



May 6, 2018

Sixth Sunday of Easter (B)

Acts 10:25–26, 34–35, 44–48

1 Jn 4:7–10 or 1 Jn 4:11–16

Jn 15:9–17 or Jn 17:11b–19

## God's Generous Love

Our painting by Aldo Carpi (1886–1973) shows the Virgin Mary bringing the Baby Jesus to visit the poor. She doesn't make distinctions. Mary understood that Jesus didn't come just for the rich and powerful but for everyone.

Peter learns this lesson when speaking to Cornelius and his household. Until this time, the apostles were preaching to the Jewish people, but when Peter speaks to these Romans, the Holy Spirit comes upon them just as he had upon the Jews. They repent and believe. This for Peter was essential, because it showed that Jesus wanted to send his Spirit and teachings to everyone, not just the chosen race. God doesn't show favoritism.

The same goes for us. It's natural to want to love our

own: our family and those sharing our social status, political party, club, school, or parish. But our love has to spread to all peoples, especially those in the most moral, material, and spiritual need. God is love, and those who love show they come from God.

Another element of love is that it is free, wanting nothing in return. Recently, while sitting at an outdoor café, a woman walked up and gave me a small wrapped gift. "I like to give gifts to complete strangers, just to make their day," she said. What a beautiful gesture.

We should also note that Cornelius accepted God's love, was baptized, and began following the Way. He and his family didn't take that free love of God for granted. They responded to it in joyful obedience. God's generous love asks for an equally generous response. —Fr. Mark Haydu, LC

### *For Reflection*

*How often do I help  
or love someone who  
disagrees with me,  
or doesn't believe  
what I believe?*



Piece: *The Madonna of the Poor*, 1968

Artist: Aldo Carpi

Location: Vatican Museums

*Beloved, let us love one another, because love is of God;  
everyone who loves is begotten by God and knows God.*

*1 John 4:7*



**"Through Hospitality, we share our Catholic Faith with All as Disciples of Christ."**

## **CHURCH OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION**

**WEBSITE: [www.catholictripp.org](http://www.catholictripp.org)**

**842-3520 PO BOX 765 325 S. Van Buren St. Winner, SD 57580**

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### **MASS & RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE**

**MASS - Saturday at 6:00 pm, Sunday at 10:30 am**  
**RECONCILIATION - Saturday at 5:00 pm**

*Office Hours: Mon. thru Fri., 9:00 am - 4:00 pm*

*Office email: [parishsec@gwtc.net](mailto:parishsec@gwtc.net)*

### **IMMACULATE CONCEPTION MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

#### **Saturday, May 12<sup>th</sup>**

**Sacristan: Rita Neyens**

**Lector: Irene Giessinger**

**EME: Marty & Karleen Flakus, Irene Giessinger**

**Servers: Faith Covey, Kylie Sachtjen, Paige Sachtjen**

**Ushers: Brad Assman, Francis Bolander, John Janecke, Steve Meyer**

#### **Sunday, May 13<sup>th</sup>**

**Sacristan: Geraldine DeMers**

**Lector: Andy Tegethoff**

**EME: Andy Tegethoff, Dean & Amy Engel**

**Servers: Sadie Tegethoff, Aiden & Lillian Barfuss**

**Ushers: Jay Mayes, Ron DeMers, Phil DeMers, Mitch DeMers**

### **ICC COLLECTION REPORT**

**April 28 & 29:** Envelopes \$1,390.00, Loose \$244.00, Repairs \$1.00.  
**Total \$1,635.00.**

**SPECIAL COLLECTIONS:** Catholic Home Missions \$31.00

### **Immaculate Conception Springfest**

**"Our Cup Runneth Over"**  
**Saturday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> - 5:00pm**  
*Entertainment this year is*  
**Magician Mike O'Donnell**

Call the parish office for information on  
reserving a front-row table for the entertainment.

If you would like to donate  
to the Live Auction, please  
call the parish office with a  
description of the item.



You will be receiving a call for  
Silent Auction items. Any and all  
donations, large or small, are  
greatly appreciated. You may  
drop your items off at the parish  
office or give us a call if you need your item picked up.

You will be receiving  
Springfest letters and tickets soon.

### **DAILY MASS INTENTIONS**

**Saturday - May 5 - 6:00 pm \*\*Winner\*\***

For all Catholic Daughters: past, present & future  
by Winner Catholic Daughters

**Sunday - May 6 - 8:30 am \*\*Colome\*\***

Miles & Sadie Krizan<sup>+</sup> by Ralph & Kathy Carson

**Sunday - May 6 - 10:30 am \*\*Winner\*\***

For the Parish

**Monday - May 7 - NO MASS**

**Tuesday - May 8 - NO MASS**

**Wednesday - May 9 - 9:15 am \*\*Elder Inn\*\***

Communion Service

**Wednesday - May 9 - 9:30 am \*\*Nursing Home\*\***

Communion Service

**Thursday - May 10 - 9:00 am \*\*Golden Prairie Manor\*\***

Communion Service

**Friday - May 11 - 7:15 am \*\*Winner\*\***

Vera Mansheim<sup>+</sup> by Don Mansheim

**Saturday - May 12 - 6:00 pm \*\*Winner\*\***

For all Knights of Columbus: past, present & future  
by Knights of Columbus

**Sunday - May 13 - 8:30 am \*\*Colome\*\***

For all Catholic Daughters: past, present & future

by Colome Catholic Daughters

**Sunday - May 13 - 10:30 am \*\*Winner\*\***

For the Parish



### **Join us for Divine Mercy Chaplet**

Thursdays 10:00am at ICC

**NO Holy Hour at**  
**Immaculate Conception**  
**on Wednesday, May 9th.**



**Join Fr. Kevin at his home for**  
**WINE & CHEESE NIGHT**  
**Saturday, May 12<sup>th</sup>**  
**7-9:00pm following Mass**



### **'Saint Juliana's Prayer List'**

Wendy Smith	Brittney Hansen	Jeannine VanderPol
Marty Hagen	Larry Zeigler	Marianne Thompson
Reid Malnati	Dorothy Hejl	Alex Turgeon
Don Dvorak	Vicki Moser	Clair Turgeon
Jim Harder	Gary Elder	Shirley Turgeon
Fr. Bill Zandri	Jolene Hagen	Christine Wood
Jackie McKenzie	Bromley Heath	Mildred Brozik
Kirk Mansheim	Abby Pechota	Kate DeMers
Lenna Thieman	JoAnn Brown	Martin Jorgensen
Julie Stafford-son	Glenn Layh	Ruthie Storms Joachim
Dick Donovan	Janet DeMers	Inez Dockendorf
Dorothy Edwards	Terry Mayes	Gary Westendorf
Jerry Schroeder	Marian Schroeder	

### **Prayers for our Family Members in the Military**

Gene Fisher	Jacob Debus	Dylan Doering
Daysha DeMers	Jeff Butler	Jacque Miller
Spencer Hughes	Kris Schwartz	
Christian Hamilton		

St. Juliana's (Patron Saint of sickness) is a list of the people we are currently praying for because of illness or in the military. The military list will remain until we are notified. Please call the office (842-3520) to request continued prayers. To preserve the dignity and privacy of individuals, we ask that only an immediate family member call to request publication of names. We will presume they have permission from the individual to do so.  
Thank you for your understanding.

### **ST. ISIDORE CHURCH**

301 Carr St. Colome, SD 57528  
842-3520

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION** - Sunday at 8:00 am  
**MASS SCHEDULE** - Sunday at 8:30 am

### **ST. ISIDORE MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

#### **Sunday, May 13<sup>th</sup>**

**Gifts:** Mr. & Mrs. Randy Pechota  
**Lector:** Todd  
**EME:** Marilyn/Shirley/Carol M  
**Music:** Kathy/Janette  
**Servers:** Abby/Allan/Aspyn  
**Ushers:** Marlin/Ken  
**Sacristan:** Jody

### **ST. ISIDORE COLLECTION REPORT**

**April 29, 2018 :** \$908.00

**COLLECTION:** May 6, 2018 ~ Van & Ryan  
May 13, 2018 ~ Jody & Craig  
May 20, 2018 ~ Matt & Holly



#### **St. Isidore ~ May Church Cleaning**

Kathy Hrabanek (Chr.), Carol Moyer  
Patty DeMers, Linda Leber

### **Colome Catholic Daughters**

**Meeting: Wednesday, May 9<sup>th</sup>**  
**@ 7:00pm in the church basement**  
**Hostess ~ Nancy McKenzie**



### **Winner & Colome Knights of Columbus**

**Tuesday, May 15<sup>th</sup> – 7:00 pm @ St. Mary's Hall**

### **St. Isidore Parish Potluck Breakfast**

May 13<sup>th</sup> ~ Immediately following Mass. Everyone is Welcome!  
Will benefit the Colome Catholic Daughters.

**NO Holy Hour**  
**Tuesday, May 8<sup>th</sup>**  
**at St. Isidore.**



### **6<sup>th</sup> Annual Bishop's Fishing Tournament** **June 1, 2018**

Join Bishop Gruss, priests, seminarians, and others for the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Bishop's Fishing Tournament and Parish Team Fishing Challenge benefitting seminarians in western SD. No boat – no worries – PARTICIPANTS MAY FISH FROM THE SHORE. Registration will be from 7 a.m.- 11 a.m. on Friday June 1<sup>st</sup>. Following the day of fishing, Bishop Gruss will celebrate evening mass at St. John the Evangelist Church in Ft. Pierre. A fish fry dinner will be served at the parish hall after Mass followed by an awards presentation. Parishes or individuals may donate items for a Silent Auction which will be held the day of the tournament. For further information, contact the Western South Dakota Catholic Foundation (WSDCF) (605) 343-3541 for a brochure or sign up online at [www.wsdcf.org](http://www.wsdcf.org). Come and support our seminarians! Raffle tickets are available \$20 each or 3 for \$50 - \$1,000 cash prize. Need not be present to win. Contact the WSDCF office.

### **NEW PARISHIONERS!**

Registration forms are in the church, at the office  
or on the website [www.catholictripp.org](http://www.catholictripp.org)

FAITH FORMATION ~ [dreic@gwtc.net](mailto:dreic@gwtc.net)  
Youth of Immaculate Conception & St. Isidore

### **Totus Tuus Summer Camps**

Girls Discipleship Camp (High School aged) is June 24-29  
Girls Camp (Middle School) is June 26-29  
Boys Discipleship Camp (High School aged) is July 15-20  
Boys Camp (Middle School) is July 17-20  
Cost: \$145 (Discipleship), \$125 (Camp), \$20 discount if registered by May 15<sup>th</sup>

More information and registration online at:

[www.gods-call.org/events](http://www.gods-call.org/events)

### **Adult Catholic Catechism**

NO Class until further notice.

### **THAT MAN IS YOU**

will not meet on Thursday, May 10<sup>th</sup>



**VERSO D'ALTO**, a high adventure trip to the Colorado Rockies, will be held July 29-August 2<sup>nd</sup>. This trip will be open to young men aged 16 and older and will be led by Fr. Mark McCormick and several seminarians. It will include hiking and white water rafting as well as Daily Mass, Rosary and prayer. Look for more details soon!



### **A Safe Environment for Children and Young People**

The Catholic Diocese of Rapid City is firmly committed to creating and maintaining the safest possible environment for our children and young people. To report allegations of sexual abuse by church personnel, contact the Victim Assistance Coordinator, Barbara Scherr. To ensure her independence in outreach to victims, she can be contacted at 605-209-3418 (cell). The phone has caller ID and messaging features. All information will be treated confidentially. Alleged victims are advised of their right to report alleged abuse to civil authorities. The diocesan sexual misconduct policy and the code of conduct are posted on the diocesan website at:

<http://www.rapidcitydiocese.org/WP/safe-environment-home>



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MARY IMMACULATE

Friend us to receive updates.

### **Dignity of Work & Rights of Workers**

**May 6, 2018 - Sixth Sunday of Easter**

"The Church cannot and must not remain on the sidelines in the fight for justice."

- Pope Benedict XVI <http://www.usccb.org/about/justice-peace-and-human-development/index.cfm>

The Diocesan Social Justice Commission requests prayers for all unborn babies in danger of abortion. A sample prayer entitled Spiritual Adoption Prayer is as follows: "Jesus, Mary and Joseph, with love for you I ask your intercession to protect the life of unborn children. May they all come to birth healthy and be a source of joy to their parents. For those in danger because of abortion, I adopt them as my own and pray for them and their mothers."

(From [www.rapidcitydiocese.org/family-life-ministries-social-justice/social-justice-commission](http://www.rapidcitydiocese.org/family-life-ministries-social-justice/social-justice-commission))



## Calendar

### Monday

May 7

Easter Weekday

Acts 16:11-15

Jn 15:26-16:4a

### Tuesday

May 8

Easter Weekday

Acts 16:22-34

Jn 16:5-11

### Wednesday

May 9

Easter Weekday

Acts 17:15, 22-18:1

Jn 16:12-15

### Thursday

May 10

Easter Weekday

Acts 18:1-8

Jn 16:16-20

### Friday

May 11

Easter Weekday

Acts 18:9-18

Jn 16:20-23

### Saturday

May 12

Easter Weekday

Acts 18:23-28

Jn 16:23b-28

### Sunday

May 13

Seventh Sunday of Easter

Ascension of the Lord

SEVENTH SUNDAY

READINGS:

Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26

1 Jn 4:11-16

Jn 17:11b-19

ASCENSION OF THE LORD

READINGS:

Acts 1:1-11

Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13

or 4:1-7, 11-13

Mk 16:15-20

# Dear Padre,

**Is it acceptable for a Catholic health-care professional to be employed by a hospital that performs abortions, provided she has nothing to do with these procedures?**

**Y**ou raise an important issue about intentional involvement in wrongdoing, and my response extends to many other life situations.

A person may work in a hospital that performs abortions, provided that he or she is not involved with the procedures. Because performing abortions is only one part of what the hospital does, a person may work there contributing

his or her expertise to other areas of health care. If the circumstances were different, and the place of employment was dedicated to terminating pregnancies through abortion, it would be wrong to work there.

My response is guided by the principle of cooperation. It asserts that we may never intentionally cooperate approvingly in the morally wrong action of another person. To

help another and approve of his immoral action is termed *formal cooperation*. Cooperating with another reluctantly, disapproving of what he is doing, is called *material cooperation*. A person may never cooperate formally in another's wrongdoing because, in doing so, he or she also knowingly performs an immoral action. Some material cooperation may be morally justified, but not if a person's cooperation is necessary for an immoral action to occur.

The Church advises Catholics to avoid any level of moral cooperation. While many don't have the luxury to consider employment elsewhere, other considerations include: Is the individual creating scandal by employment at this hospital? Has the individual made his or her moral understanding known to this hospital?

Sundaybulletin@Liguori.org

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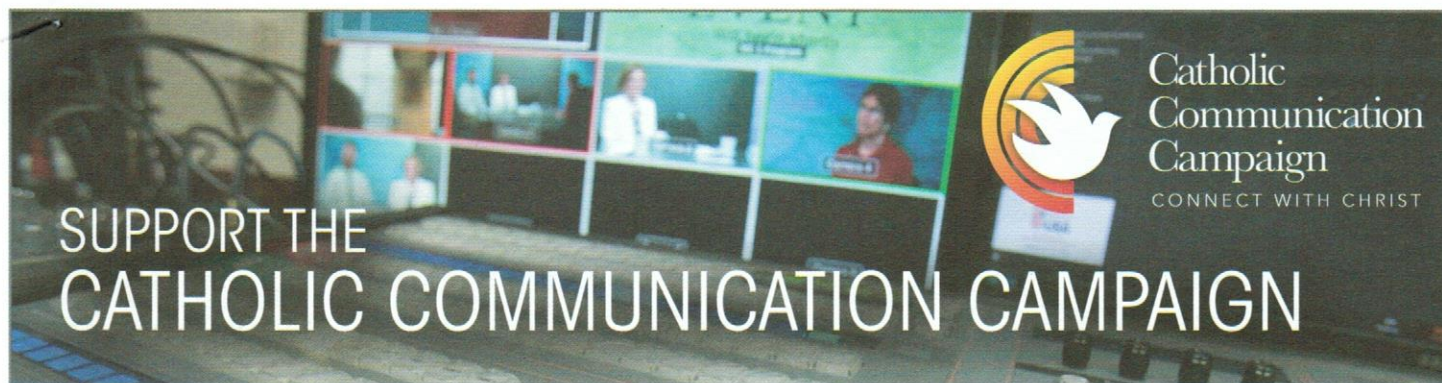


## A Word From Pope Francis

*Therefore, this Word of God calls us to love one another, even if we do not always understand each other, and do not always get along....It is then that Christian love is seen. A love which manifests even if there are differences of opinion or character. Love is greater than these differences!*

—Sixth Sunday of Easter, May 10, 2015





# SUPPORT THE CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN

The Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC) is a marvelous way to share the gospel message of God's mercy and love. Pope Francis asked us last year, "to offer the people of our time storylines that are, at heart, 'good news.'" By supporting this collection, you help to spread the Good News to people around the country and around the world. Your gift also makes a local impact because half of your donation stays in your diocese to support local communications projects.

## WHERE DO YOUR DONATIONS GO?

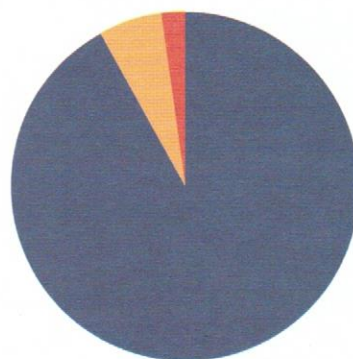
For many rural communities in Argentina, the only radio station that reaches them is Radio Maria—a Catholic radio station. But many people live in areas so rural that even this station has yet to reach them. Through your support of the CCC, Radio Maria in Argentina has expanded to an additional 17 stations, bringing the message of hope and mercy to far more people throughout the vast country. The stations provide programming to share prayer, catechesis,

liturgical celebrations, spirituality, and news. Thanks to your gifts, Radio Maria will be able to reach an additional 2 million people who long to connect with the broader church community.

## SUPPORT THE CCC TODAY!

To learn more about the CCC and the projects it supports, visit [www.usccb.org/cc](http://www.usccb.org/cc).

## WHERE DO YOUR GIFTS GO?



Total Expenses: \$3,041,376

- Grants and Donations: 92%
- Promotions and Fundraising: 6%
- Administrative Expenses: 2%



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CLIP, SAVE, AND SHARE THE TIPS BELOW!

## Be Digital Disciples on Social Media



### Accompany People with Joy!

Social media is a great tool to spread the Gospel. Use it to accompany others.



*Follow the USCCB daily on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram and share posts to spread the joy of our faith.*

### Would I Say This in Person?

If you get angry on social media, take a break to think about what you'd say face-to-face. Is the comment loving and merciful?



*If you're upset, don't comment right away. Walk away from your device, and ask yourself what you'd say in person.*

### Create Networks of Encounter

Behind the wires and screens are people. Use social media to share affirming stories and encounter others.



*Be authentic and build community. Offer to pray for each other or share a favorite prayer.*

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# DIOCESE OF RAPID CITY



Catholic  
Communication  
Campaign  
CONNECT WITH CHRIST

OFFICE OF BISHOP

***Collection dates: May 12-13, 2018***

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Soon our diocese will take up a collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). Last year, Pope Francis encouraged us, "to engage in constructive forms of communication that reject prejudice towards others and foster a culture of encounter" (World Communications Day Message, 2017). By generously supporting this collection, you are spreading the Gospel and helping others encounter Christ every day. Your gifts will not only support projects on a national and international scale but also here in our own diocese. *Of the funds we collect, one-half will remain here in the diocese to assist our evangelization efforts though local communications projects.*

With your support of the CCC, a radio station in the Democratic Republic of Congo is being established to share the Gospel with those living in the North Kivu province, on the far eastern border of the country. This radio station will provide people with quality, faith-filled programming to encourage spiritual growth and evangelization. Programming will include recitation of the Rosary, praying the Liturgy of the Hours, Mass, catechetical programs, and Catholic news. Parishes, schools, diocesan offices, universities, and even family homes will be involved in the preparation and broadcasting, making the radio a virtual meeting place where many people will share their faith and life experiences. It is through your generosity that this project, and others like it, can spread the Gospel around the world.

For more information about the collection and the projects it supports, visit [www.usccb.org/cc](http://www.usccb.org/cc).

Support the collection and connect with Christ.

Sincerely in the love of Christ,

+ *Robert D. Gruss*

Most Rev. Robert D. Gruss  
Bishop of Rapid City

*For more information on the Catholic Communications Campaign and the projects funded by the Collection, please visit [www.usccb.org/cc](http://www.usccb.org/cc).*

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