'Listening To My Sister' Worship Service Today

Church Women United will sponsor a Worship Service at Peace Presbyterian Church, 206 E. 31st., Yankton, at 1:30 p.m. Friday, May, 4. The day's theme is "Listening to My Sisters."

Preceding this event, home fund-raising luncheons are served by

For lunch locations and more information, contact Sacred Heart Monastery switchboard at 668-6000.

Continuing Education Course Announced

Yankton College, in partnership with Eden Theological Seminary, will offer a pastoral theology course for pastors and lay leaders as part of the Associate degree program at Yankton College. The title of the course is "Faith Formation — Connecting Church and Home: Generation to Generation," and it will be taught by Dr. Diane E. Shallue, Director of Christian Education and Small Group Ministries at University Lutheran Church of Hope in Minneapolis.

This course will explore the strengths and challenges involved in intergenerational learning in congregations and provide skills in using this approach. This course will delve into six basic models of intergenerational learning and explore the four basic patterns of intergenerational planning. Methods for implementing this type of ministry in a congregation will be emphasized. Participants will develop strategies to help parents and grandparents as well as other adults pass along the faith at home and at church and leave equipped to nurture the faith of all ages by bringing the generations together at church and at

The first meeting of the class will be May 4-5, and the classes will meet online weekly through June 1. The is a cost for both a credit and an audit. Limited scholarships are available. Students will participate in the Leadership Continuing Education Event for the first class

The Leadership Continuing Education Event will be held May 4 (1-9 p.m.) and May 5 (8:30 a.m.-noon) at the Chamberlain United Church of Christ, Chamberlain.

The Leadership Continuing Education Event will focus on leadership in Intergenerational Ministries and how to create an intergenerational perspective in a congregation. Models of intergenerational ministry and examples from the personal experience of the presenter as a congregational religious educator will be provided. There is a cost to attend just the Leadership Continuing Education Event. Costs include dinner on Friday, confinental breakfast on Saturday, instruction and materials.

Both the Course and the Event will be coordinated by the Rev. Dr. Anita Bradshaw, who also serves as the director for Eden's Judicatory Based Education initiatives, including its partnership in the Yankton College Pastoral Theology program. Dr. Bradshaw has served local congregations as well as faculty at a number of colleges and

For more information on the courses or the leadership event, contact the Rev. Dr. Bradshaw at 612-791-8217.

70's Variety Show Slated For Saturday

Grab your bell bottoms and come to Trinity Lutheran Church (403 Broadway) on May 5 for the "Groovy Gourmets & Sizzlin' 70's Variety Show." Dinner will begin at 6:30 p.m. and will be "samplings" of various Groovy Gourmets' special creations followed by a Sizzlin' 70's Musical variety show fun for all ages!

Reserve your tickets now by calling the church office at 665-7415. Everyone is welcome.

Collin Raye To Perform In Yankton May 13

Country music star Collin Raye will perform at acoustic show at the Summit Activities Center theater on Mother's Day, May 13. Showtime is 7 p.m.

Raye will perform some of his Christian songs from his recently released album as well as talk about his faith journey and his pro-life

For more information, contact the Sacred Heart Parish at 665-3655.

What Would Jesus Do? Not This

BY SUSAN REIMER The Baltimore Sun

(MCT)

It is no fun being a Catholic woman these days. In fact, it is almost embarrassing.

First, the church hierarchy reminded us that those birth control pills in our medicine cabinets are forbidden. Then the bishops repeated their opposition, in various state legislatures, to any legal standing for our gay friends, family members, neighbors or co-workers, somehow casting their opposition as a matter of religious liberty.

Now the Vatican is screwing the lid down on American nuns, who the church thinks are spending too much time on social justice issues and not enough time pounding home the message about birth control and abortion.

And finally, for good measure, the church is firing a teacher for seeking infertility treatments and breaking the heart of a high school girl on the eve of the prom.

Let's start with that last one,

Dougherty, a student at a Catholic high school outside Philadelphia, had the dress, the shoes, the ticket and the guy for her junior prom. Until the guy backed out.

She was deter-

mined to pin a smile on her face and go REFLECTIONS anyway, to have fun with her friends. That is, until the school and the archdiocese told her that she couldn't go without a

date. "For them to say that we're not good enough to go unless we have a guy standing next to us, it's just kind of sickening," Amanda told a CBS reporter.

In a statement, Catholic school officials said there were plenty of high school events a student could attend without a date, "but we view the prom as a special social event where a date is required to attend."

(Just guessing here, but I assume that would not include a date of the same sex.)

And an Indiana teacher at a

Catholic school found that her contract had not been renewed after she asked for some time off to pursue a second in vitro fertilization.

When Emily Herx of Fort Wayne pointed out that her supervisor not only knew of her first attempt but

was praying for its

success, and that no embryos were destroyed or frozen, the monsignor in the parish told her she was a "grave, immoral sinner" anyway.

This is probably as good a time as any to ask, "What would Jesus do?" Probably, none of the above.

When my children were preparing for their confirmation in the Catholic Church — under the more benevolent reign of Pope John Paul II — they were frustrated and angry over the fact that just about every minute of class time was spent talking about the evils of abortion and the sin of contraception and almost none on the Sermon on the Mount.

These were 13-year-old kids looking for a way to deal with the first disappointments of life — the death of a friend's parent, mean girls, a divorce, the pain of trying to fit in at a new school, getting cut from a team. Where was the church when they needed it most?

I would ask the same now. Why is the Catholic Church tightening the screws of doctrine in a world already awash in religious extremists? Why would it handcuff the good sisters, who live only to serve the weakest among us and be their voice for justice?

Why would it wound the faithful at their most vulnerable moments? Why does it exclude, when it could embrace?

When my children had their first crisis of faith years ago, I said with conviction, "Whatever you think of the Catholic Church, remember this: Jesus didn't have any bad ideas. Try to live as he would want you to

That is still my prayer for them. But it has become nearly impossible for me to whisper it inside a Catholic Church.

Calvary Baptist Church Offering Summer Care

Calvary Baptist Church has announced the opening of Calvary Kids Club, a summer day care for kids in and around the Yankton

Calvary Kids Club is a Christ orientated summer care program for kids ranging in age from those who are entering Kindergarten to those entering the 6th grade. The club will be open from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. weekdays. (The club will be closed on Memorial Day and July 4.)

Included in the full-time cost are two snacks and a noon meal catered by HyVee. The half-time cost includes one snack and noon meal. Children may attend on an everyday basis, or for just two or

Calvary Kids Club will stress having fun while participating in projects to serve others. We will work on academic skills and learning new material. Throughout all of these activities will be an emphasis on the Word of God and praising our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. The weekly schedule includes:

• Monday — Make A Difference Day: Serving others in the Lord's name. Projects and activities to help others in and around our

• Tuesday and Thursday — Crafty Splashy Day. Craft fun in the morning and a trip to the pool in the afternoon. (Families need to buy a pool pass for their child at Memorial Park Pool) • Wednesday — Worship Day. A short worship service at 9 a.m.

each Wednesday in which we sing, read and listen to the stories of the Bible. Families are invited to attend any of the services. • Friday — Field Trip Day: Travel both locally and regionally on

some educational and fun trips. Children will be bused on our church bus by a qualified bus driver. CKC will also be transporting the kids to swimming lessons at the

Memorial Park pool every morning from June 4-15. There is a fee payable to the Yankton Park and Rec. Money and registrations are due to the church by May 15.

Calvary Kids Club applications can be picked up at Calvary Baptist Church at 2407 Broadway. The application fee includes a T-shirt for

The staff is highly qualified. Many are educators and paraprofessionals in the Yankton area.

Children are admitted on a first-come basis with a total of 40 children enrolled.

Children will be admitted on a two-week trial basis.

For questions or information, pick up a packet at Calvary Baptist

Church or contact Don Campbell, director, or Laurie Hanson, program director, at 665-5594.

Christian Cross Festival Set For June 9

NORFOLK, Neb. — The eighth annual Christian Cross Festival will be held in Norfolk on Saturday, June 9. Performances run from noon-10:30 p.m. at Skyview Park.

New to the free annual festival this year is a third stage for country/gospel acts. There will be 22 bands playing on three stages.

Those scheduled to perform this year include Sidewalk Prophets, JJ Heller, Remedy Drive, Lybecker, The Wedding, Syndrome of Fire, Jill Miller and many others.

The Christian Cross Festival also offers children's activities including inflatables, a ministry tent, a prayer tent, food vendors and fireworks to end the day.

For more information, visit www.christiancrossfestival.org or find the Christian Cross Festival on Facebook.

CHURCH SCHEDULES

Abundant Life

ABUNDANT LIFE MINISTRIES. 517 Burleigh, Lawrence and Barbara Hladky, pastors, 665-0889. SAT 7pm Praise and worship celebration, SUN. 10am Worship. WED. 7pm Worship. Teens prayer

Alliance of Renewal Churches

LIVING WATER CHRISTIAN FEL-Middle School (2000 Mulberry) Weds. 7pm Prayer. David Olson,

Assembly of God ASSEMBLY OF GOD, 801 W. 25th, Jeff Mantz, pastor, 665-6362

service and Bible study for all ages. **Baptist** ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH,

(office). SUN. 10am Worship Cele-

bration. WED. 6:30pm Midweek

221 W. 3rd, Kevin Caskey, pastor, 665-0066, SUN, 9:30am Sunday School, 10:45pm Preaching Serv-4pm Afternoon Service, THU. 7pm Preaching & Prayer Service.

BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH, 303 Ohio St., Wakonda. Mike Lindsay, pastor, (605)759-5020. SUNDAY 11:00a.m. 6:00pm WEDNESDAY Bible Study 12Noon.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH. SUNDAY: 9:00 Sunday School for all ages, 10:30 Worship Service. MONDAY: Service broadcast 7:30pm Channels 3 & 98. WEDNESDAY 6:30pm AWANA, 7-8th Grade Youth Group: 7:00pm 9-12th Youth Group, Adult Bible Study. Pastor Jon Cooke, Associate Pastor Rick Slattery, Youth Pastor Jeremy Nelson. www.cbchurch.com 2407 Broadway, (605)665-5594.



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INDEPENDENT TIST, 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. Pastor Matt Green, 607 East 15th St., Yankton, 665-7587. SUN. 9:30am Bible study, SS; 10:45am Worship. WED. 7pm Midweek serv-

Bible Church

GRACE BIBLE CHURCH, Call Pastor Joel Finck for meeting times locations. Regular meetings: Sunday morning 10:30am; Wednesday Bible Study 7pm. (605)760-4701.

Catholic

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH OF CE-DAR COUNTY (Immaculate Conception). St. Helena. NE. Rev. Eric Olsen. (402)357-2400. Mass: Sun-

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH OF CE-DAR COUNTY (Sts. Peter & Paul), Bow Valley, NE. Rev. Eric Olsen (402)357-2400. Mass: Saturdays

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH OF CE-DAR COUNTY (Sacred Heart), Wynot, NE. Rev. Eric Olsen. (402)357-2400. Mass times, Sundays at 11am.

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

ST. AGNES PARISH: SIGEL, rural Utica. SUN. 9am Mass, confessions 1/2 hour before Mass.

ANDREW'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, Bloomfield, NE. Fr. Michael Schmitz SUN. Mass: 10:30am; TUE. Mass: 8am; THUR. Mass: 7pm. Confessions: THUR. 6:30-6:55pm.

BENEDICT CATHOLIC CHURCH, 1500 St. Benedict Drive, Yankton, Father Ken Lulf. 664-6214 (church). Masses: SAT. 5pm. SUN. 8:30am&10:30am.

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHO-LIC, Fordyce, Neb. Rev. David Fulton, SUN, 10:30am Mass.

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Baptist

ONIFACE CATHOLIC CHURCH, Menominee, Neb., Rev. David Fulton, pastor. SUN. 8:30am

Catholic

ST. BONIFACE CHURCH, rural Freeman. MAY WEEKEND Mass Saturdays @ 4:30pm or call Rev. Mathew Vazhappily. (605)327-3438 www.stbonifacesd.parishesonline.com

ST. COLUMBA CHURCH, rural Irene. MAY WEEKEND Mass, Saturdavs @ 6:15pm or call Vazhappily, (605)583-4318.

ST. GEORGE CHURCH, Scotland, SD. Rev. Mathew Vazhappily. MAY WEEKEND Sundays @ 9:30am.

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHO-LIC, Lesterville. SUN. 10:30am

JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, Constance, Neb., Fr. David Fulton, pastor. SAT. Mass:

ST. PATRICK'S CATHOLIC. Wakonda, Rev. Scott Trayner, 624-2697. SUN. 8:30am Mass.

ST. ROSE OF LIMA, Crofton, Neb. Fr. Michael Schmitz. SAT. Mass: 8:00am & 5:30pm. SUN. Mass: WED/FRI 8:30am. Masses: Confessions: WED. 8:15am. 11am-11:30am, SAT. 5-5:20pm.

WENCESLAUS, (605)463-2336. Rev. Joseph Puthenkulathil, SAT. 6pm Mass. Joseph

THE HOUSE OF MARY SHRINE, 6-mi. W. Yankton, Hwy.52. Masses: Monday 8:30 through October. Masses Saturday 9:00 every Saturday. Rosary Sunday 4:00. Rosary Open 7 days a week for prayer. thehouseofmaryshrine.org

Christian

KINGSWAY CHRISTIAN Church, 19th & Burleigh, 665-6317. Joseph Mason, Pastor. 9am-SS; Worship 10:15am. Wed.- 7pm Kids Christ/Adult Bible www.kingswaychristianyankton.org

Church of Christ

CHURCH OF CHRIST, 1114 West 12th, Yankton, 665-6379. SUN. 9:30am Bible study: classes for all ages. 10:30am Worship.

Church of Jesus

Christ CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST LATTER-DAY SAINTS. Douglas, Yankton. Randy Campbell, (605)565-2016. Family History Ctr 665-0901. SUN. 10am Sacra-

Episcopal

ment meetina.

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, 517 Douglas, Yankton. Rev. James Pearson, (605)665-2456. Sunday 9:00 am Serenity 10:15 The Holy Eucharist and Sunday School Wednesday noon The Holy Eucha-

Evangelical

Cornerstone Evangelical Church, Pastor Oliver Omanson, Stewart Elementary School; Morning Service 10:30 a.m. Wednesday College Bible Study 1306 Maple Street. Mike Stevens 665-8750

EMMANUEL CHURCH YHS Theater, 1801 Summit, Sunday School at 9:30am Worship Service 10:45 am www.emmanuelyankton.com

(605)665-0404. Lutheran

CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH NALC: 305 W. 25th, Yankton, 665-8848. Rev. Dani Jo Ninke, SUN: 8:30am & 10:45am Worship, SS-9:45am.

UNITED LUTHERAN, 44874 303rd St., Volin SD 57072, (605)267-2277. SUN. Worship Services 9:30am. Children's 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

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(605)267-4342 (church) Sunday:

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SS-10:15am GLC SS- 9:15am, GLC Worship-10:30am. HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH, AFLC 200 South Wilson, Delmont. (605)935-6941. SUN 9am Worship.

Sunday

Martinus Lutheran Church, Utica.

firsthope@santel.net

Pastor Dean Schroeder Sunday Di-Service 10:30am (605)589-3195 www.MartinusLutheran.org

Lutheran

OUR REDEEMER LUTHERAN, rural Irene. 263-3724. SUN. 9am

OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN. LCMC/NALC, Menno. Pastor Theresa Jacobson 605-387-5241 Worship Brunch, SS 10:20am Wednesday Lenten Services at Grace, 7:30pm

LCMS, 12th and Elm, Springfield. Rev. Kenneth Johnson, pastor. SUN. 8am Worship. 9am SS. THUR. 7pm Adult Bible study.

OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN

PRINCE OF PEACE. Wisconsin Synod, 201 East 25th St., Pastor Werre, 665-4793. Sat. 6pm Wor-

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

St. John Lutheran Church, Tyndall. Pastor Dean Schroeder. Sunday Divine Service: 8:30am (605)589-3195.

www.StJohnsTyndallLCMS.org JOHN'S LUTHERAN

CHURCH (LCMS), 1009 Jackson. David Gunderson, Pastor. SUN. 8am Worship, 9:15am Education Hour, 10:30am Worship. TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

403 Broadway, Yankton, 665-7415.

Saturday-5:30p.m. Worship; Sunday-8:15a.m./10:45a.m. Worship; 9 a.m.-Breakfast: Classes-9:30a.m. TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH, Hartington/Crofton, NE, Justin Wi-

interum 402)254-6606. SUN. 9am Worship (Hartington), 10am SS (Hartington), 11am Worship (Crofton). TRONDHJEM LUTHERAN **CHURCH** (AFLC), rural Volin. 263-3841. SUN. 9:15am; 10:30am

Non-Denominational

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

GLORY CHRISTIAN CENTER, Ryken, pastor, 665-2369. SUN. 10am Service. WED. 6pm Prayer. GC School, call (605)665-1988.

TOPKOTE,

Presbyterian

PRESBYTERIAN (PC/USA), 206 E. 31st. 665-0448. Rev. Dr. Nelson Stone & Rev. Marilyn Stone. Sun-10am worship, Coffee to follow. SS for kids 10:30am. Aired at 8pm Fri. on Ch. 3 & 98.

Reformed

RIVERVIEW REFORMED, 17th St. & Burleigh, Rev. Rodney Veldhuizen, pastor. 665-9204. SUN 9:30am Worship, 10:15am SS. WED. Youth group & adult choir.

Seventh-Day

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST, 722 Locust St., Yankton, 665-1032, Services: 9:30am & 11am, Pastor Nick Os born (605)760-7791. Yankton Fruit Program. yanktonfruitprogram.org

United Church

CONGREGATIONAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST, Newcastle, Neb., 303 Highway 12, Rev. Gary Kimm, pastor. SAT. 6PM Church 7PM Worship. Second

THUR. 2PM Ladies Aid.

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.

PILGRIM CONGREGATIONAL UCC, 103 S. Elm St., Coleridae, Neb., (402) 283-4824 or 664-5310, Rev. Gary Kimm, pastor. SUN. 9:30am Church School, 10:30am

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST. (Congregational) 210 West 5th St., Yankton. (605)665-7320 Dr. Richard W. Jensen, Pastor. SUN.-10am 11am-Fellowship, Worship, 11:05am Church School.

Crofton, Neb., 412 W. Main St., (402)388-4124. Pastor Les Parmenter. SUN. 10:00am Worship.

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST,

United Methodist

FIRST UNITED METHODIST. Yankton, Rev. Ron Johnson Pastor. 665-2991. Sunday, Contempo-Worship 9:00; Trad. 10:30. Childcare 8:45-11:45, 8:30 UM Hour, KYNT.

GAYVILLE-VOLIN UNITED METH-ODIST, Rick Pittenger, pastor. 624-2179. 9am Worship Service. 10:00am Sunday School.

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United Methodist VIBORG UNITED METHODIST, Pastor Mark Gronseth. SUN. 8:30am Worship a Wakonda: 9:45am Worship a Irene; 11am Worship at Viborg.

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