# When I stand before Jesus

When I die, do not give me a celebration of life service. Pray for my soul! There is a mindset in our culture today. It is the assumption that when a person dies, they automatically go to heaven. There are several reasons behind this. One is that our culture does not live well, nor do we know how to deal with death. Another, it is more comfortable to think of our loved ones immediately brought into heaven than waiting in purgatory.

This is not the mindset of the Church. While we do not know the state of each person's soul, we know that nothing imperfect can enter heaven. The soul must be purified of all earthly and sinful attachments before it can stand to be face to face with God in heaven. This is the great blessing of purgatory; it is a place of final purification for the soul that is not yet ready for heaven. The funeral mass is primarily to pray for the one who has died, that by our prayers he or she may be quickly purified and made ready for heaven. While purgatory is a great blessing, it is not a comfortable process of being purified.

I can safely speak for myself that I am a beloved son of the Father who has many faults that need to be corrected and healed. I pray that I will cooperate well with God's grace here and now to be purified of those faults. However, when I die, the thing that I want most of all from those who love me are prayers and masses offered for my soul. I want those who have loved and assisted me in life to not stop assisting me when I am gone. (I have no reason that I know of to believe that I will stand before Jesus soon, yet I want to be ready all the same).

It is important to share memories and stories of those we love who have died. However, we do them a greater service by continuing to pray for them. It is important to have a funeral mass prayed for the person so that the community can gather to pray for him or her. It is also a great act of love to continue to pray and have masses offered for him or her.

I know that I am a beloved son, deeply loved by God, who is also a great sinner in need of God's mercy. So, when I go stand before Jesus, I do not want people to talk about how good a man I was. I want people to pray for me, to beg God to pour out his mercy upon me so that I may enter eternal communion with God in heaven. I want people to tell Jesus, "Yes Lord, we know that he was a bonehead. Yes, he did do those foolish things. But Lord, he is your bonehead that you love, so be merciful in judging his actions. J" So, when I die, whether it be tomorrow or seventy years from now, do not have a Celebration of Life service for me, but give me a funeral mass with all the trimmings to pray that I may be forgiven of all my faults. Amen.

# Our Lady of Good Counsel

406 W. Main St. Wood, SD

# Church of St. Isidore

301 Carr Street

PO Box 405

Colome, SD

# **Church of Immaculate Conception**

325 S. Van Buren Street 302 W. 4th St.

Winner, SD



Bulletin Date: May 19, 2024

Pentecost Sunday



Parents of newborns should make arrangements for baptism as soon as possible by calling the parish office.

#### BAPTISM

Godparents are to be confirmed in the Catholic Church, and they must be actively practicing their faith, living in full communion with the teaching of the Church.

## PENANCE

Friday, after mass @ Immaculate Conception Saturday, 5:30pm @ Immaculate Conception Sunday, 7:30am to 8:15am @ St. Isidore Sunday, after mass @ Immaculate Conception



### THE HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS

Monday, May 20, The Blessed Virgin Mary **NO MASS** 

Tuesday, May 21, Saint Christopher Magallanes & Companions

Wednesday, May 22, Saint Rita of Cascia NO MASS

Thursday, May 23, Weekday 8:00am @ Immaculate Conception

Friday, May 24, Weekday

7:15am @ Immaculate Conception Saturday, May 25, The Most Holy Trinity

6:00pm @ Immaculate Conception Sunday, May 26, The Most Holy Trinity

8:30am @ St. Isidore

10:30am @ Immaculate Conception



## **MATRIMONY**

Couples planning to get married should contact the parish office at least six months in advance to begin preparations.



-GRACE **UPON** GRACE Fr. Zane will not have Mass at Our Lady of Good Counsel in Wood until October 6th. Please join him at Immaculate Conception in Winner or St. Isidore in Colome.

> **ADORATION** No Adoration times this week



## HOLY ORDERS Fr. Zane Pekron, Pastor zpekron@diorc.org 605-842-3520



# **ANOINTING**

If you or a loved one are seriously ill or anticipating surgery, call and arrange to receive the sacrament of anointing.



ST. ISIDORE PARISH COUNCIL

**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH COUNCIL** 

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**Next Meeting** 

JULY

Wednesday

**Parish Office Address** 

**Office Hours** 

**Parish Phone** Parish e-mail **Parish Website ICC Facebook** St. Isidore Facebook 302 W. 4th St.

Winner, SD 57580 Open T-F, 9am-4pm 605-842-3520 parishsec@gwtc.net CatholicTripp.org

Mary Immaculate

St. Isidore the Farmer

JULY Thursday

Meeting on:

**Ryan DeSmet** Chase Hrabanek, Chair Carol King **Holly Pechota** Leslie Petersek **Cole Shippy** 

DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday - May 18

Deceased Knights of Columbus by Knights of Columbus

Sunday - May 19

Lori Reickman<sup>+</sup> by Todd & Janette Shippy

For the Parish

Monday - May 20 Tuesday - May 21

Kristie Storms<sup>‡</sup> by Tom & Jill Sell (Will be said at Clergy Days)

Wednesday - May 22

Blessing for Don Mansheim by Mansheim Family (Will be said at Clergy Days)

Thursday - May 23

Bob Walth by Mike and Sandi Hausmann

Friday - May 24

Joe Assman by Greg & Cindy Assman

Saturday - May 25

Zofia Wyrostek by Rich & Tammy Laber

Sunday - May 26

For the Parish

Clair & Shirley Turgeon by Family

Each day the priest offers the sacrifice of the Mass for one special intention. These intentions can be for anyone living or deceased, Catholic or Non-Catholic. To arrange a mass with your own intention, please fill out an envelope, which can be found in the church entrance, and drop it in the collection basket. Or you may simply contact the parish office to arrange a mass or masses. The parish asks for a \$10 donation per Mass.

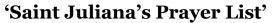
## Join us to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet

Thursday, 10:00am @ Immaculate Conception All are welcome to attend! It takes about 10 minutes of your time but connects you to Him whose mercy is unfathomable.

> **Catholic Daughters of the Americas June Installation Mass** Wednesday, June 5<sup>th</sup> @ 6:00pm St. Isidore Church (Mark your calendars)

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





Lord, hear our prayers for the sick of our parish and for those in need of our prayers.

Avery Eddie Joel Keierleber Kevin Van Cleave Moni Stiehl Eric Connot Kathy Jensen DeEtte Elliott Leetta Obermeyer Ross Neyens Lindsay Zeigler

Donna Sealey Pam Ekberg Janet DeMers Jolene Corkle Jane Moser Tessa Jaton Jim Hickey

Fr. Tony Grossenburg Wendy Smith Leonard Gehlsen Jonathan Perez Don Mansheim Kathy Riedy John Obermeyer Marianne Thompson Jody Burger Rick Cahoy Dave Fisher

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

Jacob Debus Daysha DeMers Dvlan Doering Spencer Hughes Gene Fisher Jacque Miller

Sacristan:

**Usher:** 

We continue to pray for our sick and for the hope of healing. May God remain with them in their suffering and give them comfort in His love. Please call the office (605-842-3520) to request continued prayers. To preserve the dignity and privacy of individuals, we ask that only the ill person or an immediate family member (husband/wife, parents of small children, call, email or text, to request publication of names.

## If you have an emergency

for which you are in need of a Priest, please call Fr. Zane at 605-842-3520, Ext. 13.

If Father does not answer, leave your name, number and your request. Father will get back to you as soon as possible.

#### Welcome

## Fr. Gary Oreshoski

We are <u>Happy</u> to have you here with us!

#### Men's Group

will meet on Thursday.

Men of all ages are invited to join together each

Thursday morning for breakfast and scripture study. It's a great way in our knowledge of God's eternal Word speaking to the particular challenges of our lives today. Also, an amazing way to start the day! Come to the front door of the rectory at 6:30am. Lasts 1 hour.

#### **CONTACT INFORMATION** ST. ISIDORE OR ICC PARISHIONERS

Have you moved, changed your phone number, would like your birthday or anniversary added to the list, or you haven't registered with the church? Contact us at the parish office, 605-842-3520, or email parishsec@gwtc.net.

# We are here to assist you. Requiem Pacem

It is our custom: To pray three 'Hail Marvs' after Mass is completed, for the next person to die, to have a peaceful death. And to die with the sacraments of the church.

Let us Pray,

"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

(From www.rapidcitydiocese.org/family-life-ministries-social-justice/socialjustice-commission)

### IMMACULATE CONCEPTION THE NEW MINISTRY SCHEDULES FOR

June & July have been emailed and mailed. If you did not receive one, let me know. 605-842-3520. THANK YOU!

## MINISTRY SCHEDULE **Immaculate Conception & St. Isidore**

SATURDAY, May 25<sup>th</sup> ~ 6:00pm **Toni Donovan** Sacristan: Lector: Kelly Assman EME: Mel Connot Server: Nick Assman Maggie Assman

Laura Assman Usher: **Todd Volmer** John Janecke

SUNDAY, May 26<sup>th</sup> ~ 8:30am

Lector: Server: Rvker

Kaden/Randv Ushers: Sacristan: Kris

SUNDAY, May 26<sup>th</sup> ~ 10:30am Rita Neyens

Lector: Doug Engemann **Andy Tegethoff** EME: Sadie Tegethoff Server: **Kynslie Tegethoff** VOLUNTEER

> **Brad Assman** VOLUNTEER

## WEEKEND COLLECTION REPORTS

### IMMACUL ATE CONCEPTION

May 11 & 12, 2024 - Total: \$4,114.00 Repair & Maintenance: \$175.00



ST. ISIDORE

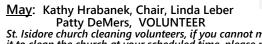
May 12, 2024 - Total: \$1,303.00

COLLECTION: Ryan & Chase May May 26 Carol & Holly June Leslie & Cole

## Come and Pray The Rosary before Mass

Saturday, 5:30pm @ Immaculate Conception Sunday, 8:00am @ St. Isidore

Honor our Blessed Mother.



# This week we pray for these vocations:

Monday - Fr. Brad Held, SJ and Fr. Ron Seminara, SJ Tuesday - Fr. Peter Klink, SJ and Fr. Edmund Yainao, SJ Wednesday - Fr. Jim Lafontaine, SJ

and Fr. Jean Claude Mbassi, SCJ

and Fr. David Mastrangelo, SJ Friday - Fr. Collins Igwilo, Fr. Michael Oli

and Fr. Francis Chidi Nwakile FIS

Sunday - Fr. Robert Kinyon, Max Vetch, Jesse Willis and Todd VanderMay

#### ST. ISIDORE CHURCH CLEANING

St. Isidore church cleaning volunteers, if you cannot make it to clean the church at your scheduled time, please notify the chairperson of your month. Thank you!

Thursday - Fr. Christianus Hendrik, SCI

Saturday - Fr. Francis Nsubuga & Fr. Leonard Ssennyonjo



## **Baby Bottle Initiative To Support Right to Life!**



Take a Bottle Bank on this Mother's Day and return it on Father's Day

Between those days, please place your spare change and any other donations in it. The donations will be used for crisis pregnancy centers, ultrasounds and other Right to Life projects supported by the Knights of Columbus, Council 2708 in Winner and Colome. Please don't forget to return the bottle on Father's Day to be used again next year!



## **CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS**

**Colome Catholic Daughters Memorial Day Flower Project** Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> at 5:30pm Meet at the Rectory



### **Upcoming Events**

First Communion is Sunday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>. Springfest is Saturday, June 8<sup>th</sup>.

"Mary can guide us towards this most holy sacrament [the Eucharist], because she herself has a profound relationship with it...in addition to her sharing in the Eucharistic banquet, an indirect picture of Mary's relationship with the Eucharist can be had, beginning with her interior disposition. Mary is a 'woman of the Eucharist' in her whole life. The Church, which looks to Mary as a model, is also called to imitate her in her relationship with this most holy mystery."

~Pope Saint John Paul II, Ecclesia de Eucharistia, no 53



"CATCH

KING"

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO PURCHASE ONE OF THE TICKETS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE CATCH THE KING EVENT, PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE FOR INFORMATION.

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# **Bishop's Annual Fishing Tournament**

# **JUNE 10TH**

PIERRE, SD

Bass & Walleye Tournament • Meet Our Seminarians Mass with Bishop DeGrood • Social Outdoor Prime Rib Dinner • Silent Auction









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