

## USF Choir To Sing Today At UCC

It is always a privilege to have a wonderful college choir sing in our community. Therefore, you will want to take the opportunity to hear the University of Sioux Falls Choir sing at the United Church of Christ (Congregational) on Friday, March 13, at 7 p.m.

The choir is under the direction of David DeHoogh-Kliever. The church is located at Fifth and Walnut. The public is cordially invited to attend.

## St. Patrick's Dinner Slated March 17

The public is invited to Fermenting Faith's annual St. Patrick's dinner on Tuesday, March 17, serving for this traditional Irish meal will be 5-7 p.m. at Christ Episcopal Church, Yankton.

Call 665-2456 to reserve your tickets.

## Soup Kitchen To Be Held March 19

The annual Trinity Lutheran Church soup kitchen will be held Thursday, March 19, in the church's new Heritage Hall. The event runs from 11 a.m.-6:30 p.m.

The menu includes taverns, soup, pie and coffee. You will be seated at round tables and surrounded by the former sanctuary's beautiful stained glass windows. Because all serving is on the ground floor, there are no steps to negotiate. Greeters will be on hand at the entrances to direct guests to the meal.

Proceeds from this year's soup kitchen will be added to Trinity's Pipe Organ Transplant fund.

## Alaskan Fish Fry Slated March 27

TYNDALL — The Bon Homme Knights of Columbus will host an Alaskan Pollock Fish Fry at the Fr. Cronin Center, 100 E. 20th Ave., Tyndall, Friday, March 27. Meals will be served from 5-7 p.m.

The menu will include all-you-can-eat Alaskan Pollock, homemade salads and desserts.

This event

For more information, contact Roger Hisek at (605) 464-9005 or rshisek@hotmail.com/.

## St. John's Lutheran Church

You are invited to  
join in the celebration of our  
Risen Savior, St. John's Lutheran Church,  
1009 Jackson St. in Yankton

Easter Egg Hunt  
children  
grades 5 or younger  
Saturday,  
March 28, 10a.m.

We will meet in the  
sanctuary to start  
the celebration.



BY PASTOR KEVIN CASKEY  
Antioch Baptist Church

Matthew 7:13-14: Enter ye in at the straight gate: for wide is the gate and broad is the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat: Because straight is the gate and narrow is the way which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it.

The Bible reveals to us that there are only few that find the way which leadeth unto life.

Most people are looking for ways to please God that they may obtain forgiveness of sins, when there is only one way. The Word of God reveals to us that Jesus Christ is the only way to Heaven.

John 14:6: Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth and the life: no man cometh unto the Father but by me.

Yes, Jesus Christ is the straight gate and narrow way that only few people during their lifetime find. Many people believe that baptism and good works will take them to Heaven.

Isaiah 64:6: But we are all as an unclean thing and all our righteousness are as filthy as rags.

If baptism and good works could save us, then Jesus would have died on the cross for nothing.

The only sacrifice God will ever be



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for by the law is the knowledge of sin.

But now the righteousness of God without the law is manifested, being witnessed by the law and the prophets; even the righteousness of God which is by faith of Jesus Christ unto all and upon all them that believe, for there is no difference, for all have sinned and come short of the glory of God.

Being justified (declared righteous) freely (without the works of the law) by His grace through the redemption that is in Jesus Christ.

Whom God hath set forth to be a propitiation (God is satisfied with the blood sacrifice made for sins) through faith in His blood, to declare His righteousness for the remission of sins that are past; through the forbearance of God; to de-

pleased with is the one that His only begotten son, Jesus Christ, made for you and me.

The only payment for sin is not by good works or deeds of the flesh, but by the blood of Jesus Christ.

Romans 3:20-26: Therefore by the deeds of the law there shall no flesh be justified in His sight: Therefore by the

clare, I say, at this time His righteousness, that He might be just and the justifier of Him which believe in Jesus.

Our faith must be in Jesus Christ alone, the straight gate, the narrow way or there is not salvation.

If any man on earth was good enough, then he would not need the righteousness of God that is put on our account when we trust by faith that Jesus is Lord and Savior.

Hebrews 1:3 reveals to us in the word of God that Jesus "by himself purged our sins and sat down on the right hand of the Majesty on high."

Jesus did what no man can do, which is shed his blood to appease the wrath of God and cleanse a sinner, as well as presenting it before the Father in Heaven, going into the Holy Place and sprinkling his blood on the mercy seat where it still is today.

After three days and three nights, Jesus bodily rose from the grave, giving to all believers in him, them looking forward to a resurrected body.

Do you have faith in the blood of the lamb of God? You must in order to have your sins purged. It's not in baptismal water, good works or sacraments; it's your faith in Jesus Christ and his shed blood for the remission of sins. It must be, to be one of the few that find the way of life, in Jesus Christ.

The Divine Mercy "Mission of Mercy" is set for March 22-25 at St. Benedict Catholic Church, 1500 Saint Benedict Drive, Yankton.

Come to an inspiring production to learn about the great graces available on the Feast of Divine Mercy and of many other promises conveyed to St. Faustina for our times.

Presented by Joan and Dave Maroney, founders and directors of the Mother of Mercy Messengers (MOMM), an outreach apostolate of the National Shrine of The Divine Mercy (home to the Marians of the Immaculate Conception), Stockbridge, Massachusetts. Joan and Dave have been leading parish evangelization since 1999. They live and operate their ministry in the Texas Hill Country outside San Antonio.

Their mission is to bring the Divine Mercy message to families, parishes, and communities through inspiring programs and materials that encourage and support putting mercy into action and stimulate Divine Mercy throughout the world.

Presented within the sacredness of the church, this program progresses from an emotional drama to a deep prayerful experience as Our Lord is solemnly placed on the altar for a time of Eucharistic Adoration. During this segment, prayers from the Diary of Saint Faustina are recited and there is time for silent contemplation. The Chaplet of mercy is prayed for the sick and dying as well as for the intentions of all gathered.

The Divine Mercy message and devotion is one of the

fastest growing devotions in the history of the Catholic Church. St. Faustina (1905-1938) was a Polish nun and mystic who had a series of amazing, personal revelations with Jesus Christ that she recorded in her Diary. Canonized by Pope John Paul II on Mercy Sunday, April 30, 2000, St. Faustina records Our Lord's desire for all to know of His mercy.

The schedule is as follows:

• Day 1: Sunday, March 22 — 7-8 p.m.: Historical introduction to the Divine Mercy message and devotion; 8-9 p.m.: Holy Hour with Jesus, The Divine Mercy. Confession available.

• Day 2: Monday, March 23 — 7-8 p.m.: Dramatic presentation Tell All Souls About My Mercy; 8-9 p.m.: Holy Hour with Jesus, The Divine Mercy. Con-

fession available.

• Day 3: Tuesday, March 24 — 7-8 p.m.: Divine Mercy For America: The hope for the U.S.A. & world today; 8-9 p.m.: Holy Hour with Jesus, The Divine Mercy. Confession available.

• Day 4: Wednesday, March 25 — 6:15-7:30 p.m.: Divine Mercy for Young Hearts: Youth and parent program. Includes Chaplet. 7:15-8 p.m.: Confession

A free-will offering will be taken.

For more information about this "Mission of Mercy" program, contact Barb Heithoff at 605-661-0647 or St. Benedict Catholic Church at 605-664-6214. More information about the Divine Mercy and the Mother of Mercy Messengers (MOMM) may be found at www.thedivinemercy.org/momm.

# 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. 25<sup>th</sup> 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. 6<sup>th</sup> 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, 7-8<sup>th</sup> Grade Youth Group 7pm 9-12<sup>th</sup> 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. 3<sup>rd</sup>, 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 15<sup>th</sup> 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

**Grace Bible Church,** Meeting in Tabor at 10:30am Sundays. Call Pastor Joel Finck for more information. 605-760-4701.

## 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** Wynot, 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 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> 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; 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 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. 1<sup>st</sup> SAT of month 8:00am

**St. Boniface Idlylwide,** rural Free-man, SD: Sunday Mass 11:00am Lent: Mass & Stations of the Cross Friday's 7pm. 605-327-3438 www.stbonifaceds.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. Lent: Mass & Stations of the Cross: Tuesday's 7pm.

**St. George Scotland,** SD: Holy Mass Sundays 9a.m. Lent: Mass & Stations of the Cross: Thursdays 7p.m. March 22 @ 7p.m. Communal Penance Service. 605-583-4318. www.parishesonline.com/stgeorgescotlandsd

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## Catholic

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

**St. John** the Baptist Catholic Church, Lesterville. Mass time: Every 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> 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 4:43:00pm. 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 thehouseof-maryshrine.org

## Church of Christ

**CHURCH OF CHRIST,** 1114 West 12<sup>th</sup>, 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 & Sunday School. Wednesday Noon The Holy Eucharist. Mondays 10:30am Centering Prayer. Wednesdays 7pm Meditation.

## Evangelical

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

## Evangelical

**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.

**Kingsway Christian Church,** 19<sup>th</sup> & 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. 25<sup>th</sup>, Yankton, 605-665-8848. Rev. Dani Jo Ninke. SAT 5:30pm worship service. SUN 9am worship service.

**FAITH UNITED LUTHERAN,** 44874 303<sup>rd</sup> 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 Volin, Delmont. 605-935-6941. SUN 9am Worship. 10am Sunday school. Firsthope@santel.net

**Martinus Lutheran Church,** Utica. Pastor Dean Schroeder. Sunday Divine Service 10:30am 605-589-3195. www.MartinusLutheran.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, 12<sup>th</sup> 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. 25<sup>th</sup> 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 (MST) 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.

## 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 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Yankton. (605)689-2211. Pastor Jon Cooke discoverychurchoffice@gmail.com SUN: 9am Sunday School, 10:30am worship, 3:30pm Youth Group. WED: 6:30pm Discovery Zone for Kids. 6:45pm Adult Bible Study. 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 11<sup>th</sup> St. Yankton. Gail Ryken, pastor, 605-665-2369. SUN. 10am Service. WED 6pm Prayer. GC School, call (605)665-1988.

## Presbyterian

**Peace Church (PC/USA),** 206 E. 31<sup>st</sup>. Rev. Jennifer Swier, 605-665-0448. Sunday 11:30am worship. Coffee 11am. Aired at 8pm Fri. on Ch. 3 & 98.

## Reformed

**Riverview Reformed Church,** 17<sup>th</sup> St. & Burleigh, Yankton. Reverend Rodney Veldhuizen, 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,** Newcatle, 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.

## United Church of Christ

**Pilgrim Congregational UCC,** 103 S. Elm St., Coleridge, NE. 402-283-4824 or 664-5310, Rev Gary Kimm, pastor. Sun 9:30am Church School, 10:30am Worship.

**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 5<sup>th</sup> St. Yankton, SD 605-665-7320 Pastor Molly Carlson. SUN 8:45am and 11:00am Worship. 9:50am Fellowship, 10am Church School.

## United Methodist

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST,** Yankton. Rev. Ron Johnson, Senior Pastor, 207 W. 11<sup>th</sup> 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.

## KYNT 1450 AM Radio

**KYNT 1450 AM Radio** Sat 10:30am "Saturday Morning Live." Sun 8:30am United Methodist Hour. 9:05am "God's Good News." 9:30am St. John's Lutheran Church.

## WNAX 570 AM Radio

**WNAX 570 AM Radio.** Lutheran Shows-6:30am, 8:00am, 11:0