



Saint Rose of Lima Catholic Church

Hill City, South Dakota

Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Keystone, South Dakota

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“We exist to spread the Kingdom of God as a home of belonging, of healing, and of transformation.”

Thirtieth Sunday in ordinary time, October 26th, 2025

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St-Rose Lima



Readings:
Sirach 35:12–14, 16–18
Psalm 34:2–3, 17–19, 23
2 Timothy 4:6–8, 16–18
Luke 18:9–14

Jesus draws a blunt picture in today's Gospel.

The Pharisee's prayer is almost a parody of the thanksgiving psalms (see for example Psalms 30, 118). Instead of praising God for His mighty works, the Pharisee congratulates himself for his own deeds, which he presents to God in some detail.

The tax collector stands at a distance, too ashamed even to raise his eyes to God (see Ezra 9:6). He prays with a humble and contrite heart (see Psalm 51:19). He knows that before God no one is righteous, no one has cause to boast (see Roman 3:10; 4:2).

We see in the Liturgy today one of Scripture's abiding themes: that God “knows no favorites,” as today's First Reading tells us (see 2 Chronicles 19:7; Acts 10:34–35; Romans 2:11).

God cannot be bribed (see Deuteronomy 10:17). We cannot curry favor with Him or impress Him—even with our good deeds or our faithful observance of religious duties such as tithing and fasting. If we try to exalt ourselves before the Lord, as the Pharisee does, we will be brought low (see Luke 1:52). This should be a warning to us—not to take pride in our piety, not to slip into the self-righteousness of thinking that we're better than others, that we're “not like the rest of sinful humanity.”

If we clothe ourselves with humility (see 1 Peter 5:5–6), if we recognize that all of us are sinners in need of His mercy, we will be exalted (see Proverbs 29:33). The prayer of the lowly, the humble, pierces the clouds. Paul testifies to this in today's Epistle as He thanks the Lord for giving him strength during his imprisonment. Paul tells us what the Psalmist sings today—that the Lord redeems the lives of His humble servants.

We too must serve Him willingly. And He will hear us in our distress, deliver us from evil, and bring us safely to His heavenly kingdom. By: Scott Hahn

Special Edition

Generations of Faith



PARISH FAMILY FUN & TRIVIA NIGHT

Mark your calendars ~ Food, Fun, and Competition await!

November 5, 2025 | 5:30pm - 7:30pm

“It is better to have little knowledge with humility and a weak understanding than greater treasures of learning with self-conceit.” Thomas Kempis from The Imitation Of Christ

Housekeeping

Saint Rose of Lima and Our Lady of Mount Carmel are currently in-between church cleaners.

We are asking for weekly volunteers to help us out.
Sign-up sheets will be in the back of each church.

Thank you for your kind generosity!



Community Events

Faith Formation @ St. Rose: Wednesday, October 29th. Regular classes will resume November 12th, the week after Generations of Faith.

OCIA Classes: Tuesday, October 28th, from 6:00– 8:00 p.m.

St. Rose Parish needs donations of non perishable food & toilet paper for the Food Bank in Hill City for the month of November. **There is a plastic tote at the back of the church for donations.** Please talk to Joanne Farland if you want more information.

Birthday Breakfast. Sunday, November 2nd after the 10:00 a.m. Mass at St. Rose Church. Please join us!

The Next Generations of Faith will be on Wednesday, November 5 at 5:30 p.m.. Come and join us for our Family Fun Night! Food, games, drawings and prizes. Plus 15 minutes of Adoration to close out the evening.

Going Deeper: High School Weekend Retreat. Friday, November 7th through Sunday, November 9th at Placerville Camp, Black Hills. Fr. Mark will be Chaplin for this retreat. Registrations are due by October 30th. See the poster in the display case, outside the parish hall, to register online. Fr. Ed Vanorny will be covering weekend Masses in Hill City and Keystone.

Saint Rose of Lima Parish Confirmation Retreat: Saturday, November 15th. This is a required retreat for our 8th grade Confirmation Students. Father Mark Horn is our presenter. Contact him for location and times. **Parents:** a letter to your child for this retreat is due back November 5, along with any other outstanding forms found in your yellow folder. **Parishioners:** please lift up in prayer our Confirmation Students by name during this retreat and throughout the year: Richie, Matteo, Isa, Maddie, Alondra, and Abi .

Pastoral Council Meeting: Sunday, November 16th @ 5:30 p.m., St. Rose Hall.

Real Presence Radio Banquet: Thursday, November 20th @ 5:30 p.m. at the Ramkota Hotel in Rapid City. Please talk to Dcn. Bob or Kathy Ackerman if you would like to attend.

Heart to Heart Retreat: Friday, November 21st through Sunday November 23rd. Fr. Mark will be Chaplin. Fr. Leo Hausmann will be covering weekend Masses in Hill City and Keystone.

Mass Schedule & Intentions—

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Sunday, October 26th

(Keystone) 8:00 a.m. Mass: Pro Popolo

(Hill City) 10 a.m. Mass: Bishop Scott Bullock

Monday, October 27th

(No Mass)

Tuesday, October 28th

(Hill City) 7:30 a.m. Mass: Peace in the World

Wednesday, October 29th

(Keystone) 8:00 a.m. Mass: For all Seminarians and those discerning the priesthood.

(Hill City) 3:30 p.m.: Faith Formation Mass: For all families and teachers involved in Faith Formation.

Thursday, October 30th

(Hill City) 8:00 a.m. Mass: Pope Leo XIV

(Hill City) 8:30 a.m.: Adoration

(Hill City) 10:00-11:00 a.m. Reconciliation

(Hill City: Adoration & Reconciliation 6:30-9:00 pm

Friday, October 31st

(Hill City) 7:30 a.m. Mass: (†) Poor Souls in Purgatory

Saturday, November 1st

(Hill City) 3:30-4:30 p.m.: Reconciliation

(Hill City) 6:00 p.m. Mass: (†) All the Faithful Departed

Sunday, November 2nd

(Keystone) 8:00 a.m. Mass: Pro Popolo

(Hill City) 10 a.m. Mass: (†) David Gray

Reconciliation: Hill City, Saint Rose of Lima:

Thursday | 10:00-11:00 a.m., 6:30-9:00 p.m.

Saturday | 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Keystone, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel: 30 minutes prior to Masses

Sunday (English) Mass Minister Schedule October 5th - November 16 2025

	10/5/25	10/12/25	10/19/25	10/26/25	11/2/25	11/9/25	11/16/25
1st Reader	Ashley	Ronan	Sharon	Nettie	Ronan	Andy Q	Jennifer S
2nd Reader	Andy Q	Josie	Michael	Dale	Ashley	Brett	Michael
Servers	Josie Robert B Oliver W Alexander W	Jesse Jackson Bailey Levi	John Patrick Eleanor Greta	Elsie Lydia Caleb Robert B	Jesse Jackson Bailey Levi	Kurt Max Colton Reese Jayden	Levi Jackson Kayson Sofia Daleyda
Others	Jeremy & Rollie	Edgar & Brad	Rollie & Don	Jeremy & Don	Edgar & Brad	Rollie & Don	Edgar & Jeremy
Security	Jim & Margie	Tom & Cathy	Kelley & Sarah	Daryl	Hilde & Kerry	Daryl	Gene & Kade
Greeters				Stan & Carol			Jim & Margie
EMHC							
Sacristan	Cheryl	Jennifer Z	Deb	Becky W	Sharon	Cheryl	Deb
If you are unable to serve in your ministry as scheduled, please use the substitute list to find your replacement. Thank you for your service to the community and to Our Lord!							

Horario Litúrgico Español Octubre 4 - Noviembre 15 2025

	4-Oct	11-Oct	18-Oct	25-Oct	1-Nov	8-Nov	15-Nov
Primer lector	Octavio	Ximena	Octavio	Yeimi	Ximena	Yeimi	Octavio
Segundo lector	Ximena	Yeimi	Yeimi	Octavio	Octavio	Ximena	Ximena
Servidores	Richi Lian	Richi Lian	Richi Lian	Richi Lian	Richi Lian	Richi Lian	Richi Lian

EMHC

Sacristan

Bobbi-Jo

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If you are unable to serve in your ministry as scheduled, please find your own substitute.

Si usted no puede servir en su ministerio según lo programado, por favor encuentre su propio sustituto.

Por favor, regístrese y llame a la oficina si puede leer o ministrar durante cualquiera de los horarios de apertura

Saint Rose of Lima Parish Renovation

P.O. Box 236, Hill City, SD 57745

Giving Options: Electronically via QR Code,

Or a mailed check written out to: St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church, Memo: For Sanctuary Renovation

SAINT ROSE OF LIMA PARISH RENOVATION



For more information



Real Presence Radio Banquet: Thursday, November 20th @ 5:30 p.m. at the Ramkota Hotel in Rapid City. Please talk to Dcn. Bob or Kathy Ackerman if you would like to attend. The dinner and presentation are free. There will be an ask for support at the end of the presentation.



St. Rose Church is delighted to announce the arrival of new posters, thoughtfully displayed throughout the church to showcase the inspiring elements being added to the St. Rose Renovation. Parishioners and visitors alike are encouraged to take a moment to pause and appreciate these vibrant additions, each designed to foster reflection and deepen understanding of our sacred space.

They represent many different elements being added to the St. Rose Renovation and include: Lives of the Saints (see picture above), a description of Angels, and details on the Altar, the Altar of Repose, the Ambo and the Baptismal Font. We thank Greta Burgard for all of her hard work making these beautiful posters.

Eucharistic Adoration

Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon

& 6:30-9:00 p.m.

Adoracion Eucaristica

Jueves 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon y 6:30-9:00 p.m.

The Parish Website www.centralblackhillscatholic has been updated. There is now a calendar of events that will span 6 months into the future, as well as a digital copy of the current bulletin, and the current Ministry schedule (under the 'Ministries' tab) for St. Rose. Please check it out often.

Prayer Intentions

- ♥Fr. Andrzej
- ♥Doug Siemonsma
- ♥Vance Miller
- ♥Jane Schwab
- ♥Angie Mediger
- ♥Dcn. Fred Tully
- (†) Fr. Bill Zandri



♥All the sick & shut-ins of our parish and community

♥For the revival of peoples' devotion to the Eucharist in our country and the world.

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HILL CITY PARISH SUPPORT
October 19th, 2025

Envelopes:	\$1,040.00
Plate:	\$691.80
Sanctuary Renovations	\$630.00
OCIA Reimbursement	\$40.00
Building Fund	\$50.00
Seminarian	
TOTAL:	\$2,451.80

Saint Rose Prayer Ministry

PARTNER WITH US for your prayer concerns. Be a part of a number of friends who will ask healing, peace, and comfort from our Lord Jesus, for those loved ones you desire to help.

Collectively we'll seek the powerful intercession of our Blessed Mother for the needs in all requests.

SEND REQUESTS TO: Marie Askew 605-872-1519.

Marie sends your requests to:

Julie Gray "text" team #1; 8 members

Peg Noem "text" team #2; 9 members

Mary Larson "call" team #1; 4 members

Marie A. "e-mail" team #1; 7 members

You decide what way to receive the requests for your prayer



Coming to your inbox each month, The Monthly Messenger is jam packed with happenings from around our parish family — upcoming events, retreat links, faith formation schedules, parish family photos, volunteer opportunities — every event listed is customized to our parishes of Saint Rose and OLMC. Be in the know, register to receive your electronic communications today. Look in your inbox for the Monthly Messenger around the first of each month.

Keep in touch with us via email and text. Join our Flocknote Communication System! TEXT: STROSE236 to 84576 or connect with us online at: stroseoflima26.flocknote.com

KEYSTONE WEEKLY PARISH SUPPORT
October 12th & 19th, 2025

Envelopes:	\$1,220.00
Plate:	\$180.00
Misc.	
TOTAL:	\$1,400.00

Love INC

Kitchen & Linen Ministry needs include bath mats, small throw rugs, twin comforters or quilts, and hangers; pots and pans, crockpots, small coffee makers, mixing bowls, cooling racks, food strainers, dish racks, round or rectangular tablecloths, silverware, and spatulas. Thrive Retail Ministry: Adventure gear ~ fishing, camping, sports, bikes, snow sports, other interesting and unique adventure items. Did you know.....Love INC. Hill City-Keystone has office hours in Hill City on Monday from 9 a.m. to noon. Call 605-574-1023 for an appointment and/or to confidentially speak with someone.

Donations for Kitchen Ministry and Linen Ministry may be delivered directly to the Love INC facility in Rapid City or 24-hours a day in the weather-proof tote located at Lighthouse Assembly of God Church in Hill City. Thank you for your heartfelt donations! Save The Date! The annual Hope & Love Banquet is November 24, 2025. Work-2-Earn Volunteers are needed in the RISE area to work alongside participants on Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday in the W2E program, in Rapid City. Their most wanted items are: throw rugs, bath mats, liquid laundry detergent, crockpots, new toasters, microwaves, twin & queen sized box springs and twin mattresses. If you are interested, please contact: amy@love-inc.us



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 Victim Assistance Coordinator Irene Lee. To ensure confidentiality in our outreach to victims, she can be contacted privately at 1-605-209-3418 (cell). Alleged victims are advised of their right to report alleged abuse to civil authorities. In accordance with diocesan policy, all allegations of sexual misconduct involving children, young people, and vulnerable adults by priests, deacons, lay employees, or volunteers serving the Diocese of Rapid City will be investigated. The diocesan sexual misconduct policy and the code of conduct are posted on the diocesan website at www.rapidcitydiocese.org.

Would you like to give an E-gift to support St. Rose of Lima Church? Just scan the QR code (open the camera app on your phone, place it over the QR Code, tap the link on your phone screen) and follow the link to give a donation safe and secure through our Flocknote Parish App.
 Thank you!!!

