

### NEWMAN CENTER MINISTRY TEAM

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#### 04/06, Monday

Reading 1 Isaiah 42:1-7

Gospel John 12:1-11

#### 04/08, Wednesday

Reading 1 Isaiah 50:4-9a

Gospel Mt 26:14-25

#### 04/10, Friday - Good Friday

Reading 1 Is 52:13 - 53:12

Reading 2 Heb 4:14-16, 5:7-9

Gospel Jn 18:1 - 19:42

#### 04/07, Tuesday

Reading 1 Isaiah 49:1-6

Gospel Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

#### 04/09, Thursday

Reading 1 Ex 12:1-8, 11-14

Reading 2 1 Cor 11:23-36

Gospel Jn 13:1-5

#### 04/11, Saturday - Holy Vigil

Reading 1 Gn 1:1-2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a

Reading 3 Ex 14:15 - 15:1

Reading 5 Is 55:1-11

Reading 7 Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28

Gospel Mark 16:1-7

Reading 2 Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2a, 9a, 10-13, 15-18

Reading 4 Is 54:5-14

Reading 6 Bar 3:9-15, 32C4:4

Epistle Rom 6:3-11

#### 04/12, Sunday - Easter Sunday

Reading 1 Acts 10:34a, 37-43

Reading 2 Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8

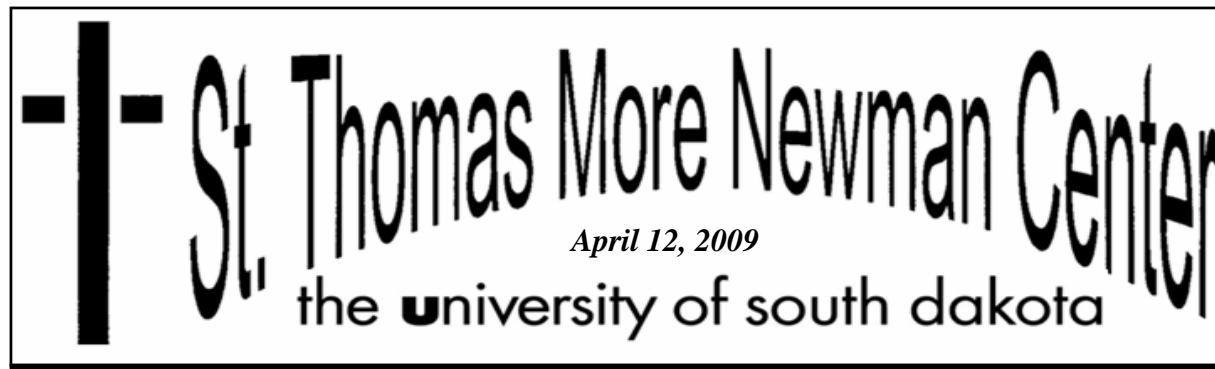
Psalm 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23

Gospel Jn 20:1-9 or Mk 16:1-7 or Lk 24:13-35

### Did You Know???

Many people think that **Christmas** is the most important day in the Catholic calendar, but from the earliest days of the Church, **Easter** has been considered the central Christian feast. It is so important because, as Saint Paul wrote in 1 Corinthians 15:14, "**If Christ has not been raised, then our preaching is in vain and your faith is in vain.**" Without Easter—without the Resurrection of Christ—there would be no Christian Faith. Jesus' prayer, "Thy Kingdom come, on earth as it is in Heaven," begins to be fulfilled on Easter Sunday.

Easter is the most important Christian holiday, and the Easter season is the longest season of the Church. The season begins with Easter Sunday and continues to Pentecost Sunday, 50 days after Easter. During the Easter Season we also celebrate the Feast of Divine Mercy (second Sunday of Easter) and the Feast of the Ascension of Jesus (traditionally 40 days after Easter).



## Easter Sunday

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*O Death, where is your sting, now the tomb is empty?*

*O Death, where is your victory, now that Jesus lives?*



## IN A NUTSHELL

**04/11 Saturday**  
**3-5pm Confessions**

**04/12 Sunday**  
**Easter Sunday**  
**11am Mass**

**04/13 Monday**  
**9:15pm Mass**

**04/14 Tuesday**  
**7:30 pm RCIA**  
**8pm Pastoral Council**  
**9:15pm Mass**

**04/15 Wednesday**  
9:15pm Mass

**04/16 Thursday**  
**9:15pm Mass**

**04/17 Friday**  
**8am Mass**

**04/18 Saturday**  
**6:30pm Mass**  
**Serve the Banquet**  
**RCIA to Trinity Heights**

**04/19 Sunday**  
*Divine Mercy Sunday*  
**11am Mass— RCIA**  
**Initiation**  
**3-5pm Confessions**  
**6:30pm Mass**

### Upcoming Events

**Sunday, April 19—11am Mass**  
- RCIA Initiation

**Saturday, April 25**  
- Newman Center Spring  
Cleaning Day

**Thursday April 30**  
- Volunteer Appreciation Dinner

**Monday March 4**  
- Finals Week Sandwich Feed

## Last weekend's collection: March 29th - \$703.00



**RCIA Tuesday April 14** 6<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>  
**Commandments**

**6** - be pure in thought and modest in all our looks, words, and actions. Avoid conversation, songs, jokes, movies that tear down our morals... respect and take no liberties with ours or another person's body. Also avoid books and movies that destroy our faith, or that willfully misrepresent Catholic doctrine and practice.

**7** - no cheating or defrauding others of their property... borrowing or buying with the intention of never repaying, knowingly sharing in stolen goods; no giving or taking bribes, or acquiring by false pretenses. Employees should not waste the time for which they are paid; or do bad work or supply bad materials... Return things found to their lawful owners as soon as possible using reasonable means to find the owners. If we discover we have bought stolen goods and know their lawful owners we must return the goods to them as soon as possible without demanding compensation. We must pay our honest debts. We are bound to repair damage we have unjustly caused.

**8** - No rash judgments, backbiting, slanders, and lies\* we should speak the truth in all things, and be careful of the honor and reputation of every one. Pretense, hypocrisy, false praise, boasting, etc. are similar to lies. No reason, no matter how good, will excuse the telling of a lie, because a lie is always bad in itself. It is never allowed, even for a good intention to do a thing that is bad in itself.

**9** - we are not to entertain impure thoughts or desires of another person's wife or husband, and all other unlawful impure thoughts and desires. We try to banish the impure thoughts and stay away from occasions of sin.

**10** - We are not to begrudge another person what he has or try to wrongfully get his possessions. We are to be content with what we have, and to rejoice in our neighbor's good fortune. We can try honestly to improve our own position in the world.

**4/18 Saturday April 18 Trinity Heights 10:30 – 1:00** Sacramentals, Rosary, prep for sacraments

**4/19 Divine Mercy Sunday April 19 11:00 Mass Complete Sacraments of Initiation**

*"Whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is gracious, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things." Philippians 4: 8*

## Newman Center Serves the Banquet

We will be joining the Newman Center at SDSU in serving a noon meal at the Sioux Falls Banquet on **Saturday, April 18.**

This is a great opportunity to serve the poor in our area. **Check the bulletin board for sign up and more details.**

**We will be Serving 300 – 325 people**

**We need volunteers**

8 - 10 cooks on site by 8:30 No more than 10 cooks otherwise too crowded  
40 volunteers to serve **at 10:45**

**We will happily take donations**

**The menu that day requires**

- **70 – 80 pounds of hamburger**
- **25 pounds of macaroni type pasta**
- **15 number 10 since cans of tomato sauce, diced tomatoes**
- **12 onions**
- **25 loaves of bread**
- **325 pieces of assorted fruit**
- **\$\$\$\$ Cash donations to help with milk and whatever we don't get in food donations**

## Spring Cleaning at the Newman Center

Was postponed on April 4th for lousy weather. **We will try again on Saturday, April 25 . Please sign up if you can help** We will have a morning shift and an afternoon shift with lunch being served in between. Cleaning up the yard, washing windows, and attacking cobwebs in the building will be the order of the day.. We need your help! Look this week for a sign-up on the "Upcoming Events" bulletin board.. and thanks for your generosity!



## We Are PRO LIFE

NaPro Technology (Natural Procreative Technology) provides morally acceptable alternatives to in-vitro fertilization.

Dr. Thomas Hilgers has devoted his life to the study of human reproduction. He developed the Creighton Model System of Natural Family Planning and is the director of the highly successful Pope Paul VI Institute for the Study of Human Reproduction in Omaha.

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## The NaPro Difference

It is two to three times more successful than in vitro fertilization at helping infertile couples have children — at a fraction of the cost.

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NaPro Technology cuts the rate of premature births in half — thus helping reduce the incidence of birth defects.

NaPro Technology effectively treats women experiencing infertility with up to an 80% success rate.

*Jesus Loves You!*