

# ST. MARY'S ROCK VALLEY

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### MASS TIMES WILL SWITCH THIS WEEKEND

Sioux Center 5pm on Saturday– Rock Valley 9:00am on Sunday

### CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS

Need to be taken down today after the Spanish mass. Please be at the church at 2:00pm to help the Hispanic Community with this.

**POINSETTIAS ARE AVAILABLE TO TAKE HOME:** first come, first serve

### BASEMENT RENOVATION FUND:

Pledges: \$165,330.00 Received: \$49,750.00

### 2018 SAVE THE DATES:

**CAMP CAYOCA ...June 10-12, 2018 3rd–6th Grades at Twin Lakes**  
**CAMP CAYOCA...June 13-15, 2018 7th– 12th Grades at Twin Lakes**

TOTUS TUUS tentative dates: July 8-13, 2018 at St. Mary's

DIOCESAN YOUTH CONFERENCE: Oct 7, 2018 at Carroll Kuemper

### YOUTH MISSION TRIP OPPORTUNITY

With St. Andrew's, Sibley to Springfield, IL on July 23-29.  
Approximate cost is \$645.00. Work to be done: cleaning , painting, clearing brush & weeds, fix up. There are still spots available, but filling fast.

Contact the office at St. Mary's if interested in any of the above!

### STEWARDSHIP: Dec. 31

General Fund: \$2302  
Improvement Fund: \$40 **Total: \$2342**

### DAA

Goal: \$8246  
Pledged: \$7104

### FAMILY FAITH FORMATION BEGINS AGAIN!!!

All parents and students grades K-6 will have class this Wednesday, January 10.

- 6:45pm for all students K-6 and parents

### REMINDERS FOR FFF:

- Parents: please remember that each of you is needed at the Methodist Church
- Please be prompt & have your student in the classroom by 6:45pm

Faith Formation

Called to Serve

**Sunday, January 14, 9:00 am**

**Greeters & Gifts:** Mark Wynia family

**Ushers:** Mark Wynia, Mary Schumacher

**Lectors:** Jacob Rosewall,  
Marshall Rosenblad

**Lay Distributors:** Lori Kooima, Sue Bakker, Mary Jo Moeller

**Servers:** Sam Bakker, Olivia Miller, Jay Miller

**Collection Counters:** Maureen H, Cory Stiens

**CLOW:** Aveyrey

### Mass & Event Calendar for the Week

**TU 8:00A** Parish Rosary  
**WE 9:00A** **NO Weekday Mass**  
**WE 9:30A** Praying Hands Ministry  
**WE 6:45P** Family Faith Formation Grades K-6  
**TH 6:00P** **NO Weekday Mass (Sp)**  
**FR 9:00A** **NO Weekday Mass**  
**SU 9:00A** **Weekend Mass** +Leo Klein  
**SU 1:00P** **Weekend Mass (Sp)** All Parishioners

Prayer Requests

### St. Mary's

Parishioners: **Dan Collenbaugh, Mike McAvoy, Juan Figueroa, Mayra Martinez, Leticia Ronquillo, Madonna Plueger, Richard & Evelyn Richter;**

Friends of St. Mary's: **Duane Van't Hul, Roy Weber, Jerry Burgers, Carlotta Vande More; Andrew & Roger Taylor, Randy's family members, Ron Zylstra, Scott's father, John Zimmerman, Sr. Jodie's brother, Jolene Bos, Monica Collenbaugh's sister, Susan Berg, daughter of Bob Sullivan, Mary Coyne, mother of Kelli Zylstra, Carol Van Stelton, mother of Shelli Rens,**

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# CHRIST THE KING SIOUX CENTER

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**Saturday, January 13, 5:00 pm**

**Hospitality:** Armstrong, Englin

**Gifts:** Ellis

**Lectors:** Kathleen Armstrong,  
Tyler Armstrong

**Servers:** Jordyn Rohlk, Jakson Gillespie, Amanda King

**Lay Distributors:** Linda Rohlk, Tony Rohlk

**Collection Counters:** Katie Gillespie, Linda Rohlk

**CLOW:** Katie

### Mass & Event Calendar for the Week

**TU 7:30P** **NO Weekday Mass (Sp)**  
**WE 6:30P** Faith Formation Classes  
**TH 7:00A** **NO Weekday Mass**  
**SA 5:00P** **Weekend Mass** Souls of the Faithful  
**SU 11:00A** **Weekend Mass (Sp)** +Jose Trejo

Called to Serve

### THANK YOU

to all who decorated and participated in the Liturgy in order to make Christmas a special time.

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### Coming Together Campaign Corner

#### THE SURVEY SAYS:

Clearly the top area needing improvement was "facility issues and concerns". This makes it clear that the parish feels facility improvement must be done.

**Pledges:** \$39,750.00 **Received:** \$39,750.00

### COUPLES BOOK STUDY

Will start mid-February during Lent. We will order the books the first week of January & arrange babysitting. Please respond to Robyn if interested.

### MULTIPLE THINGS TO PICK UP IN GATHERING AREA:

**2018 CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES** are ready for pick up in the gathering area.

**2018 CALENDARS** ARE READY TO BE PICKED UP.

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### FREE COMMUNITY MEAL

Thurs., Jan 11 from 6-7:00pm at New Life Reformed Church.

### STEWARDSHIP: Dec. 31

General Fund: \$2350  
Total: **\$2350**

### DAA

Goal: \$5682  
Pledged: \$4441

## A CHRISTMAS GIFT FOR YOU

Who am I? Why am I here? We all grapple with these questions from time to time.

Today, we have a gift for you from our parish that will help you find the answers so you can start living the amazing life God created you to live. If you read just 5 pages each day, this book will bring you hope & a deep sense of meaning. It is easy to read, practical & it is powerful.

*Perfectly Yourself*, by Matthew Kelly is available for each family on the table at the entrance of the church.

Merry Christmas! We wish you all the joy & happiness this season brings.

**MID-SIOUX ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM:** will be taking applications through Apr 30, 2018.

Contact Mid-Sioux in Sioux Center at 712-786-3415.

Faith Grouping News

FAITH FORMATION CLASSES ARE BACK TO THE NORMAL SCHEDULE STARTING THIS WEDNESDAY, JAN. 10

Faith Formation