

## HOUSE COMMEMORATION NO. 1031

Introduced by: Representatives Gassman and Olson (Russell) and Senator Sutton

A LEGISLATIVE COMMEMORATION, Congratulating the town of Epiphany on the 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration of its founding.

WHEREAS, the town of Epiphany was built around its church and unyielding faith in God and has nurtured that faith through the religious education of its youth; and

WHEREAS, Epiphany is a close community where serving one's fellow citizen in time of need has always been a priority; and

WHEREAS, this Catholic community has preserved and refurbished the church which serves as its pillar; and

WHEREAS, Epiphany's history is one of success, faith, perseverance, and recognition of those who served our country; and

WHEREAS, Epiphany is a farming community that relies on God's gift of rain and conservation and preservation of the land:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT COMMEMORATED, by the Eighty-Third Legislature of the State of South Dakota, that the town of Epiphany be recognized on August 1, 2, and 3, 2008, the 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary of its founding, for faith, religious education, preservation of its church, recognition of those who served our country, its farming economy, and assistance to the community.

