OCIA-Learn about the Faith

"Come and join RCIA!" This was often the invite for all those who either wanted to become

Catholic or learn about the Catholic faith. While the name was recently changed to Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA), the idea behind remains the same. If you want to know more about the Catholic faith, this is the class for you.





We will be starting class in the later part of September for all who are interested. So, if you know someone who would like to join OCIA and learn about the Catholic faith, then please invite them to call into the office.

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: August 27, 2023 Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time



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

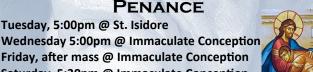
Godparents are to be confirmed in the Catholic Church, and they must be actively practicing their faith, living in full communion with the teaching of the Church.

PENANCE

Tuesday, 5:00pm @ St. Isidore

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, August 28, Saint Augustine

Tuesday, August 29, The Passion of Saint John the Baptist 4:30pm @ St. Isidore

Wednesday, August 30, Weekday 9:00am @ Golden Prairie

Thursday, August 31, Weekday

8:00am @ Immaculate Conception Friday, September 1, Weekday

7:15am @ Immaculate Conception

Saturday, September 2, Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time 6:00pm @ Immaculate Conception

Sunday, September 3, Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time 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.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH COUNCIL

-GRACE **UPON** GRACE

ADORATION

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



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



ST. ISIDORE PARISH COUNCIL

Jason Bartels, Chair

Deb Fisher Kristen Hausmann

Steve Higgins

Bria Peppel

Tim Pravecek

Jonah Sachtjen

Scott Schramm Justin Zeigler

Next Meeting

OCTOBER

Wednesday

Parish Office Address

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 Meeting on:

OCTOBER

Thursday

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

DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday - August 26

Agnes Volmer by Mike & Sandi Hausmann

Sunday - August 27

For the Parish

Imogene DeSmet⁺ by Ralph & Kathy Carson

Monday - August 28 **Tuesday - August 29**

Deceased Catholic Daughter by Colome Catholic Daughters

Wednesday - August 30 Pro Life for Unborn Children Thursday - August 31

Marcine Pravecek by Dave & Pat Pravecek Family

Friday - September 1

Deceased Knights of Columbus by Knights of Columbus

Saturday - September 2

Clair & Shirley Turgeon by Family

Sunday - September 3

For the Parish

Agnes Volmer by Rich & Tammy Laber



"In that little Host

is the solution

to all the problems

of the world."

POPE ST. JOHN PAUL II

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.

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

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.



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 Joel Keierleber Connie Vaughn Moni Stiehl Eric Connot Kathy Jensen DeEtte Elliott

Donna Sealev Pam Ekberg Janet DeMers Jolene Corkle Jane Moser Tessa Jaton

Fr. Tony Grossenburg Wendy Smith Leonard Gehlsen Jonathan Perez Don Mansheim Carley Fisher

Prayers for our Family Members in the Military

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.

Jacob Debus

Dylan Doering

Gene Fisher

Doug Sherman Lector:

EME: Server:

Usher:

Maree Pravecek Jackson Grossenburg

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 <u>Thursday</u> 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.

NEW MINISTRY SCHEDULE IN PROGRESS

Time to start the October and November Ministry Schedule. The schedule will run from October 7th through November 26th. This schedule will include, "The All Saints Mass" Wednesday, November 1st

For St. Isidore, give Cindy a call with the dates you are unavailable.

Lasts 1 hour.

For Immaculate Conception, email parishsec@gwtc.net or call or text Tammy with the available or unavailable dates

PRAYERFULLY CONSIDER DONATING TO THE NEWMAN CENTER!!!

THE NEWMAN CENTER IN SPEARFISH CAN MAKE A TRULY POSITIVE IMPACT UPON THE LIVES OF OUR COLLEGE STUDENTS. WHEN YOUR STUDENT IS AWAY FROM HOME AND GOING TO SCHOOL THE NEWMAN CENTER CAN BE THEIR HOME AWAY FROM HOME. SEVERAL IMMACULATE CONCEPTION STUDENTS HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE A PART OF THE NEWMAN CENTER, BLAKE VOLMER, MELANIE BROZIK, MALLORY THAYER AND JUSTIN HAUSMANN. PLEASE GRAB AN ENVELOPE AND DONATE TO THIS MINISTRY! ENVELOPES ARE IN THE PEWS AND AT THE ENTRANCE OF THE CHURCH.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE Immaculate Conception

& St. Isidore SATURDAY, September 2nd ~ 6:00pm

Sacristan: Tim Pravecek Ann English Cindy Bennett Lector: EME: Server: Matt Brozik **Carter Peppel**

Usher: Tim Pravecek Tom Sharkey ~ 8:30am

SUNDAY, September 3rd Lector: Ryan Server: Aiden Ushers: Kaden/Randy Sacristan: Kris

SUNDAY, September 3rd ~ 10:30am Sacristan: **Candice Sachtjen**

Amy Engel

Charlie Grossenburg VOLUNTEER

WEEKEND COLLECTION REPORTS

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

August 19 & 20, 2023: Envelopes: \$1,120.00, Loose: \$3,138.00 Total: \$4,258.00

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary: \$354.00

ST. ISIDORE

August 20, 2023: Total: \$1,500.00

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

August: Jody Burger, Chair, Renee Sherman, Cindy Sealey, Marilyn Haukaas

September: Sara Petersek, Chair, Rosemary King, Sara Krumpus, Deanna Kartak

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!

PANTRY SUNDAY ~~ September 2nd & 3rd

This week we pray for these vocations:

Monday - Reid Murie, Blasé Gebes and Liam Pelayic

Wednesday - For all deacons and military chaplains. For all marriages.

Eucharistic Revival

To speak of the Blessed Sacrament is to speak of what is most sacred. How

often, when we are in a state of distress, those to whom we look for help

leave us; or what is worse, add to our affliction by heaping fresh troubles

upon us. He is ever there, waiting to help us." ~Saint Euphrasia

Winner Catholic Daughters your \$30 dues are due. They can be left or mailed at the

Thursday - For all consecrated men and women. For all discerning a

Friday Our Holy Father, Pope Francis & Bishop Peter Muhich

Tuesday - Tommy Donovan and all seminarians

Saturday - Fr. Dan Juelfs, JCL and Fr. Arnold Kari

90th Birthday Open House for

"Lou Marsh"

Sunday, August 27th 2:00-4:00pm

Community Connections—West door

146 W. 2nd Street

Winner, SD

All are welcome to celebrate with Lou!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, LOU!

WINNER - Tuesday, September 5th - 5:30pm at St. Joseph's Hall

COLOME — Wed., Sept. 6th - 6:30 pm ~ Rosary in the church

Baby Shower for Kade Kartak son of Dani and Luke Kartak.

Meeting ~ 7:00 pm in the church basement.

church office or put in the collection at Mass marked CDA Dues.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS

Sunday - Fr. Michel Mulloy and Fr. Richard Novotny

call to priesthood and consecrated life.

The Food Pantry is in need of peanut butter, saltine crackers & kidney, chili or baked beans. All donations are greatly appreciated! Please be generous in your support of the needy in our community! Thank you!

ICC FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION

Registration in the church is on the weekend of: August 26th & 27th

Registration & code of conduct forms are at the church entrance. Fill them out at the church or take them home and return them in a provided stamped church addressed envelope, drop them at the office or in the collection.

The first Faith Formation class is September 6th. Safe Environment Training is September 13th.

ST. ISIDORE FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION Registration & code of conduct forms are at the back of the church. Please take the forms and fill them out and return them to Holly, ASAP!

Elementary classes are on Sundays following Mass & High School is on Wednesday nights. starts on Sunday, September 10th following Mass.

High School starts on Wednesday, September 13th. Safe Environment Training is on the first class dates.

VSI CLASSES

The VSI fall semester begins on Saturday, September 9th. This year they will be offering a remote learning site in Gregory. If you are interested in attending the institute at the Gregory location, please fill out the application form on the VSI website with haste. The office in Rapid City needs to have numbers, so that books can be ordered and materials prepared. If you have questions about the registration process, you can contact Janette Shippy @ 605-840-1538, Deacon GW Ekroth @ 605-830-1392, or Mary Ann Koenig 605-830-5827. They can

help you. We are hoping for a good showing from Tripp/Gregory County area.

NEWMAN CENTER

ENVELOPES ARE IN THE

CHURCH PEWS. PLEASE

DONATE SOMETHING

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> ~St. Euphrasia Feast Day, August 30

Learn more here: www.eucharisticrevial.org



Pilgrimage to the National Eucharistic

INDIANAPOLIS JULY 17 - 21, 2024

Congress

with Bishop Peter Muhich and the Diocese of Rapid City



Participate in this pivotal moment in the Church and draw into a deeper intimacy with our Lord. Join our diocese by registering today! Scan the QR code or click Book Now to attend this historic event.



BOOK NOW!







Eucharistic Congress

Adult Pricing*

\$599

Family Rate (3-4 People)

\$799

Double Occupancy

\$1,199

Single Occupancy

* Price per person for the first 75 to register









Travel Insurance

Cancel for any reason
("CFAR") travel protection
is highly recommended
See Travel Insured link:
www.travelinsured.com/
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The Diocese of Rapid City is pursuing a grant from the Western South Dakota Catholic Foundation to reduce the cost of the pilgrimage. If we receive this grant, it will be used to reduce your second and final payment amounts. Grants will be announced late in 2023.

A CATHOLIC EXPERIENCE UNLIKE ANY OTHER

We know what happens when two or more are gathered in the Lord's name, so what happens with 80,000?! Join your Catholic brothers and sisters at the 10th National Eucharistic Congress. This historic 5-day gathering of missionary disciples will be a new Pentecost, a powerful anointing and personal commission to invite others to know Christ.

Your life - and our Church - will never be the same.

Tour Inclusions

- NEC Congress Pass (5 Days)
- · Four (4) nights' accommodations in Indianapolis
- · Continental breakfast daily

Tour Does Not Include



- Airfare or motorcoach transportation
 Optional transportation offers will be extended at a later date
 Estimated Motorcoach Price: \$300 \$500
- Meals and beverages not specifically identified
- Items not specifically mentioned above

3 Step Registration Process

- Scan the QR Code on the cover of the flyer or click <u>HERE</u> to access our online registration site.
- 2. Follow the prompts to enter your personal information, select your rooming configuration, enter payment information, and acknowledge our terms and conditions.
- Upon completion, you will receive a confirmation email with your diocesan code and a video tutorial providing instructions for finalizing your registration on the official National Eucharistic Congress' website.



Payment Schedule:

\$250 per person deposit due upon registration \$500 per person due December 31, 2023 Remaining balance due April 17, 2024

All payments are non-refundable. By registering for this tour, you understand and agree to CTS Terms and Conditions and accept our CTS Liability Release. All cancellations must be received in writing.







Discovering hope and joy in the Catholic faith.

September 2023

Church of Immaculate Conception

Fr. Zane Pekron, Pastor

One Minute Meditations

St. Padre Pio

Born to farmers in 1887, in southern Italy, Francesco



Forgione joined the Capuchin Friars at the age of 15, taking the name "Pio." In 1918, St. Pio received the five wounds of Our Lord's Passion, called the stigmata, in his body. Renowned for his preaching, boliness, and charity.

holiness, and charity, thousands flocked to him for Confession and spiritual direction. Amidst his suffering, he continued to labor for the spiritual and physical well-being of others, founding a hospital that still operates today.

Perfect is possible

Jesus said, "... be perfect, just as your heavenly Father is perfect" (Matthew 5:48). Perfection to Jesus means loving God with all our hearts, praying for our enemies, and taking care of the poor. Love and service is the true measure of perfection.

"Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; love one another with brotherly affection; outdo one another in showing honor" Romans

12:9-10.



Seven virtues for successful Catholics

Practicing virtues – habitual and firm dispositions to do good – leads to long-lasting interior freedom, joy, and peace. The following seven virtues,

with God's grace, can help you do that:

Faith enables our belief in God and all that He has revealed through Scripture, Tradition, and the Church's teachings. Reciting the Creed, especially at Mass, is an act of faith.

Hope is the desire for
Heaven and trust in
God's promises to us.
Trusting in the Lord even in
trials and asking for forgiveness for sins
are acts of hope.

Charity enables us to love God above all things and our neighbors as ourselves. True love is when we wish – and act for – the authentic good of others.

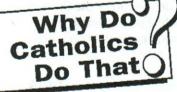
Prudence is the virtue that helps us to discern our true good in every circumstance and to choose the right means of achieving it.

Justice helps us respect others' rights and give to each his due. We owe God our worship.

We are made in
His image, so we
owe each other
respect.

Fortitude strengthens us to follow Christ in the world, even if it's unpopular and uncomfortable.

Temperance properly orders our desire for pleasure, so that we appreciate earthly goods in moderation and value heavenly goods most. Observing the one-hour fast from food before receiving the Eucharist is an act of temperance.



Why do Catholics attend Mass on holy days of obligation?

Throughout the year, the Church celebrates six feasts that honor a central mystery of our faith with extra enthusiasm.

These days are so important that all Catholics are required to attend Mass to celebrate. They are listed on the US Conference of

Catholic Bishops' website, http://www.usccb.org.

All Sundays are also holy days of obligation. We live the third commandment to honor the Sabbath by attending Mass every Sunday.

Celebrating these holy days is a reminder that we belong firstly to God.

Finding time for powerful prayer

If you struggle to find time to pray, try these three

Prioritize. Much unseen good depends on prayer, and it's as critical to our souls as breathing is to the body. Jesus corrected St. Martha because she lost sight of "the one thing...needful" (Luke 10:41-42). Reserve time for daily prayer. Treat it as an important appointment - because it is.

Set boundaries. Jesus dismissed the crowd in the evening and "went up into the hills to pray"

(Matthew 14:23). Give God your undivided attention in prayer for whatever time you can. Be fully present, minimizing distractions. Let the world wait while you spend time with the One who loves you most.

Activate your work. Few of us have the luxury of being able to spend all day in prayer but we can make a morning offering, giving our day to God's service. Entrust all the events, tasks, and concerns of the day to God's mercy and providence. This way, our work is made holy and can help bring souls to

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Matthew 20:1-16a, The generous landowner

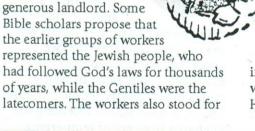
In this Gospel reading, Jesus told a. parable in which He compared God's kingdom to a vineyard in the charge of a generous landlord. In the parable, the landlord hires groups of workers at various times of the day. All agree with the landlord to work for a "fair wage."

The vineyard is God's kingdom and God is the generous landlord. Some Bible scholars propose that the earlier groups of workers of years, while the Gentiles were the those whom God calls at various stages of life: from infancy,

> adolescence, adulthood, and old age.

Then the landlord paid the laborers, beginning with the five o'clock workers. It must have shocked Jesus' listeners to hear that the landlord paid those who worked one hour as if they'd worked for twelve hours. Clearly, God's idea of a "fair"

wage is not the same as ours. What is important is not how many hours we've served God, but if we answered Him when He called us.





September 1 - St. Giles (710). Shrouded in mystery, St. Giles was a hermit who lived near the Rhône River in France. His fame as a miracle worker drew crowds and disciples to him. Eventually, St. Giles became abbot of a

September 8 - Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Mary's birth brought her parents joy, and we are joyful too because Mary brings salvation to all of us with the birth of Jesus.

September 14 - The Exaltation of the Holy Cross (c.326). St. Helena, mother

of Emperor Constantine, discovered what is believed to be the Cross of Christ while on pilgrimage in Jerusalem. Constantine built the Basilica of the Holy Sepulcher on the

September 28 - St. Wenceslaus (929). Raised by his devout grandmother, St. Ludmilla, "The Good King" St. Wenceslaus worked to end Christian persecution in Bohemia, encouraged German missionaries built churches, and cared for the sick and poor. He was martyred by a group of dissatisfied nobles, led by his brother, Boleslaus.

Q What's the proper way to & show reverence before A I receive Communion?

In days past, everyone approached the altar, knelt at the altar rail and received the host on our tongues. That was prescribed as a posture of reverence to show respect and adoration for the Body and Blood of our Lord.

The bishops in the United States have



decided that we may approach the altar and stand to receive Communion. When we approach, we are to bow as a gesture

of reverence before we receive the consecrated host from the priest, deacon, or extraordinary minister of Holy Communion.

Today we can receive the host either on the tongue or in the hand. To receive in the hand, we place one hand, palm up, on top of the other to form a "throne." We can also receive Holy Communion in the form of precious Blood. When Holy Communion is offered under both kinds we repeat the bow of our heads before receiving each

Genuflection is appropriate at other times. For example, we genuflect before the tabemacle containing the Blessed Sacrament.

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