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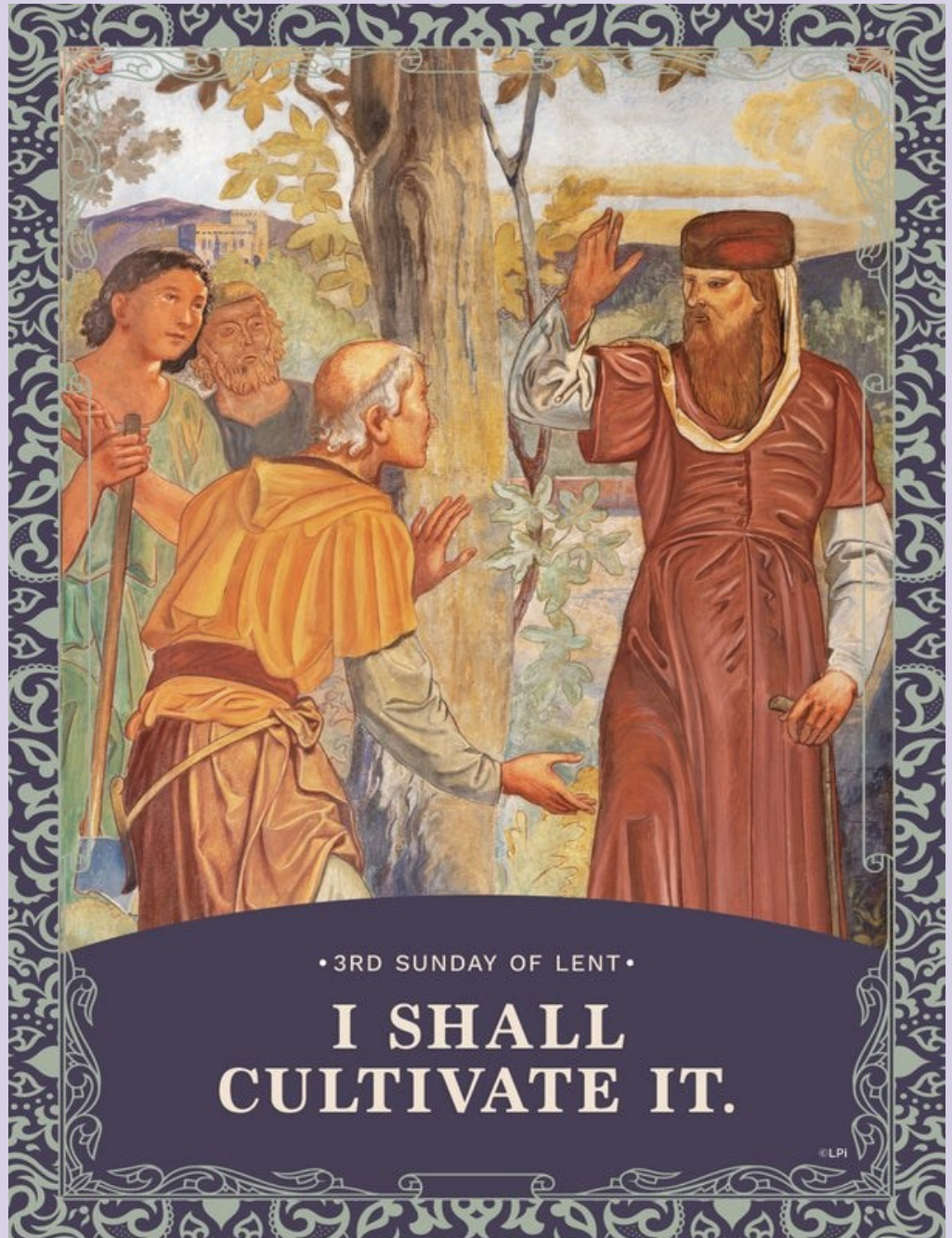
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• 3RD SUNDAY OF LENT •

**I SHALL
CULTIVATE IT.**

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March 23, 2025



Fr. Joe's Jottings

Winter high school sports are history. Our young athletes are beginning to focus on spring sports. There are many exercises and training techniques they embrace to improve their performance. Paul speaks of "running the race" as well but as an analogy. The "spiritual" exercises that we embrace are to improve the soul. Throughout the season of Lent we are called to pray, fast and give alms. Lent is the time of the year to get our souls in "shape" after a time of being lackadaisical in our holy routine.

One prayer we can all include in our conditioning is the Sacrament of Reconciliation. This examination of conscience helps us to be honest with ourselves and God. There are many aids all over the internet to assist us by asking questions about sin in our lives. Personally, I have always thought the 10 commandments were the best start. The first three address my relationship with God. Is He the first and most important in my life? Does my family, friends, work, play or myself supersede Him as most important? God and the worship of Him is by far to be first in my decisions and activities.

The last seven commandments call for me to love my neighbor as I do myself. How do I treat others? Do I love or do I judge? Do they know me by my spiritual and corporal works of mercy? Do they see my anger, envy, jealousy or any other capital sin thereby negating my effectiveness to be a Lifelong Catholic Missionary Disciple? How am I setting others ablaze with love for the Eucharist?

The first part of this week, the pastor, parochial vicar, business manager and communication director of the pastorate will be at Broom Tree Retreat Center attending a workshop on developing a team to lead Holy Rosary Pastorate for the next year. As individuals, Lent is a time to develop our sanctity. As a team, Lent is a time to develop our leadership skills.

Pray for us.

WEEKLY OFFERINGS	Sacred Heart	St. Anthony of Padua	St. Pius X	Ss. Peter & Paul
Last week				
Parish Support	\$1,381	\$2,162	\$945	\$11,690
Online Support	—	—	—	\$2,526
Other	\$138	\$405	\$196	\$4,035
Loose Offerings	\$256	\$399	\$55	\$851

WELCOME!

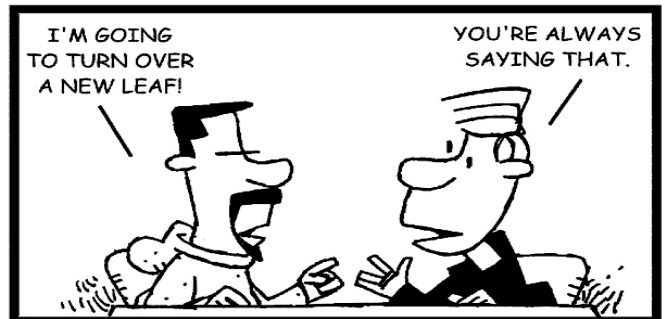
Thank you for joining us today!
Consider registering with the Parish if you attend regularly. We would love to get to know you and keep you informed of the events, activities and news of our Parish. Register with an email or call the Parish office. We look forward to growing with you in Faith!

Community Support Options:

- Birthright of Pierre** 605-224-6828
 Mon, Tues, & Thurs. 2:00 - 4:30PM
 314 South Henry Street
- The Lourdes Center** 800-700-7867
 (formerly Catholic Family Services)
- National Alliance for Mental Illness (NAMI)**
 800-950-6264
- The Helpline Center** (Suicide/Crisis Lifeline)
 Call/text 988, or text 'TALK' to 741741

On the Lighter Side - 3rd Sunday in Lent

3RD SUNDAY OF LENT



THE NEED FOR ONGOING REFORM

MASS MINISTERS

March 29-30

PLEASE FIND A SUB IF YOU ARE UNABLE
TO SERVE AS SCHEDULED

St. Anthony-Hoven

Saturday 5:00PM

Greeters = Bob Keller family
EM = Tom Garrity
L = Linda Feldmeier
S = Alex, Chase & Evan Lutter
Mary's Helpers = Aubrey & Kenzie Stoecker

St. Pius X-Onida

Sunday 8:30 AM

Sacristan = Karen LaFurge
Greeters = Jeremy & Val Chicoine
EM = Val Chicoine
L = Karen LaFurge
S = Jane & Emily Yackley

Sacred Heart-Gettysburg

Sunday 10:30 AM

Greeters/Offertory = Mike & Maria Montang
Rosary = Jackie Hansen
EM = Rose Schatz
L = Paul Oberlitner
S = Emma Schlachter & Nash Fischer
Music = Kay Schmidt
Video = Jean Smith
Proj = Bev Thomas
Home Bound = Lori Hunnel

SS Peter & Paul-Pierre

Saturday 5:00 PM

EM = Sandy Jacobson, Peggy Moreno
L = Nancy Kennedy
S = Evelyn & Amelia Rounds
U = Dan McCormick

Sunday 8:30 AM

EM = Annette Severson, Linda Voller
L = Chris Houlette
S = Breven Gutenkauf
U = Drew Nafus, Tom Rounds

Sunday 10:30 AM

EM = Diane Kafka, Pauline Witte
L = Katie Mitchell-Boe
S = Emma & Henry Barnett
U = Dan Rounds

Thank you for assisting at our Masses!

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

(Sacred Heart-Gettysburg)

Bridget Lake, Randy Kuennen, Milt Mitzel, Jeannie Nessen, Karen Briscoe, Carol Lipp, Mike Whiteis, Vicki Miller, Jennifer Larson, Maggie Mitzel, David Quiett, Caitlin Gray, Kolten Frost, Ava Robbennolt, Bonnie Kellogg, Laura Enos, Penny Baus

(St. Anthony-Hoven)

Billy Baus, Laurene Kaiser, Jhett Hartung, Jaxon Hartung, Lori Kaiser, Nancy Kaiser, Shannon McGrath, Samantha Viara, Roger DeRouchey, Ron Krier

(St. Pius X-Onida)

Diane Lorenz, Donnie Ramler, Judi West, Jo Bender, Marquette Brink, Jackie Yackley, Dave Pitlick, Greg Lorenz, Matt Eliason, Beth Rinehart, Floyd Eliason

(SS Peter & Paul-Pierre)

Leona Feist, Missy Tarnowski, Kathy Ripley, Carol Yost, Mary Tarnowski, Dalinda Dupris, Kevin Tveidt, Ellen Ludemann

**Please contact sspeterandpaulcatholic@gmail.com
to add or remove names from this list.*

Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for March

For families in crisis

Let us pray that broken families might discover the cure for their wounds through forgiveness, rediscovering each other's gifts, even in their differences.

DAILY READINGS Mar. 23rd-30th

Sunday: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11/
1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12/Lk 13:1-9
Scrutiny: Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 (8)/Rom 5:1-2,
5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42
Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15b/Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4/
Lk 4:24-30
Tuesday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11/
Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38
Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9/Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20/
Mt 5:17-19
Thursday: Jer 7:23-28/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9/
Lk 11:14-23
Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14
& 17/Mk 12:28-34
Saturday: Hos 6:1-6/Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab/
Lk 18:9-14
Next Sunday: Jos 5:9a, 10-12/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/
2 Cor 5:17-21/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
Scrutiny: 1Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/
Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

*Pray the Daily Readings to stay connected to the
Mass throughout the week!*

Looking for a retreat opportunity to help you on your spiritual journey? Check out the options:



Broom Tree Retreat and Conference Center Events
www.broom-tree.org/retreats

Sioux Spiritual Retreat Center
siouxspiritualcenter.org/retreats

The Abbey of the Hills
www.abbeyofthehills.org/calendar-events

Catholic Family Sharing Appeal 2025



St. Anthony—Hoven

Please correct the mailing address before returning your CFSA pledge cards. They were mistakenly printed with the old Bowdle PO Box address. Return your pledge card to the church in the collections basket, or by mail—send to:

St. Anthony of Padua Parish
PO Box 98
Hoven, SD 57450



Saint Joseph School News

ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL

(605) 224-7185

Becky.Walsh@k12.sd.us

www.sjspierre.org

Principal, Becky Walsh

Secretary, Clare Charlson

“Whatever your task, work heartily, as serving the Lord and not men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward; you are serving the Lord Christ.” Colossians 3:23-24


Throughout Lent, the students will be working on the virtue of responsibility. Responsibility falls under the Cardinal virtue of justice. The definition of this virtue is to fulfill your duties and accept the consequences of your actions no matter if the action was done intentionally or unintentionally.

We teach the students they are responsible for doing their school work, listening to the adults, accepting consequences and admitting to mistakes right away, taking care of their belongings and of those around them, and helping those around them grow in holiness.

A wonderful example of a person who was a role model of responsibility would be St. Joseph. He listened to God when He asked him to take care of Mary and Jesus. Although quiet and calm in demeanor, not demanding to be noticed, St. Joseph was a beautiful example to many of how to grow in holiness. The students at St. Joseph Catholic School are lucky to have him as the patron saint of the school!

It is never too late to be part of our family at St. Joseph Catholic School! We are not just educating the leaders of tomorrow, we are focused on using our faith and the Lord’s teachings to make us ready to spend time with Him in Heaven. We would love to give you a tour and allow you to see how St. Joseph has helped us grow in holiness.

Student applications can be found if you click on the QR code. Also to learn more about St. Joseph School, please click on the QR code.



NATIONAL
Eucharistic Revival

National Eucharistic Pilgrimage 2025
As the 3-year National Eucharistic Revival in the United States draws to a close on the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Jesus Christ, a final pilgrimage from Indianapolis to Los Angeles will take place this summer and you are invited to pray together along the way.

Check out www.eucharisticpilgrimage.org
Help us cover the pilgrimage in prayer, fasting, and penance. Call on Heaven—Become a Revival Prayer Partner!



ALL ARE WELCOME

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC SCHOOL

ADMISSION

NOW OPEN FOR REGISTRATION

CALL BECKY AT 605-224-7185 WITH ANY QUESTIONS

JOIN OUR FAMILY



God bless our Catechists and students!

Sacred Heart—

Wed. class grades 1-4: 2:45-4pm
grades 5-12: 6:45-8pm

St. Anthony of Padua—

Wed. class grades 1-6: right after school
grades 7-12: 7pm

St. Pius X—

Wed. class elem. grades: 6:30-7:30pm
MS/HS grades: 6:30-7:45pm

Each Wednesday throughout Lent

- Disciple led **Rosary@5:45pm,**
Stations of the Cross at 6:15pm.

See bulletin board for schedules.

All are welcome to attend.

Contact ReligiousEdSPX@sfcatholic.org.

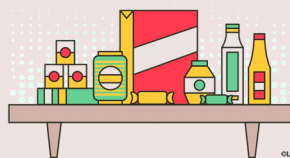
Ss. Peter & Paul—

Mar. 26th MS Youth Group
April 2nd 4:15pm FF classes gr 1-5,
6:30pm FF classes gr 6-9
April 9th 6:30pm Confirmation class

Stations of the Cross Schedule:

Sacred Heart-Gettysburg Fridays 7:00pm
St. Anthony of Padua-Hoven Fridays 7:00pm
St. Pius X-Onida Wednesdays 6:15pm
Rosary precedes Stations at 5:45pm
Ss. Peter & Paul-Pierre Fridays 7:00pm

40 Cans for 40 Days - Donate through Easter



Pierre's KC Council's annual "40 Cans for 40 Days" food drive started on Ash Wednesday and runs through Easter.

Please participate by contributing one can, box, or package of food per day during each of the forty days of Lent. Collection baskets are in the church foyer. Food goes to the local food pantry.

St. Pius X Respect Life Committee will host Appreciation Sunday on April 6



Recognizing all parishioners with milestone anniversaries, and those 75 years and older, for their wisdom and leadership in our parish. Please join us for brunch, in celebration of them, in the church basement following announcements.

- SACRAMENTS -



Eternal Rest, grant unto
LAVERN "FRITZ" RASMUSSEN
and let Perpetual Light shine upon him.
May he and all the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God, rest in Peace. Amen.



St. Pius X

The Rosary will be prayed at 8:10am before Sunday Mass during Lent.

**Holy Reminder sale
March 22-23rd
at Ss. Peter & Paul
before & after all Masses**



*Wonderful spiritual items,
great for gifts and personal inspiration:
Statues, books for all ages, beautiful rosaries, & many
great gift items for Easter, 1st Communions,
Confirmations & other occasions*

*** ALL items available
for a freewill offering! ***



**Proceeds go to
St. Joseph School/SS Peter & Paul.**

St. John the Evangelist in Fort Pierre

Last chance!

St. John's Youth Fundraising Presents:
Totally Catholic Jewelry and Rosary Sales!
We will have a wide variety of quality jewelry and religious items. Whether its a new rosary for yourself or as a gift (Easter, 1st Communion, Mothers Day etc.), a crucifix to wear, saint medal, bracelet, necklace or other expressive reminder of your faith, we will have a variety of religious items to meet your needs.

March 8-23



**It's a Classic Gathering!
Orv Gran is turning 90!**



Please join Mary Jo along with Ben, Dennis, Sue, Mark, Sarah, and Jason in celebrating Orv's 90th Birthday.

When: Saturday, March 29, 2025

Where: American Legion, 520 S Pierre St, Pierre, SD
Time: 2:00 – 4:30 PM (Short program at 2:30 PM)

**SS. PETER &
PAUL
PRESCHOOL
ENROLLMENT NOW OPEN**



**Contact
StJoseph.Preschool@k12.sd.us**

Father Joe, Father Simon and pastorate staff will be at a Pastorate training retreat March 24-26th.

- 1—There will NOT be 5:15pm Mass at St. Anthony on Tues., Mar. 25th
- 2—There will NOT be 8:30am Mass at Sacred Heart on Wed. Mar. 26th
- 3—There will NOT be 8:00am daily Mass at SS Peter & Paul Tues. & Wed., Mar. 25th & 26th
- 4—SS Peter & Paul Parish Office will be closed Monday @11:00am through Wednesday

St. Anthony of Padua

- Next Funeral Lunch: Circle 2
- Special Activity: Circle 3
- Church Cleaning: Circle 6
- ~Mon Mar 24 @ 4pm



**Edgewood Rosary Monday's 3:00PM
in the Edgewood Chapel-Pierre.
Come pray with us!**



*** To all High School Seniors ***

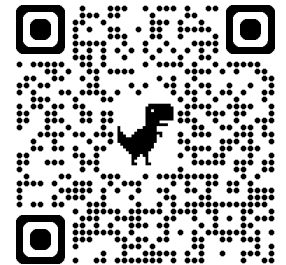
The Knights of Columbus Council #2686 is again offering college scholarships.

Applications are available online through Riggs HS. If you do not attend Riggs and want to apply, please call Uncle Matt, Scholarship chairperson at 605-280-7248.

Holy Rosary Pastorate/SS Peter & Paul is looking for a full time Faith Formation Director.

The position will be responsible for running a Parish youth program with the help of qualified adult volunteers and overseeing the Faith Formation programs currently running within the 3 other Parishes of the Pastorate. Strong communication skills, both verbal and written, are paramount to success in this position. A Religious Education or Theology degree is strongly encouraged, and 2 years of experience in Youth Ministry is preferred. Position is full time, on site and benefit eligible, and the salary is \$45,000-\$55,000.

Interested candidates can send a resume and cover letter to the Business Manager at holyrosary02busm@sfcatholic.org



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**Soup Suppers @ SS Peter & Paul
Fridays during Lent
before Stations
5:30pm-6:30pm**



SUMMER ENRICHMENT
Class

Who? For incoming Kindergarten students—to work on reading, math, social & motor skills

When? Wednesdays & Thursdays
July 9th through Aug. 14th

Where? SS Peter & Paul PreSchool & SJS kindergarten classroom

Contact? morgan.metzinger@k12.sd.us



FREE TAX HELP FOR SENIORS

The Pierre/Ft. Pierre

AARP Foundation Tax-Aide Program

is accepting appointments for this tax season.

Contact the Pierre Senior Center

@ 605-224-7730 or stop by Monday through Friday between 1-3pm to schedule a future appointment.

Some situations are Out of Scope of this program:

Itemized deductions, Self-employment income, certain rental income out of state returns, among others...

Sacraments & Events/Activities Mar. 23rd-30th

Sacred Heart

Sun—10:30am Mass: +Roger Simon

Confessions after Mass

Wed—No 8:30am Mass

2:45pm FF Gr 1-4

6:45pm FF Gr 5-12

Thurs—3:30pm Rosary @Avera Oahe Manor

4:00pm MASS @Avera Oahe Manor: +Morris & Colleen Simon

Fri—7:00pm Stations of the Cross

Sun—10:30am Mass: All Pregnant Women

Confessions after Mass

St. Anthony

Tues—3:00pm Rosary

No 5:15pm Mass

Wed—Right after school FF Gr 1-6

7:00pm FF Gr 7-12

Fri—4:00 Holy Hour w/Confessions

5:15pm Mass: +Carol Krier

7:00pm Stations of the Cross; Confessions follow

Sat—3:30pm Confessions

5:00pm: Ed & Patty Rausch family L&D

St. Pius X

Sun—Confessions before Mass

8:10am Rosary

8:30am Mass: Austin Simon

Wed—5:45pm Rosary

6:15pm Stations of the Cross

YFF classes follow Stations

Sun—Confessions before Mass

8:10am Rosary

8:30am Mass: + Fr. Jerome Holtzman

**Please contact your local Parish for Mass Intentions*

**St. Anthony's
Hoven Foundation**

Ashley Griese PO Box 131
Hoven, SD 57450

Pierre Catholic Foundation



SS. Peter & Paul

MARY, MOTHER OF GOD candle: —

ST. JOSEPH candle: Allen Heine

Sun—Before & after both Masses Holy Reminder Sale

8:30am Mass: Holy Rosary Pastorate

Rosary at 10:00am

10:30am Mass: + Mike T Mitchell

2:00pm GriefShare in the Benedictine Rm

Mon—8:00am Mass: +Ralph, Gerry & Bill Wernsmann

3:00pm Rosary @ Edgewood Pierre

Tues—6:00am TMIY in the Benedictine Rm

Mass @ Broom Tree: + Steve Swath

Wed—Mass @ Broom Tree: + Cyril & Dorothy Arbach

5:00pm Confessions

6:30pm MS Youth Group

Thurs—8:00am Mass: + Mary Frasier

Following Mass Prayer group, *All are welcome*

Fri—8:00am Mass: + Bobby Mitchell

5:30-6:30pm Soup Supper

7:00pm Stations of the Cross

Sat—3:30pm Confessions

4:35pm Rosary

5:00pm Mass: + Carol Yost

Sun—8:30am Mass: Holy Rosary Pastorate

Rosary at 10:00am

10:30am Mass: + Larry Bronemann

2:00pm GriefShare in the Benedictine Rm

* *Submit any bulletin notices/events to*

sspeterandpaulcatholic@gmail.com.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Baptism Class - 1st Sunday of each month at SS Peter & Paul. Please call 605-224-2483 to pre-register or schedule a Baptism.

Marriage - Arrangements must be made with the priest *at least* 6 months in advance.

Anointing - Before a hospital stay or surgical procedure. Call your parish office to arrange.