

### Ministerial Association To Hold Worship Service

The public is invited to the Yankton Area Ministerial Association sponsored Community Thanksgiving Worship Service on Wednesday, Nov. 23. The service will begin at 12:05 p.m. and conclude at 12:55 p.m. for those who need to be back to work by 1 p.m. This special Thanksgiving worship service will be held at the First United Methodist Church, 207 East 11th Street. Rev. Rick Slattery, Calvary Baptist Church will deliver the message. The YAMA is inviting those who attend to bring a food item for the offering. Those who are unable to bring the food item, a special free-will offering will be taken, with the food items and financial contributions given to the Contact Center.

### Alternative Gift Market To Be Held Saturday

Trinity Lutheran Church, 403 Broadway, Yankton, will hold its annual Alternative Gift Market on Saturday, Nov. 19, running from 9 a.m.-2 p.m.  
You will find a variety of alternative gifts, fair trade coffee, cocoa, a lunch stand for you to have a light lunch, a bake sale and Luscious Lutheran leise made by a bunch of Scandinavians who live right here in Yankton.

What if your Christmas shopping not only brought smiles to your loved ones faces, but fed the hungry, employed the poorest of the poor, brought medical care and hope to people in dire need? That is what alternative giving and fair trade marketing is all about. Mayaworks, Heifer International and Church World Service, fair traded chocolate will be represented. They will provide an opportunity for you to purchase high quality and unusual handcrafted items from Peru, Guatemala and places all around the globe made by artisans earning a living wage. Local non-profit organizations will be in attendance also. "Alternative" gifts will be purchased and a gift card stating your gift will be available.

Entrance is free, but everyone is invited to bring a love gift for infant layettes. The items that you are invited to bring for infant layettes are: Wrapped bar soap, lightweight bath towels, new or gently used, no longer than 48 inches, and/or #2 unsharpened pencils.

For more information contact Joanne Christensen at Trinity Lutheran Church at 665-7415 or at 660-3391.

### St. Benedict Soup Kitchen, Bake Sale Nov. 20

St. Benedict's Parish of Yankton will be hosting a soup kitchen and bake sale on Sunday, Nov. 20, running from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the church located at 1500 St. Benedict Dr., Yankton.

The menu will include chicken noodle soup, chili, vegetable beef soup, pies and desserts.

### 'Watch The Lamb' To Be Presented In Bloomfield

BLOOMFIELD, Neb. — On Sunday, Nov. 20, First Trinity Lutheran Church, Bloomfield, Neb. and Golgotha Lutheran Church, Wausa, Neb. will present "Watch The Lamb" at 2 p.m. and 5 p.m. This event will be held at the Harm and Tulleys Event Center, located on the Knox County Fairgrounds in Bloomfield, Neb. "Watch The Lamb" will include a joint choir, soloist, duets and a trio, along with live animals and a cast of over 50 church members telling the story of the birth of Jesus Christ. "Watch The Lamb" will conclude with the singing of Christmas carols in a candlelight setting.

There will also be a gift for each family that attends. While this event takes place inside, there is no heat in the building so please dress accordingly. You may want to bring a blanket to set on, as the bleachers are still chilly, even though they are inside. Cookies, Hot Chocolate and Coffee will be served following each presentation, along with some great fellowship.

The Live Nativity Presentation is a free gift from First Trinity and Golgotha to all who attend. It is our privilege to share the love of Jesus with you. There will be no ticket cost or free will offering so just bring the family and enjoy a great afternoon of Christian fellowship and love.

For more information you may contact Pastor Duane Fahr of First Trinity at 373-4797, ftlc@gpcom.net or Pastor Adam Salinas at 586-2412, adaminas@yahoo.com.

## Vatican To Take Legal Action Over Ad Featuring Pope

BY ALEXANDRA ZAVIS  
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LOS ANGELES — The Benetton clothing company is known for shock ads that have stirred controversy around the globe with images of death row inmates and people dying of AIDS.

Its latest campaign, unveiled Wednesday, so offended the Vatican that it is taking legal action to prevent the circulation of a doctored image depicting Pope Benedict XVI kissing a leading Muslim imam.

This after the company announced that it was withdrawing the image in response to a protest from the Vatican.

In a statement Wednesday, the Benetton Group said the "UNHATE" campaign was de-

signed to "combat hatred" and promote "closeness between peoples, faiths, cultures, and the peaceful understanding of each other's motivations."

It features photo montages of world leaders locked in a kiss. President Obama is shown with China's Hu Jintao and Venezuela's Hugo Chavez. Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu is shown with Palestinian Authority President Mahmoud Abbas.

Benedict was shown with Ahmed Tayeb, leader of Al Azhar in Cairo, Sunni Islam's most influential institution. The Vatican called the image "offensive not only to the dignity of the Pope and the Catholic Church, but also to the sensibilities of believers."

In a statement Thursday, the Vatican said

it was taking legal action in Italy and abroad to prevent its distribution, including "through the mass media."

Mahmud Azab, a spokesman for Al Azhar, told Agence France-Presse that the ad was "irresponsible" and so absurd that the institution was "still hesitating as to whether it should issue a response."

A large banner with the image was hung from a bridge near the Vatican on Wednesday morning but later removed, Reuters news agency reported. The company also pulled the image from its website.

In a statement explaining Wednesday's action, the Treviso, Italy-based company said, "We are sorry that the use of an image of the pontiff and the imam should have offended the sensibilities of the faithful in this way."

### Vendor Blender To Be Held At Saint Benedict's

Yankton's Sacred Heart School is holding its second annual Vendor Blender on Saturday, Nov. 19, running from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. at Sacred Heart Elementary School Gym, 1500 Saint Benedict Drive, Yankton.

There will be a Bake Sale, Pizza from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. and more than 25 vendors. Supplemental funds provided by Catholic Aid Association. Contact Jessica at 260-1065 with questions.

### Community Feast To Be Held Wednesday

The 16th annual Yankton Community Feast will be held Wednesday, Nov. 23, at Calvary Baptist Church, 2407 Broadway, Yankton. Serving time is 4:30-7 p.m.

Currently, volunteers and donations are being sought for the feast. Items being sought include turkey, dressing and pies. If you are interested, contact Donna Madson at 760-3170.

Also, cash donations for the feast are being accepted at First National Bank South Dakota, 332 Broadway.

Meals can be delivered only for shut-ins. If interested, call 760-3170 by 5 p.m. Nov. 18.

### 'The Spirit of Christmas' To Be Held In Vermillion

VERMILLION — The Special Events Committee for the Vermillion Area Chamber and Development Company (VCDC) is gearing up for its 3rd Annual "Parade of Lights" in Downtown Vermillion on Friday, December 2nd. Vermillion area merchants, businesses, schools and organizations are encouraged to put together a float for the parade. This year's theme is "The Spirit of Christmas", so get your creativity flowing and enter! Entry forms can be found on the VCDC website, www.vermillionchamber.com, or at the Chamber office at 116 Market St. A trophy and \$25 in Vermillion Bucks will be awarded to the winner. Deadline to enter is November 29th.

At the end of the parade, Santa and Mrs. Claus will light the community Christmas Tree at Ratingen Platz on Market and Main Streets. After the tree lighting, children and parents are invited to the Vermillion Public Library for "Stockings for Soldiers", an opportunity to make ornaments to take home, and to decorate a stocking for a soldier serving overseas.

### Annual Christmas Coffee And Bake Sale Set

A "purr-fect" way to begin your Christmas season is with the annual coffee and bake sale held each year on the first Saturday of December at the United Church of Christ (Congregational), located at 5th & Walnut in Yankton. The huge bake sale will feature cookies, candy, snacks, canned goods, jam, kuchen, kolaches, fancy desserts and more.

The fresh floral centerpieces from Pied Piper Flower Shop will also be for sale. There will be "purr-fect" kitten favors which mark each place setting for guests to take home. Doors will open at 1 p.m.

## 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 daily 10am.

**Alliance of Renewal Churches**  
LIVING WATER CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, Sun. 10am Yankton Middle School (2000 Mulberry) Weds. 7pm Prayer. David Olson, pastor. (605)260-2138.

**Assembly of God**  
ASSEMBLY OF GOD, 801 W. 25th, Jeff Mantz, pastor. 665-6362 (office). SUN. 10am Worship Celebration. WED. 6:30pm Midweek service and Bible study for all ages.

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

**BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH**, 303 Ohio St., Wakonda. Mike Lindsay, pastor, (605)759-5020. SUNDAY Worship. 11:00a.m. evening 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, Children's Min Dir Laura Kotalik. 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.

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**Baptist**  
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 service.

**Bible Church**  
GRACE BIBLE CHURCH, Meeting at Pierson Ranch recreation area 10:30am Sundays. From Memorial Day through Labor Day. Call Pastor Joel Finck for more information. (605)760-4701.

**Catholic**  
HOLY FAMILY CHURCH OF CEDAR COUNTY (Sts. Peter & Paul), Bow Valley, NE. Rev. Eric Olsen (402)357-2400. Mass: Saturdays 5pm.

**HOLY FAMILY CHURCH OF CEDAR COUNTY** (Sacred Heart), Wyanot, NE. Rev. Eric Olsen. (402)357-2400. Mass times: Saturdays at 8pm, Sundays at 11am.

**HOLY FAMILY CHURCH OF CEDAR COUNTY** (Immaculate Conception), St. Helena, NE. Rev. Eric Olsen. (402)357-2400. Mass: Sundays at 9am.

**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.

**ST. 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.

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

**ST. BONIFACE CATHOLIC CHURCH**, Menominee, Neb., Rev. David Fulton, pastor. SUN. 8:30am Mass.

**ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHOLIC**, Fordyce, Neb. Rev. David Fulton. SUN. 10:30am Mass.

**Catholic**  
ST. BONIFACE CHURCH, rural Freeman. NOVEMBER WEEKEND Mass Saturdays 6:15 p.m. or call Rev. Mathew Vazhappilly. (605)583-4318.

**ST. COLUMBA CHURCH**, rural Irene. NOVEMBER WEEKEND Mass, Saturdays 4:30 p.m. or call Rev. Mathew Vazhappilly, (605)583-4318.

**ST. GEORGE CHURCH**, Scotland, SD. Rev. Mathew Vazhappilly. NOVEMBER WEEKEND Mass Sundays 9:30 a.m. or call (605)583-4318.

**ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHOLIC**, Lesterville. SUN. 10:30am Mass.

**ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**, Constance, Neb., Fr. David Fulton, pastor. SAT. Mass: 7:30pm.

**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: 8:30am. WED/FRI Masses: 8:15am. Confessions: WED. 11am-11:30am, SAT. 5-5:20pm.

**ST. WENCESLAUS**, Tabors, (605)463-2336. Rev. Joseph Puthenkulathil, SAT. 6pm Mass. SUN. 8:30am Mass.

**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 4:00. Open 7 days a week for prayer. thehouseofmaryshrine.org

**Charismatic**  
YAHWEH-SHALOM CHARISMATIC, St. Benedict Catholic Church. MON. 7:30pm prayer meeting

**Christian**  
KINGSWAY CHRISTIAN CHURCH, 19th & Burleigh, 665-6317. Joseph Mason, Pastor. 9am-SS; Worship 10:15am. Wed.-6pm-Kids games; 7pm Kids for Christ & Adult Bible Study.

**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, 2300 Douglas, Yankton. Randy Campbell, (605)565-2016. Family History Ctr 665-0901. SUN. 10am Sacrament meeting.

**Episcopal**  
CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, 517 Douglas, Yankton. Rev. James Pearson, (605)665-2456. Sunday 9:00 Serenity 10:15 The Holy Eucharist and Sunday School- Wednesday noon the Holy Eucharist. 7:00 Thanksgiving Eve Service.

**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.emmanuelnyankton.com (605)665-0404.

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

**FAITH 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

**GAYVILLE-BERGEN LUTHERAN** Pastor Ralph Egbert. (605)267-4342 (church) Sunday: Bergen Worship-9:00am, SS-10:15am GLC SS- 9:15am, GLC Worship-10:30am.

**HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH**, AFLC 200 South Wilson, Delmont. (605)935-6941. SUN. 9:30am 10am Sunday school. firsthope@santel.net

**PRINCE OF PEACE**, Wisconsin Synod, 201 East 25th St., Pastor Werre, 665-4793. SAT. 6pm Worship.

**Lutheran**  
Martinus Lutheran Church, Utica. Pastor Dean Schroeder Sunday Divine Service 10:30am (605)589-3195 www.MartinusLutheran.org

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

**OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN**, LCMC/NALC, Menno. Interim Past 9:00am with brunch to follow; Sunday School 10:20a.m. Questions call (605)387-5256

**OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN**, LCMs, 12th and Elm, Springfield, Rev. Kenneth Johnson, pastor. SUN. 8am Worship, 9am SS. THUR. 7pm Adult Bible study.

**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 KFRA-PAX.

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

**ST. 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 Wiess, interum pastor; (402)254-6606. SUN. 9am Worship (Hartington), 10am SS (Hartington), 11am Worship (Crofton).

**TRONDHEJEM LUTHERAN CHURCH** (AFLC), rural Volin. 263-3841. SUN. 9:15am; 10:30am Worship.

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

**Presbyterian**  
PEACE 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, SAT. 9:30am Sabbath School, 11am Worship. 665-4496, 665-4881. Pastor George Shaver Home phone (605)369-5496.

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

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

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

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

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

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

**United Methodist**  
WAKONDA, IRENE, VIBORG, UNITED METHODIST, Pastor Mark Gronseth. 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**  
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**MIX 106 FM Radio**  
CLASSIC HITS 106 KVHT FM Radio SUN.-THUR. 10:05PM "Family Radio Rosary" with Bishop Robert Carlson.

**ESPN Radio 1570**  
ESPN RADIO 1570 SUN. 10:30AM Trinity Lutheran Church, Vermillion, worship.

**Knology**  
KNOLOGY. MON. 6:30pm St. John's Lutheran; 7:30pm Calvary Baptist. TUE. 6:30pm Trinity Lutheran. WED. 6:30pm Antioch Baptist; 7:30pm Grace Bible. THUR. 8pm Assembly of God. FRI. 7pm United Church of Christ; 8pm Peace Presbyterian.

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