

OBITUARIES

S. Stephanie Weber OSB

S. Stephanie Weber OSB, age 87, died on Friday, June 26, 2015.

A wake service will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 1, 2015 and the Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Thursday, July 2, at 10:30 a.m., both in Bishop Marty Memorial Chapel in Yankton, South Dakota. Burial will be in the monastery cemetery.

Arrangements are under the direction of the Wintz & Ray Funeral Home and Cremation Service in Yankton.

Marie Josephine Weber was born September 3, 1927, the fourth child to Stephen and Frances (Weber) Weber of Salem, South Dakota. She attended St. Mary's grade and high school in Salem. She entered Sacred Heart Monastery on August 19, 1945. She was invested as a novice on



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June 23, 1946 and received the name Stephanie. Her first profession was June 24, 1947 and she made final profession on June 24, 1950.

S. Stephanie spent time ministering as an elementary and high school teacher and school administrator. She served in the communities of Zell, South Dakota; Glen Ullin, North Dakota; York, Lincoln, and Hartington, Nebraska. She was Postulant Mistress for the monastery from 1956-58. In 1959, she earned a Master's degree in Education from the University of South Dakota in Vermillion. After a life changing retreat in Pecos, New Mexico in 1973, she began a new phase in her life. She became very active with the Omaha Sisters'

Council, Search, Cursillo and the diocesan renewal program while ministering in Hartington, Nebraska. She was an assistant director of the Newman Center at USD from 1979-83. In 1984, she earned a Master's degree in Theology from Franciscan University, Steubenville, Ohio. She worked at Sacred Heart Parish, Yankton from 1984-88, and as an instructor at Mount Marty College until 1991. She also had roles at the monastery working as Vocation director, baker, and seamstress.

S. Stephanie was a prayerful woman who saw God's hand working throughout her life. She was very active in the Charismatic Renewal Movement, the Yahweh-Shalom prayer group in the Yankton area, as well as in Church Women United.

S. Stephanie is survived by her Benedictine community, her sisters: Bernette

Westhoff, S. Rosemary, Theresa Weber, Joyce Kappelman, and Phyllis Zwart and her brother, Steve, and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents and siblings: Peter, Philip, Loretta Engesser, and Leona Vogel.

To send an online message to the family, please visit www.wintzrayfuneralhome.com.

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Online condolences at: www.wintzrayfuneralhome.com

Robert Baumer

Robert Baumer, age 88, passed away at the Avera Sacred Heart Hospital, Yankton, SD on June 24, 2015.

Funeral Services are pending with the Cronrath-Grenoble Funeral Home, Inc. in Lewisburg, PA.

The Opsahl-Kostel Funeral Home & Crematory, Yankton, SD is assisting with the local arrangements. Online condolences can be



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made to www.opsahl-kostelfuneralhome.com.

Robert was born February 20, 1927 in Lewisburg, PA to Harry and Laura (Starks) Baumer. He was a truck driver for construction. His

interests in life were bird watching, the mountains and giving little children a bad time; he would really get them going and laughing in his younger years. Robert loved eating at the Fry'n Pan, "Oh how he loved that lemon pie." He loved going sightseeing. To put this in a nutshell, he loved life.

Robert is survived by his sons, Robert Baumer and Joe Baumer and daughters,

Heidi Bowersox and Tammy Baumer.

Robert was preceded in death by his parents and siblings.

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Rolland Permarr

Rolland "Rollie" Roy Permarr age 84 of Parkston and formerly of Yankton and Tripp, SD passed away early Sunday morning, June 21, 2015 at Avera Bormann Manor in Parkston, SD. Private family services were held. Opsahl-Kostel Funeral Home and Crematory, Yankton is in care of the arrangements.

Rolland "Rollie" Roy was born on July 24, 1930 in Tripp, SD to Gustave and Rose (Konstanz) Permarr. He grew up in Tripp and graduated from Tripp High School and continued his education at Southern State Teachers College. On January 9, 1951, he entered into the United States Air Force serving his country until January 14, 1955 when he received an

honorable discharge. Rollie was a school teacher in Irene, Deadwood, Doland, and then Woonsocket.

Those who will cherish his memory are his son, Michael Permarr of Platte, SD; brother, Larry Permarr of Paradise, CA; sister, Lou (George) Shelley of Brookings, SD; many grandchildren and niece, Jane (Joel) Deboer of Brookings, SD.

He was preceded in death by his son, Richard Permarr, his parents, and brother, Melvin Permarr.

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Edward Petrik

Funeral Mass for Edward Petrik will be 10:30 a.m., Monday, June 29, 2015 at St. Vincent Catholic Church in Springfield.



Petrik

Visitation will be Sunday at the church from 4 to 7 p.m., followed by a 7 p.m. Rosary. Burial will be at St. Wenceslaus Catholic Cemetery in Tabor with military honors.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed to Dakota Senior Meals (605 8th St., Springfield, SD 57062) or the Springfield Veterans' Memorial (31180 416th Ave., Springfield, SD 57062).

Edward B. Petrik was born July 26, 1933 in Tabor, SD, the son of Edward L. and Lillian (Faltin) Petrik. He died Wednesday, June 24, 2015 at the Good Samaritan Society in Tyndall, SD. Ed attained the age of 81 years.

Ed graduated from Tabor High School in 1951. He received his Bachelor's degree from Southern State Teacher's College in 1958 and his Master's degree from the University of South Dakota in 1965.

Ed served two years in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict. He was stationed in Japan and earned recognition as a sharp shooter. Ed was also a charter member of the Springfield Unit of the S.D. Army National Guard.

Ed married Wilma Carda at Wagner, SD on June 16, 1958. Four children were blessed to their union.

Ed taught nine years at Crofton, NE as an industrial arts and history teacher and eight of those years as an administrator of Crofton High School. He worked one year at the Human Resource Center in Yankton as a counselor. In 1967, he became an instructor of Industrial and Vocation Arts at the University of South Dakota in Springfield until its closing. Ed then worked as a job counselor at the Springfield Correctional Facility until he retired.

Ed was involved in community service in Crofton and was a member of St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church. In Springfield, Ed was an active member of St. Vincent dePaul

Thomas Olson

Thomas Olson, 64, of Scotland, South Dakota passed away on Thursday, June 25, 2015 at Avera Sacred Heart Hospital in Yankton. A memorial service will be held at a later date. Funeral arrangements are being handled by the Goglin Funeral Home of Scotland. Online condolences may be sent at www.goglinfh.com.



Catholic Church and served on the construction committee of the building of the church. He continued to help with the care of the church. Ed was also a life member of Dwight Wood American Legion Post #132 in Springfield.

Ed enjoyed woodworking, wood carving, bee keeping, metal detecting, auction sales, gardening, reading and traveling. He had a great sense of humor and like to tell stories. Ed enjoyed the accomplishments of his children, grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Thankful for having shared his life are his wife Wilma of Tyndall; children: Diane (Gene) Nelson of Valley Point, WV, Peggy (Todd) Koan of Owatonna, MN, Jeff (Sally) of Hillman, MI and Mary (Blane) Beilke of Bettendorf, IA; seven grandchildren: Matthew Nelson, Alissa Freeland, Blaire Brabson, Steve Nelson, Sarah Koan, Natalie Koan and Emily Beilke; six great grandchildren: Logan and Riley Brabson, Harlyn and Brooks Nelson, and Maggie and Benjamin Edward Nelson; brother Ralph (Judy) of Overland Park, KS; sister-in-law Alice Petrik of Springfield; brothers and sisters-in-law: Dale (Bonnie) Carda of Wagner and Ilene (Bob) Doty of Greeley, CO; and many nieces and nephews.

Ed was preceded in death by his parents; brother Virgil; and in-laws Paul and Fay (Dunsmore) Carda.

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Katherine Vaillancourt

Katherine Ida Vaillancourt passed away on the 7th of June 2015. She passed peacefully in her home of 27 years in Vermillion, SD after fighting a long battle with cancer.

She outlived her husband, Yvon Vaillancourt, her mother, Ida Katherine Dieken; her father, Henry Dieken; her sister, Elizabeth Dieken; and her brother John Dieken. A large family who mourns her deeply includes her three children, Stephen Wayne Vaillancourt, Audra Katherine Vaillancourt and Michael Allen Vaillancourt; her in-law daughters, Jennifer and Anne; her most loved granddaughters, Hailey, Riley and Lilly. She is also out lived by her brothers, Richard, William, Benjamin, Frederick, and Andrew.

Kate had an associate's degree from Monterey Peninsula College and used her quick mind to move into different careers from institutional cooking early in life to embracing new computer technology in office settings later in life. She often held many side jobs to provide for her family but always found time to be crafty. She could be found refinishing furniture on the weekend or attending a craft fair with her mother and an army of Barbie dolls. In her later years she was most comfortable behind a sewing machine quilting; many times to auction them off for charity at work or to give to a loved one.

There will be a memorial service on July 2, 2015 in Vermillion, SD. It will be held at the Hansen Funeral Home at 3:00 p.m. All are invited to come and celebrate the life of this loving woman.

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Dennis Honomichl

Dennis Honomichl died Thursday, June 25, 2015 at the Community Memorial Hospital in Wagner.

Services are 2 p.m. Monday, June 29, at the Crosby-Jaeger Funeral Home in Wagner. Burial is in the ZCJB Cemetery, rural Wagner. Rosary services are 7 p.m., Sunday at the funeral home. He was born October 14, 1952.

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11:00 AM, Tuesday
First United Methodist
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Sr. Stephanie Weber, OSB
10:30 AM, Thursday
Bishop Marty Memorial
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Tuesday, June 30, 2015
Kiwanis/4-H Building
709 Whiting Dr., Yankton
Catered by Rollin Smoke BBQ

Schedule of Events

5:00 p.m.	Doors Open
5:30 p.m.	Social Hour Exhibitors
6:30 p.m.	Prime Rib Dinner
7:30 p.m.	Program

Guest Speaker:
SD Secretary of Agriculture Lucas Lentsch
Master of Ceremonies:
SD Lt. Governor Matt Michels

Tickets and more information is available by calling the Yankton Area Chamber of Commerce at **665-3636** or online at www.yanktonsd.com/aggala.com.
Deadline for tickets - June 29

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