

Mercy and Repentance

“You gave your children good ground for hope that you would permit repentance for their sins” (Wis 12: 19). This is the closing line of our first reading, and it ties well with the gospel. In the gospel, we have the parable of the weeds in the wheat. The connection for both is that God is merciful, and he shows us that mercy by giving us time to repent of our sins here on earth.

If you want to confuse someone, tell them that hell was created out of God’s mercy. It is true. God created hell for those fallen angels and men who ultimately said that they will not serve God, they will only serve themselves. Heaven is being intimately united with God without end. God knows that this would be torture for those who reject him. Therefore, God created a place that is devoid of his presence which is hell. He also lets us choose by our actions whether we will serve him or only ourselves.

There is a great quote from Cardinal Sarah, “Don’t deceive people with the word, ‘mercy.’ God forgives sins only if we repent of them.” This runs counter to the way that mercy is often spoken of in the world. We speak of mercy as if it means that I can serve myself in this life and at the last moment say that I’m sorry and God will let me into heaven. If we do repent at the last moment, we will enter heaven, but what happens if we do not get that chance. When we say that God is merciful, it is because he has given us the gift of time on this earth to repent of our sinfulness. That when we become weeds, by mortal sin, he doesn’t destroy us immediately. Rather, he gives us time to repent and seek his forgiveness so that we may be transformed into wheat. When we are left to ourselves, we become weeds. The good news is that we have time, we have time to repent and turn away from our sins. However, there will come a point when we will stand before the Father and be judged. The wheat will enter heaven and the weeds will be eternally separated from God. This should not cause terror to us, but neither should we be nonchalant about it either.

Therefore, let us repent of our sinfulness and strive to enter through the narrow gate. Let us bring our sins and brokenness to confession and receive God’s mercy. Let us choose God so that when we stand before him, we can hear, “well done my good and faithful servant, come share your master’s joy.”

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: July 23, 2023



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

Tuesday, 5:00pm @ St. Isidore
Wednesday 5:00pm @ Immaculate Conception
Friday, after mass @ Immaculate Conception
Saturday, 5:30pm @ Immaculate Conception
Sunday, 7:30am to 8:15am @ St. Isidore
Sunday, after mass @ Immaculate Conception



MATRIMONY

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

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GRACE**

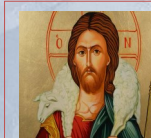
ADORATION

Tuesday, 5 -- 6:00pm @ St. Isidore
Wednesday, 4:45 -- 5:45pm @ Immaculate Conception



ANOINTING

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



HOLY ORDERS

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

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH COUNCIL

Scott Schramm, Chair
Jason Bartels
Deb Fisher
Kristen Hausmann
Steve Higgins
Bria Peppel
Tim Pravecek
Jonah Sachtjen
Justin Zeigler

Next Meeting

JULY

Wednesday

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Parish Office Address 302 W. 4th St.
Winner, SD 57580
Open T-F, 9am-4pm
Parish Phone 605-842-3520
Parish e-mail parishsec@gwtc.net
Parish Website CatholicTripp.org
ICC Facebook Mary Immaculate
St. Isidore Facebook St. Isidore the Farmer

Meeting on:

OCTOBER

Thursday

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

DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday - July 22

David Turgeon⁺ by Family

Sunday - July 23

Alexa Mckenzie⁺ by Family

For the Parish

Monday - July 24

Tuesday - July 25

Lori Rieckman⁺ by Todd & Janette Shippy

Wednesday - July 26

Red & Helen Shoemaker⁺ by Melvin & Rosemary Connot

Thursday - July 27

Florence Fisher⁺ by Mike & Cindy Levi

Friday - July 28

Agnes Volmer⁺ by Priscilla Keogh

Saturday - July 29

Pat Waller⁺ by Dean & Amy Engel

Sunday - July 30

For the Parish

Marian Schroeder⁺ by Dave & Marie Schroeder

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.

Requiem Pacem

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

NEW PARISHIONERS!

Please fill out and turn in a registration form. Forms are in the church, at the parish office or on the website
www.catholictripp.org

Join us to
Pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet
Thursday, 10:00am
@ Immaculate Conception

'Saint Juliana's Prayer List'

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

Avery Eddie	Donna Sealey	Fr. Tony Grossenburg
Joel Keierleber	Pam Ekberg	Wendy Smith
Connie Vaughn	Janet DeMers	Leonard Gehlsen
Moni Stiehl	Jolene Corkle	Jonathan Perez
Eric Connot	Jane Moser	Don Mansheim
Kathy Jensen	Tessa Jatton	Carley Fisher

Prayers for our Family Members in the Military

Jacob Debus	Dylan Doering	Gene Fisher	Jeff Butler
Daysha DeMers	Spencer Hughes	Jacque Miller	

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 an immediate family member call to request publication of names. We will presume they have permission from the individual to do so.



Do you or someone you know, want to join the Catholic Church or learn more about the Catholic faith? Call the office at 605-840-3520.

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. Thank you!



Men's Group

Men of all ages are invited to join together each **Thursday** morning for breakfast and scripture study. It's a great way to grow 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.

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 and their mothers."
(From www.rapidcitydiocese.org/family-life-ministries-social-justice/social-justice-commission))

MINISTRY SCHEDULE
Immaculate Conception
& St. Isidore

SATURDAY, July 29th ~ 6:00pm

Sacristan: Maxine Fisher
Lector: Kelly Assman
EME: Mel Connot
Server: Nick Assman
Riley Peppel
Jim Fisher
Usher: Steve Meyer

SUNDAY, July 30th ~ 8:30am

Lector: Jody
Server: Rystan
Ushers: Lyle/Randy
Sacristan: Jody

SUNDAY, July 30th ~ 10:30am

Sacristan: Wendy Mortenson
Lector: Ron Ernest
EME: Chuck Novotny
Server: Piper Mortenson
Jackson Grossenburg
Charlie Grossenburg
Usher: VOLUNTEER

WEEKEND COLLECTION REPORTS

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

July 15 & 16, 2023: Envelopes: \$1,760.00, Loose: \$556.00
Total: \$2,316.00

ST. ISIDORE

July 16, 2023: Total: \$846.00

COLLECTION: July 23 ~ Leslie & Cole
July 30 ~ Ryan & Chase
Aug. 6 ~ Carol & Holly

Come and Pray The Rosary before Mass

Saturday, 5:30pm @ Immaculate Conception

Sunday, 8:00am @ St. Isidore

Honor our Blessed Mother.



ST. ISIDORE CHURCH CLEANING

July: Ruth Giedd, Chair,
Becky DeSmet, Kristi Hauf, Candy Cahoy



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!



This week we pray for these vocations:

Monday - Fr. Collins Igwilo, Fr. Francis Nsubuga and Fr. Leonard Ssenyonjo

Tuesday - Robert Kinyon & Max Vetch

Wednesday - Jesse Willis & Todd VanderMay

Thursday - Blane Schriock, Dillon Johnson and Josiah Hanson

Friday - Reid Murie, Blasé Gebes and Liam Pelayic

Saturday - Tommy Donovan and all seminarians

Sunday - For all deacons and military chaplains.

For all marriages.

THANK A PARISH COUNCIL MEMBER

Thank you to our three parish council members that are going off the council, John Kocer, Charlie Grossenburg and Rona Volmer. A big Welcome to Bria Peppel, Steve Higgins and Justin Zeigler who will go on the council.

ICC Parish Ministry Schedules

The new Ministry Schedules have been mailed/emailed. If you did not receive yours, please call the parish office.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus, Council #2708 would like to let you know what your donations to the Baby Bottle Initiative, RIGHT TO LIFE, campaign do.

They are used for the Diocesan Family Life Ministries, Right to Life Signage, Ultrasounds and assistance to new parents with their newborn babies.

RIGHT TO LIFE is for ALL from conception to natural death.

Thank you for your continued support!

Grand Knight Greg English and Knights of Council #2708.

Contact the parish office or any Knight if you would like to join us in making your parish and community a better place to serve our Lord.

"In that little Host is the solution to all the problems of the world."
~ POPE ST. JOHN PAUL II

Faith Formation

If you have a child that will be going into the First Grade, please contact the parish office with that information. The Director of Religious Education, Doug Engemann has contacted some of you and would like to connect with any families he has not visited with. Thank you!

FALL FESTIVAL COMMITTEE CHAIR PERSONS MEETING

Thursday, July 27th at 7:00pm at St. Joseph's Hall

Your attendance would be appreciated!

SPRINGFEST 2023

INCOME \$40,315.00

EXPENSE \$3,301.89

PROFIT \$37,013.11

A BIG THANK S TO EVERYONE!!
THIS EVENT WAS A SUCCESS!

NATIONAL

Eucharistic
Revival

Did You Know?

During the offertory, everyone present is encouraged to offer, not just the money they may have put into the collection basket, but their whole lives. At the conclusion of the preparation of the altar and the gifts, the priest will say, "pray that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father." We bring our lives, all our desires, needs, successes, failures, hurts, and loves and place them on the paten with the host. Fr. Jeremy Driscoll says, "Basically the action is our saying to Christ, 'Do something with this. Make our lives be what your life was and is.'" St. Paul reminds us, "I urge you, therefore, by the mercies of God to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God, your spiritual worship." (Rom. 12:1)





NATIONAL Eucharistic Revival

Year of Parish Revival (2023-2024): Jesus and the Eucharist Study

The *Jesus and the Eucharist* study has been created specifically for the Year of Parish Revival and is provided free of charge. This seven-session-study begins with the kerygmatic proclamation (Sessions 1-4) and builds to God's saving work in the Eucharist (Sessions 5-7).

Drawing from lesson content created by the Augustine Institute¹, the Revival team has expanded the study to include an opening message from a different (arch)bishop followed by *lectio divina* prayer with scripture. Lessons include testimonies from Catholics across the country, which then transition into small group discussions. Each session is two hours or less in duration with an emphasis on participant engagement.

Below is an overview of each session:

1. What's Our Story?

- The Bible is the story of God's love for us. It begins with him creating us out of love, redeeming us by love, and finally, transforming us in his love.

2. Who is Jesus?

- Jesus is both God and man, and therefore, reveals who God is in relation to us. Jesus asked Simon Peter, "Who do you say that I am?" (Matthew 16:15). He asks this same question of us: who do *you* say Jesus is?

3. Am I Saved?

- Salvation is a gift from God through Jesus Christ that requires our "yes".

4. Why a Church?

- Jesus didn't simply leave us a message or instruction manual to follow. He left us a living, dynamic Church where we can encounter him constantly and allow ourselves to be transformed into his likeness.

5. God is With Us

- God's presence in the Old Testament foreshadows the gifting of the Eucharist, one of the seven sacraments of the Church. Jesus establishes the Eucharist to give us strength for our journey, and to accompany us at every moment.

6. The Story of the Eucharist

- The story of the Eucharist is traced through Scripture - starting with Genesis and the Passover, through Jesus' miracles and teachings, the institution at the last supper, and the road to Emmaus. The cross is the new Tree of Life, and the Eucharist is its fruit.

7. Bread for the Journey

- The Eucharist sustains us on our spiritual journey. Our participation at Mass through the Liturgy of the Word and the Liturgy of the Eucharist is our offering of thanksgiving to God, sending us forth to share what we have received.

We are now in The Parish Year of the Eucharistic Revival. Formation is one of four key pillars of this movement.

Attached is an outline of a study that will begin in mid-September. Take a look at the outline. I think you would agree that we need to get this content out there!

The Jesus and the Eucharist Study will consist of a series of videos followed by discussion. Several of our parishioners have volunteered to present the material and facilitate discussion in their homes or here at the Church. If you are contacted by one of these folks, please consider joining the study.

Lastly, if you would be interested in leading a small group of friends/neighbors, please call the office (605-842-3520). We could still use a couple more folks to lead groups. The content is "plug and play". Simply download the material and discussion sheets and have your meeting with your group.

Please prayerfully consider joining us and participating in this historical movement within Mother Church. I will be providing updates with other Eucharistic Revival opportunities throughout this year.

Fr. Zane Pekron