our Holy Hour with approximately 30 people in attendance including several Knights. At the end of July the Icon is to be passed on to the next stop.

Just a reminder to all, it was decided to discontinue the potluck before the Regular Meeting. Because of this, the meeting time will be at 7 p.m.. Those of you attending the meetings, remember that both the Officers Business meetings and the Regular meetings will both start at 7

p.m. now.

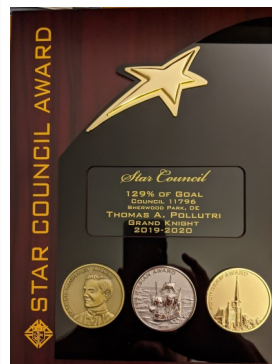
And now, the Fair and Snack Shack will be happening between the 21st and 29th. We will be calling members to fill out the shift schedules beginning on or about August 3rd. The Fair hours will be the same as last year, Fridays, Saturdays, and the one Sunday will have three shifts starting at Noon. They are 1200 to 3, 3 to 6, and 6 to close. Monday through Thursday will require two shifts starting at 3PM. Those are 3 to 6 and 6 to close. Please look at your schedules for that time period and see which shift or shifts will work for you. I do not need to remind you that this is our biggest fund-raising event of the year.

Vivat Jesus,
Bill Swanson
Grand Knight Council 1489



The exemplification ceremony will now be before the Officers Meeting on the first Tuesday of each month. The ceremony will begin at 6:15 p.m. This month's exemplification has been cancel. The exemplification is for any new members to be initiated to the Council. It is also for any other members that are just 1st degree and wish to advance to the 2nd and 3rd degrees.

Congratulations!



Council 1489 has earned the 2025-2026 Star Council Award, recognizing excellence in program activity, membership growth (100% of quota), insurance promotion, fraternal reporting, and Safe Environment

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Recruitment Committee 2

Victor Walz

Recruitment Committee 3

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Knight Light Newsletter



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Knight Light Articles for September need be
in the office by August 22nd.

August 2026 Calendar

Tuesday 4

- Officers Meeting at 7:00 p.m.

Thursday 6

- Transfiguration of the Lord

Friday 7

- First Friday

Tuesday 11

- Pot Luck cancel.
- Regular Membership Council Meeting at 7:00 p.m. in the Cathedral All Saints Hall.

Wednesday 12

- Blessed McGivney's Birthday

Thursday 13

- Blessed McGivney's Memorial

Friday 14

- Blessed McGivney's death anniversary

Saturday 15

- Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

August 21 to 29

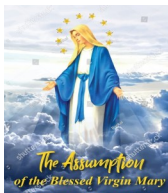
- Annual Fund Raiser at the Central State Fair

Tuesday 24

- 4th Degree Meeting at St. Therese.

Monday 31

- Annual Bishop's Golf Classic



Members' Birthday

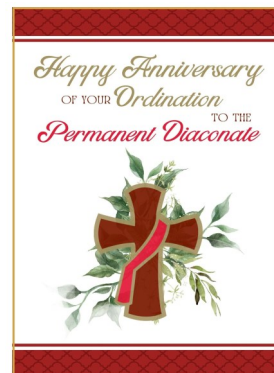
Cliff J Bienert	08-01
Joseph H Hill	08-01
Jay D Wickham	08-01
Anthony Deiss	08-03
Rev Brian P Christensen	08-06
Okwudili D Ogbozor	08-07
Mark E Schlichte	08-07
Dr Christian Gaffney	08-08
Jacob riley Bakken	08-11
Andrew S Harris	08-12
Rev Leonard Ssenyonjo	08-14
Lyle H Bradford	08-15
Stephen J Hasenohrl	08-15
Jerome F Zacher	08-17
Justin M Esser	08-19
Casey S Scherr	08-19
Keith D Knudson	08-20
Michael J Oster	08-23
Michael E Holeyton	08-25
Randal R Turbak	08-27
Rev John E Hatcher SJ	08-31

Wives' Birthday

Belinda Wickham	08-01
Patricia French	08-02
Criitlin Meyer	08-04
Kendrea Flynn	08-05
Karrie Duffy	08-09
Carol Shatraw	08-10
Angela Linster	08-11
Roxanne Stephens	08-11
Hannah Rippeda	08-13
Molly Stenger	08-18
Rebecca Wilkening	08-20
Jennie Plucinski	08-24
DeAnna Schrader	08-24
Nancy Jo Lester	08-27



Timothy and Patricia French	08-07-1965 "61"
Darrell and DeAnna Schrader	08-07-1958 "68"
Joseph Jr and Michele Carlin	08-13-1994 "32"
Dennis and Lynnette Braun	08-18-1972 "54"
Leonard and Jean Heier	08-18-1973 "53"
Delaine and Michele Lutz	08-21-1999 "27"
Eric and Kim Williams	08-23-2003 "23"
Richard and Rita Doerr	08-24-1991 "35"
Richard and Judy Thompson	08-26-1962 "64"
Delbert and Kathryn Brewer	08-27-2005 "21"
Jeffrey and Barbara Ogaard	08-27-1975 "51"
Dr Gregory and Pam Scherr	08-28-1981 "45"
Jacob and Kelly Ruggles	08-30-2008 "18"



Deacon
Frederick G
Tully
08-16-1998
"27"

Deacon Raul D
Daniel
08-30-2004
"22"

Family of the Month for June

Francis and Kathy Toscana

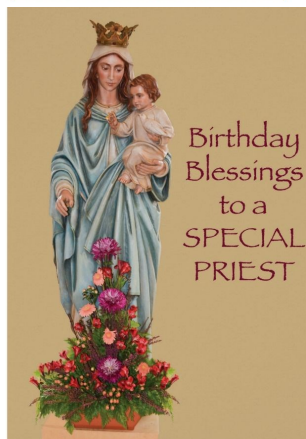
Knight of the Month for June

Libby Usera

PENNIES FROM HEAVEN

When you come to any of
our meetings or gathering
bring your pennies.

Pennies will go to the KC
State for Charity works.



Rev. Brian P
Christensen
08-06

Rev.
Leonard
Ssenyonjo
08-14

Rev.
John E
Hatcher SJ
08-31



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Knight Light Newsletter



Make the most of your **time**. You will be held accountable as to how you used your **time**. The best use of **time** is when we worship at Mass and pray to our God throughout the week. A rosary can be prayed in only 15 minutes. Maybe the next goal is offering help **time** at our Church through ministries and attendance at Church functions and classes.

How about **time** helping our "neighbor", who can be anyone in need, either spiritually, mentally, or physically.



Fellow Knights, Sign up for the snack shack will be in August. This year the Snack shack runs from Friday, August 21 through Saturday, August 29. We have three shifts on Friday, Saturday and Sunday from 12:00

PM to 3:00 PM, and 3:00 PM to 6:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. to closing. There will be two shifts on Monday to Thursday, from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. to closing. We need quite a bit of help yet so please check your schedules and see what days you can help out. Significant others, friends, neighbors and relatives are welcome to join in as well. And do not forget we will be cleaning before and after as well. Fourth degree will be looking for workers at the Bingo. Remember this is one of our major fund raising events. Please spread the word to the other Knights that you see. The committee will be calling for volunteers to work the café starting August 3rd.



Pancake, Sausage, Biscuits and Gravy Breakfast

Thank you for all who helped with the breakfasts this past year. The pancake breakfast will be in September 2026.



Tootsie Roll Drive

The Tootsie Drive last year went pretty well. The donations were outstanding. Want to thank everyone who helped out last year. It is time to find someone to chair the drive this year. If you are interested in taking over the

position, come to the next meeting or drop us a line e-mail: knightsc@midconetwork.com.



The monthly potluck dinner has been canceled due the lack of interest of the members. The potluck dinner was a family and widows get together. Some of the members still want to have the dinner, but was out voted. If you believe that we should still have the potluck dinner come to the next

membership meeting on August 11 at 7:00 p.m. So we can try to get it back in the schedule. This is one of our family events that we have.

Sacred Heart Of Jesus Holy Hour



The Holy Hour for the Icon was held on Monday July 27, after the 5:30 p.m. Mass. 30+ people attended the holy hour. Fr Matt Fallgren led the holy hour. The readers were GK Bill Swanson and Jim Stephens.



Family News

Our summer picnic is going to be August 22nd starting at 11:00 a.m. at the Angostura Reservoir. We will again set up the tents on the public beach in front of the restaurant and have a picnic for anybody that wants to attend. Council will be supplying the burgers and hot dogs and refreshments, just bring a side dish with you to share. Bring a beach chair and a towel. It should be a very nice day to enjoy the lake. We have a ski boat on hand as well as a pontoon so this should be plenty of fun for everybody. Put this on your calendar. Hope to see you and your family there.

Greg Scherr, Family Director

Fall Kick-off at Main Street Square | September 2, 2027



Join us Wednesday, September 2, as we kick off another great year of formation! Meet us at Main Street Square for an evening of faith, fun, and fellowship.

4:30PM | Live music, socializing, and games
5:30PM | Holy Mass on the Square celebrated by Bishop Scott Bullock
6:30PM | Sack supper
Bring your friends, neighbors, and a favorite chair or blanket. All are welcome!



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MARRIAGE RETREAT

SEPTEMBER 4-6, 2026

Terra Sancta Retreat Center | \$400/couple
rapidcitydiocese.org/becomingone

REGISTER HERE



Sioux Spiritual Center 50th Anniversary | August 12, 2026



Parking opens at 9:30.

Mass with Bishop Bullock, followed by lunch and a program.

We will be joined by Fr Hatcher, Fr McCorkell, and Fr Damian O'Connell.

Please register at www.siouxspiritualcenter.org/retreats, or call 605-985-5906

Disaster Relief Funding



Catholic Social Services manages responses to disasters in the diocese. Recent ongoing storms have caused damage to 34 homes in the

Oglala area. The Red Cross has requested assistance from local groups to safeguard roofs and windows and provide supplies for residents. As we respond to these needs, we invite parishioners to contribute to the Disaster Relief Fund so that help is readily available to help out during this event or the next flood, fire, tornado or other natural disaster. Contribute online at <https://www.cssrapidcity.com/donate/>. Under "other information" enter "Disaster Relief."

2026 Bishop's Golf Classic



When: Monday, August 31, 2026 - Shotgun Start at Noon

Where: Arrowhead Country Club, Rapid City

Benefits: Proceeds support Catholic Social Services, the Rapid City Catholic School System, and the Western South Dakota Catholic

Foundation. **Registration:** Register today and support Catholic education, social services, and ministries across western South Dakota. Your participation makes a difference!

Foursome Team – \$1,000

Individual Player – \$250

Your registration includes: reception, green fees, cart, access to the driving range and putting green, plus prizes and the awards social. Register your team or sign up as an individual. Spaces fill quickly, so don't wait!

Please contact us if you have any concerns or questions.

605-721-6843



Keeping children & young people safe

A Safe Environment for Children and Young People

The Catholic Diocese of Rapid City is firmly committed to creating and maintaining the safest possible environment for our children and young people. To report allegations of sexual abuse by church personnel, contact Victim Assistance Coordinator Irene Lee. To ensure confidentiality in our outreach to victims, she can be contacted privately at 605-209-3418 (cell). Alleged victims are advised of their right to report alleged abuse to civil authorities.

In accordance with diocesan policy, all allegations of sexual misconduct involving children, young people, and vulnerable adults by priests, deacons, lay employees, or volunteers serving the Diocese of Rapid City will be investigated. The diocesan

sexual misconduct policy and the code of conduct are posted on the diocesan website at www.rapidcitydiocese.org.