

Sacred Heart To Hold Open House

Yankton's Sacred Heart School will hold an Open House for Preschool, Jr. Kindergarten and Kindergarten students on Tuesday, Jan. 27, from 5:30-7 p.m. (snow date Jan. 29). The Open House will be held in the St. Benedict Dining Room and Sacred Heart Elementary at 1500 St. Benedict Drive.

Dinner will be provided at 5:30 with presentation and tours to follow.

Come hear about what Sacred Heart School has to offer you and your child as they begin a faith filled educational journey. Sacred Heart School provides small class sizes with individualized instruction providing a strong academic foundation.

If you are unable to attend the above date, call to set up a meeting with Mrs. Haberman.
RSVP to Mrs. Rockne at 665-5841.

Moody Chorale To Perform March 19

The Moody Chorale will perform at Calvary Baptist Church, 2407 Broadway, Yankton, on Thursday, March 19, at 7 p.m.

Founded in 1946 at Moody Bible Institute in Chicago, the Chorale has long been established as one of America's leading collegiate choral organizations specializing in sacred music. Their repertoire includes a broad range of songs chosen from various cultures, styles and time periods.

There is no charge for the concert (a freewill offering will be taken) and the public is encouraged to attend.

Omaha Monsignor Named Next Bishop

GRAND ISLAND, Neb. (AP) — A monsignor from Omaha has been chosen to lead Roman Catholics in the Grand Island Diocese.

The appointment of Monsignor Joseph Hanefeldt was announced Wednesday. He will replace Bishop William Dendinger, who submitted his resignation on his 75th birthday, as is required of all bishops. Dendinger has held the post since 2004.

The 56-year-old Hanefeldt was born in Creighton and grew up on an 800-acre farm near Center. Hanefeldt has been the pastor of Omaha's Christ the King Parish since 2012.

Hanefeldt will be installed as bishop on March 19 at the Cathedral of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

The diocese covers more than 42,000 square miles in central and western Nebraska.

Doctor Who Beats Ebola Goes To Liberia

WORCESTER, Mass. (AP) — The Massachusetts doctor who beat Ebola says he'll return this Thursday to Liberia, where he contracted the deadly virus.

Dr. Rick Sacra says he'll spend several weeks helping overworked colleagues in the missionary hospital where he worked for years, and then return to the U.S. next month.

The 52-year-old Sacra expects to mostly treat patients with malaria and health issues like high blood pressure and diabetes at ELWA, a hospital in the Liberian capital of Monrovia that is run by Serving In Mission, a North Carolina-based Christian organization.

Sacra says he won't be working directly with Ebola patients but might be asked to help from time to time, since doctors say he's now immune.

Sacra told reporters, "Thank God I'm through it." But he said he has no interest in testing his immunity and promised to follow all the necessary Ebola safety protocols.

Kids Talk About God

What Does It Mean To Worship God?

BY CAREY KINSOLVING AND FRIENDS

EDITORS NOTE: This is part two of a three part series about what it means to worship God.

"Worshipping God to me means that I can have a connection with him. It's like I can go to him and worship, and I can lift a heavy burden from my shoulders," says Sarah, 11.

God wants to lift our burdens, but he can't as long as we're tightly grasping them. Have you ever noticed how some people derive their identity from their burdens? In worship, we're caught up in the immensity of God. It's easier to stop grasping for control and to start trusting a loving God who has a bigger plan for us than we can imagine.

The apostle Peter wrote: "Therefore, humble yourselves under the mighty hand of God, that he may exalt you in due time, casting all your care upon Him, for He cares for you." (1 Peter 5:6-7)

"When we worship God, our problems become smaller, and God becomes bigger," says Marlee, 9. "We need to realize God is bigger and stronger. He is truly an awesome God."

"To God, your problems are like a piece of candy," says Abby, 9.

It's dessert time whenever God's children hurl a problem on him. Parents like to help their small children with problems that appear so big to them.

Seeing God in worship keeps us attuned to our childlike dependence on him.

"Worship means that God is getting the things he most deserves – worship, praise, love, respect and so much more," says Alexandra, 10.

Children are happy and secure when they know their parents love them. Parents radiate delight when their children love, respect and honor them. My neighbor looked at her young daughter and said, "There's my heart walking around." It's no different with God. He delights in us when we worship, praise, love and respect him.

"Worship means to lift your hands, pray and be glad you are the son or daughter of Christ," says Cassey, 12.

If you've never thought of worship as celebration, think again.

It's too easy for us to associate worship with a familiar form. Discover God in a new venue by breaking out of the worship box that confines you.

"Worshipping is going to church every Sunday, praying or reading the Bible," says Blake, 9. You mentioned three activities of worship, Blake. Let me suggest a combo you may never have considered. Have you ever prayed the words of the Bible?

Select a passage of Scripture, meditate on it and pray it back to God in your own words. You could even do this with a friend. Meditation is usually associated with images of eastern mystics chanting a meaningless mantra to

empty their minds.

Bible meditation fills the mind with God through concentration on his Word. Psalm 1 begins with a promise of blessing for anyone who meditates on the Scriptures. In Jesus, the Word of God became flesh and dwelt among us, the apostle John wrote. The written Word and the living Word are inseparable.

Think about this: All true worship focuses on the exalted Lord Jesus, whom God the Father raised from the dead and placed upon heaven's throne.

Memorize this truth: "Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor stands in the path of sinners, nor sits in the seat of the scornful; but his delight is in the law of the Lord, and in His law he meditates day and night." (Psalm 1:1-2)

Ask this question: Have you ever meditated on Bible passages and prayed them to God as a means of worship?

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Pope Francis Begins Final Leg Of Asia Trip

BY NICOLE WINFIELD AND TERESA CERIOJANO

Associated Press

MANILA, Philippines — Pope Francis began his visit to Asia's largest Catholic nation Thursday with a provocative statement about one of Europe's largest Catholic nations: Referring to the Paris attacks, Francis said there are limits to freedom of expression, especially when it insults or ridicules someone's faith.

Francis made the comments to reporters en route to the Philippines, where hundreds of thousands of people lined Manila's streets to cheer him as he arrived from Sri Lanka for the second and final leg of his Asian tour. Francis said his visit here would focus on the plight of the poor, the exploited and

victims of injustice — themes sure to resonate in a nation where poverty afflicts nearly a quarter of its 100 million people.

Before touching down though, Francis weighed in on the debate raging in much of the world following the massacre by Islamic extremists against the satirical French magazine Charlie Hebdo, and subsequent attack on a kosher supermarket, that left 17 people and the three gunmen dead.

Francis defended freedom of speech as a fundamental right, and even a duty to speak out for the common good. But he said there were limits to free speech, especially when confronting another equally fundamental human right: the freedom of religion.

By way of example, he referred to Al-

berto Gasbarri, who organizes papal trips and was standing by his side aboard the papal plane.

"If my good friend Dr. Gasbarri says a curse word against my mother, he can expect a punch," Francis said jokingly, throwing a pretend punch his way. "It's normal. You cannot provoke. You cannot insult the faith of others. You cannot make fun of the faith of others."

He by no means said the violent attack on Charlie Hebdo was justified. Quite the opposite, he said such horrific violence in God's name couldn't be justified and was an "aberration." But he said a reaction of some kind was to be expected.

CHURCH SCHEDULES

Abundant Life Ministries

ABUNDANT LIFE MINISTRIES, Pastors Butch and Barbara Hladky, 517 Burleigh, Yankton. (605)665-0889. Open for prayer daily FRI. Shabbat Service 6pm Youth Service 7pm. SUN. 10am Worship.

Alliance of Renewal Churches

Living Water Christian Fellowship, Sunday 10am Yankton Middle School (2000 Mulberry) Wed 7pm Prayer. David Olson, pastor. 605-260-2138.

Assembly of God

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD 801 W. 25th 605-665-6362 (office) SUN 10am Bible teaching sermons WED 6:30pm Midweek services and Bible study for all ages. www.yanktonassembly.com

Baptist

ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH, 100 E. 6th St., Kevin Caskey, Pastor, 605-665-0066. SUN. 9:30am Sunday School, 10:45am Preaching Service, 4pm Preaching Service THU. 7pm Preaching Service.

BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH 301 Ohio St., Wakonda. Dr. Calvin Jones, pastor. 605-267-1100 SUNDAY Worship 11am.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, SUNDAY: 9am Sunday School for all ages, 10:30am Worship Service. MONDAY: Service broadcast 7:30pm. Channels 3 & 98. WEDNESDAY 5:30pm Family Meal; 6:30pm AWANA, 7-8th Grade Youth Group 7pm 9-12th Youth Group, Adult Bible Study. Interim Pastor Ralph Porter, Associate Pastor Rick Slattery, Youth Pastor Adam Ansel. www.cbchurch.com 2407 Broadway, 605-665-5594.

Harvest Independent Baptist, 100 W. 3rd, Mission Hill. Pastor Nathan Martin, 668-0708 (ch) 665-1481 (home). Sun 9:30am SS. 10:30am Worship. 5:30pm Worship. Wed 7:00pm Worship.

Yankton Baptist Church, SBC, 607 East 15th St., Yankton, SD. 605-665-7587. SUN 9:30am Bible study, SS; 10:45 am Worship. WED 7:00pm Midweek service.

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Bible Church

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Catholic

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, St Helena, NE. Rev Eric Olsen. 402-357-2400. Mass: 5:00pm Saturday's

Mount Marty College, Peace Chapel, MMC campus. Sun 10am Mass with the Sisters in the Bishop Marty Chapel. Public is welcome to attend.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC 509 Capitol, Yankton, Rev. Mark Lichter. 665-3655 (office). SAT 4:30pm Mass SUN 8am, 9:30am, 11am MASS THUR 12:30pm, 2:30pm and 7:30pm Confessions.

Sacred Heart Catholic Church Wymot, NE. Rev. Eric Olsen 402-357-2400. Mass times, Sundays 9:00am.

Sacred Heart Catholic Church 509 Capital, Yankton, SD. Rev. Mark Lichter 605-665-3655 (office). SAT 4:30pm Mass. SUN 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am Mass, Thursday 12:30pm, 2:30pm and 7:30pm Confessions

St Rose of Lima, Crofton, NE. Father Michael Schmitz. SAT Mass 8:00am & 5:30pm. SUN Mass 8:30am. Wed/Fri Masses 8:15am. Confessions Wed 11-11:30am Sat 5-5:20pm.

St. Agnes Parish Sigel rural Utica. Mass time: Every 2nd, 4th Sunday at 10:30am in winter & 8:30am in summer. Confessions ½ hour before Mass. Father Steven Jones.

St. Andrews Catholic Church, Bloomfield, NE. Fr. Michael Schmitz. Sunday Mass-10:30am; 2nd, 4th, 5th, Tuesday Mass 8:00am; Thursday Mass-8:00am

St. Benedict Catholic Church, 1500 St. Benedict Drive, Yankton. Father Ken Lulf, 605-664-6214 (church). Masses: SAT-5:00pm. SUN 8:30am & 10:30am

St. Boniface Catholic Church, Menominee, NE. Rev. James Keiter, SUN 8:30am. 1st SAT of month 8:00am

St. Boniface Idlywildie, rural Freeman, SD: Sunday Mass 11:00am 605-327-3438 www.stbonifacecd-parishesonline.com

St. Columbia Mayfield, SD. As of 11/15, SAT, evening Masses at Columbia in Mayfield rural Irene SD will be at 5:30pm.

St. George Scotland, SD: Sunday Mass 9:00am. 605-583-4318. www.parishesonline.com/stge-orgscotlandsd

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Fordyce NE. Rev James Keiter. SUN 10:30am Mass. Mon, Tues, Wed, 8:00am Mass. 1st Friday 8:00am Mass

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St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Lesterville. Mass time: Every 1st, 3rd, 5th Sunday 10:30am winter & 8:30am summer. Confessions ½ hour before. Father Steven Jones

St. Josephs Catholic Church, Constance, NE. Rev. James Keiter. SAT 7:30pm Mass.

St. Leo Catholic Church Tyndall Saturday 5:30pm Mass; Sunday 8:30am Mass. Confessions 45 mins before each Mass. Father Joseph Forcelle.

St. Patrick's Catholic Church Wakonda, SD. Father David Roehrich, Sunday 10:30am Mass.

St. Vincent Catholic Church Springfield, SD. Sunday 10:30am Mass. Confessions ½ hour before. Father Joseph Forcelle.

St. Wenceslaus Catholic Church. Tabor, SD Mass times: Winter Saturday 5pm & Sunday 8:30am. Summer Sunday 10:30am. Confessions SAT 4-4:30pm. Father Steven Jones.

Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church, Bow Valley, NE. Rev. Eric Olsen 402-357-2400. Mass: Sunday 11am.

The House of Mary Shrine, 6 miles West of Yankton, Hwy 52. Masses: Monday 8:30am – October. Masses Saturday's at 9:00am. Rosary Sunday's 4:00pm. Open 7 days a week for prayer thehouseofmaryshrine.org

Church of Christ

CHURCH OF CHRIST, 1114 West 12th, Yankton, 605-665-6379. SUN 9:30am Bible Study; classes for all ages. 10:30am Worship. WED Bible Study 7pm KDLT-TV 9am Sundays.

Church of Jesus Christ

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST LATTER-DAY SAINTS, 2300 Douglas, Yankton. Michael Maxwell 402-586-2345. Family History Ct. 605-665-0901. SUN. 10am Sacrament meeting.

Episcopal

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH Sunday 9am Serenity 10am The Holy Eucharist Wednesday Noon The Holy Eucharist 10am Holy Eucharist & Sunday School.

Evangelical

CORNERSTONE EVANGELICAL CHURCH Sunday 10am 613 Walnut St, Walnut Village in Yankton. www.cornerstoneevangelical.com (605)464-7254 Rev. Steve McHone

EMMANUEL CHURCH We gather together for worship every Sunday at 9:30 AM at the Yankton Middle School (2000 Mulberry). www.emmanuel-yankton.com (605)760-1143.

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Evangelical

Kingsway Christian Church, 19th & Burleigh, Pastor Raymond Solberg 605-665-6317. 9am-SS; Worship 10:15am, 6pm Bible Study Videos, Wed-6:30pm Kids for Christ/Adult Bible Study. www.kingswaysd.org

Lutheran

CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH NALC: 305 W. 25th, Yankton, 605-665-8848. Rev. Dani Jo Ninke. SAT 5:30pm worship service. SUN 9am worship service.

FAITH UNITED LUTHERAN, 44874 303rd St., Volin SD 57072, 605-267-2277. SUN. Worship Services 9:30am. Childrens Education WED. Evening (WOW) 6:30-7:30pm.

FIRST AMERICAN LUTHERAN CHURCH, AFLC 300 S. Carpenter St., Tripp. 605-935-6941 9:30am Sunday School; SUN. 10:45 Worship firsthope@santel.net

GAYVILLE-BERGEN LUTHERAN 605-267-4342, Worship: 9:00am-GLC Worship, 10:15am GLC SS, 9:15am BLC SS, 10:30am-BLC Worship.

HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH, AFLC 200 South Wilson, Delmont. 605-935-6941. SUN 9am Worship. 10am Sunday school. Firsthope@santel.net

Martinius Lutheran Church, Utica. Pastor Dean Schroeder. Sunday Divine Service 10:30am 605-589-3195. www.MartiniusLutheran.org

Our Redeemer Lutheran rural Irene. 605-263-3724. Sunday 9am Worship.

Our Savior's Lutheran, LCM/NALC, Menno. Pastor Theresa Jacobson Office 605-387-5241. Worship Saturdays 7pm.

Our Savior's Lutheran, LCMS, 12th and Elm, Springfield, Rev. Kenneth Johnson, pastor. Sun. 8am Worship. 9am SS. Thur. 7pm Adult Bible study.

Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, Wisconsin Synod, 201 E. 25th Street, Yankton. Pastor Christian Sultzle, 605-665-4793. Sunday 9:15am. Worship; 10:15am Bible Study

South Dakota Lutheran Church Missouri Synod, MAIN STREET LIVING television program, 10am (CST) on KDLT-NBC; and 11am (CST) on KAUN-PAX; and 10am (CST) on KKRA-PAX.

St. John Lutheran Church, Tyndall. Pastor Dean Schroeder. Sunday Divine Service; 8:30am; 10:00am Sunday School. 605-589-3195. www.StJohnsTyndallLCMS.org

St. John's Lutheran Church (LCMS), 1009 Jackson. Pastor David Gunderson. SUN 8am Worship, 9:15am Education Hour, 10:30 am Worship.

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Lutheran

Trinity Lutheran Church, Hartington/Crofton, NE. Amanda Jertson pastor; (402)254-9606. SUN 9am Worship (Hartington), 10am SS (Hartington), 11am Worship (Crofton).

Trinity Lutheran Church, 403 Broadway Yankton, 665-7415. Contemporary Service SAT 5:30pm & Sun 8:15am. Sunday School/Coffee Sun 9:30am; Traditional Service SUN 10:45am; Classes Wed 6:30pm

Trondhjem Lutheran Church (AFLC), rural Volin. 605-263-3841. Sunday 9:15am; 10:30am Worship

Vangen Lutheran Church, Mission Hill. 605-665-5426. Worship 10:30am. Sunday School 9:30am.

Non-Denominational

DISCOVERY CHURCH 205 W 3rd Street, Yankton. (605)689-2211. Pastor Jon Cooke discoverychurchoffice@gmail.com SUN: 9am Sunday School, 10:30am worship. www.discoverychurchyankton.org

FAITH ALIVE, 501 Cedar St., Yankton. 665-4797. Contemporary Worship & Family Values. SUN: 10am service. WED. 7pm CareCells "Small Groups For Building Relationships" Various Locations.

GLORY CHRISTIAN Center, 901 E 11th St. Yankton. Gail Ryken, pastor, 605-665-2369. SUN. 10am Service. WED 6pm Prayer. GC School, call (605)665-1988.

Presbyterian

Peace Presbyterian (PC/USA), 206 E. 31st. 605-665-0448. Sunday 11:30am worship. Coffee 11am. Aired at 8pm Fri. on Ch. 3 & 98.

Reformed

Riverview Reformed Church, 17th St. & Burleigh, Yankton. Reverend Rodney Velhuizen, pastor. 605-665-9204. Sun. 9:30am Worship, 10:15am SS. Wed. youth group & adult choir.

Seventh-Day Adventist

Seventh-Day Adventist, 722 Locust St., Yankton, 665-1032. Worship Services: Saturday 9:30am & 11am. Pastor Nick Osborn (605) 760-7791. Yankton Fruit Program. Yanktonfruitprogram.org

United Church of Christ

CONGREGATIONAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST, Newcote, NE, 303 Hwy. 12. Rev. Gary Kimm, pastor. SAT 6pm Church school, 7pm Worship. Second THURS. 2pm Ladies Aid

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST, 301 W. Franklin, Hartington, NE, 402-254-6563 or 664-5310, Rev. Gary Kimm, pastor. SUN. 8:15am Church school, 9am Worship.

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United Church of Christ Crofton, NE, 412 W Main St., (402)388-4124. Pastor Woodrow Weidner SUN 10:00am Worship.

United Church of Christ (Congregational) 210 West 5th St. Yankton, SD 605-665-7320 Pastor Molly Carlson. SUN 8:45am and 11:00am Church School. 9:50am Fellowship, 10am Church School.

United Methodist

FIRST UNITED METHODIST, Yankton. Rev. Ron Johnson, Senior Pastor, 207 W. 11th St. 665-2991. Sunday worship times: Traditional 11am; Contemporary 8:30am; Sunday school 9:45am.

First United Methodist. Wakonda, Irene, Viborg: Pastor Judy Saylor. SUN 8:30am Worship at Wakonda; 9:45am Worship at Irene; 11am Worship at Viborg.

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