

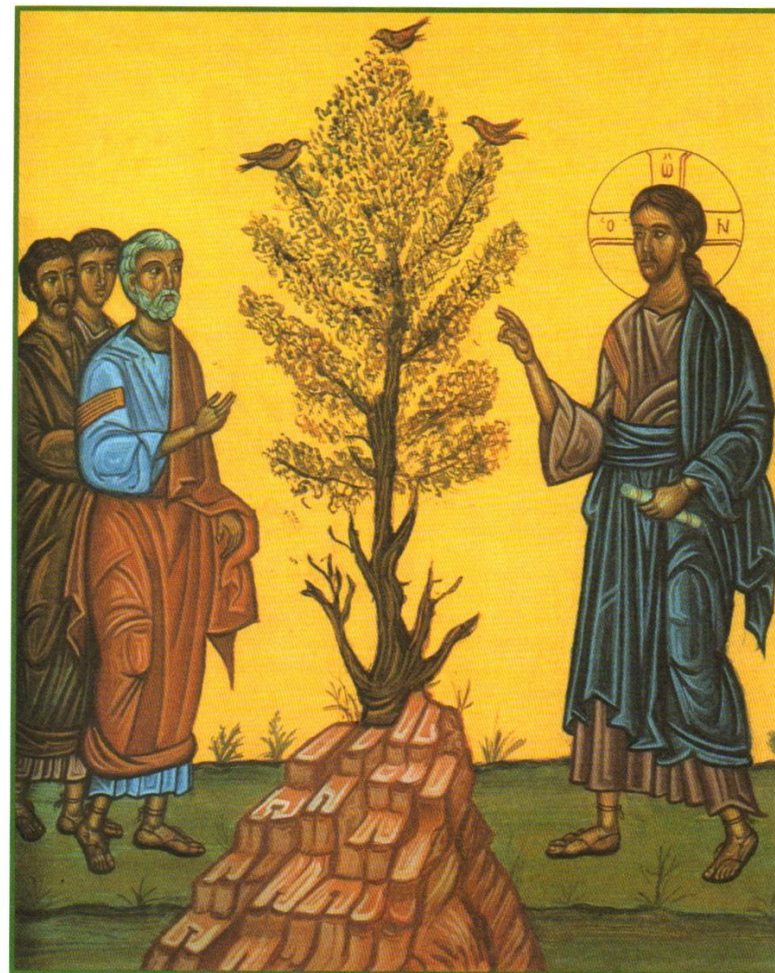
11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“TO WHAT SHALL WE COMPARE THE KINGDOM OF GOD, OR WHAT PARABLE CAN WE USE FOR IT? IT IS LIKE A MUSTARD SEED THAT, WHEN IT IS SOWN IN THE GROUND, IS THE SMALLEST OF ALL THE SEEDS ON THE EARTH. BUT ONCE IT IS SOWN, IT SPRINGS UP AND BECOMES THE LARGEST OF PLANTS AND PUTS FORTH LARGE BRANCHES, SO THAT THE BIRDS OF THE SKY CAN DWELL IN ITS SHADE.”

Jesus Christ, the Mustard Seed

St. Hilary understands it of Christ Himself. He says, “The Lord compares Himself to a grain of mustard seed, which is very sharp and the least of all seeds, and whose virtue and power are increased by bruising and pressure. After this grain had been sown in the field, when it was taken by the people and delivered to death, as though in a field by a sort of sowing, there was the burial of its body, it grew above the measure of all herbs, and exceeded the glory of all the prophets. For like a herb the preaching of the prophets was given to Israel as being sick: but now in the branches of the tree, raised from the ground on high, the birds of the air dwell: by these we understand the Apostles, lifted up by the power of Christ, and they overshadow the world with their branches. To them the Gentiles flew for the hope of life; and when they are vexed with whirlwinds, that is by the blasts of the devil, they rest as in the branches of a tree.”

In like manner St. Gregory (lib. 19 Moral. c. 11.) expounds this whole parable, “Christ Himself is the grain of mustard seed, who was planted in the sepulchre of the garden, and rose again a mighty tree. He was but a grain when He died; a tree when He rose again. A grain through lowliness of the flesh; a tree by the power of His majesty. A grain, because we saw Him, and there was no comeliness; but a tree because He was fairer than the children of men. The branches of this tree are sacred preachers. And let us see how widely they are spread. For what is spoken concerning them? Their sound is gone out into all the earth, and their words unto the end of the world. The birds rest in their branches, because holy souls who lift up themselves from earthly thoughts by the wings, as it were, of virtues are refreshed after the fatigue of this life by their words and their consolations.”



The Primitive Church symbolized by the mustard seed

Consider the commentary from the Navarre Bible: “Here, the man is Jesus Christ and the field, the world. The grain of mustard seed is the preaching of the Gospel and the Church, which from very small beginnings will spread throughout the world. The parable clearly refers to the universal scope and spread of the Kingdom of God: the Church, which embraces all mankind of every kind and condition, in every latitude and in all ages, is forever developing in spite of obstacles, thanks to God’s promise and aid.”

The parable of the mustard seed presents the Church with Christ’s own self understanding as well as his intention to establish his Church. The following commentary is provided by the writings of Fr. Cornelius a’ Lapide:

Immaculate Conception Church

325 S Van Buren Street PO Box 765 Winner, SD

Church of St. Isidore

301 Carr Street PO Box 405 Colome, SD



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

Monday, 5:00pm @ Immaculate Conception
Wednesday, 5-5:30pm @ Immaculate Conception
Thursday, after mass @ Immaculate Conception
Saturday, 5:30pm @ Immaculate Conception
Sunday, after mass @ St. Isidore



MATRIMONY

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



HOLY ORDERS

Fr. Kevin Achbach, Pastor
kachbach@diorc.org 605-848-2112

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Next Meeting

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Parish Office

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325 S. Van Buren St.
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Meeting on:

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THE HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS

Monday, June 14, Weekday
5:30pm @ Immaculate Conception
Tuesday, June 15, Weekday
4:30pm @ St. Isidore
Wednesday, June 16, Weekday
9:30am @ Nursing Home
Thursday, June 17, Weekday
7:15am @ Immaculate Conception
Friday, June 18, Weekday
12:00 pm @ Immaculate Conception
Saturday, June 19, The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time
6:00pm @ Immaculate Conception
Sunday, June 20, Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:00am @ Immaculate Conception
8:30am @ St. Isidore
10:30am @ Immaculate Conception



...GRACE
UPON
GRACE



ADORATION

Wednesday, 5-6 @ Immaculate Conception

ANOINTING


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



DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday - June 12
Barbara Mann⁺ by Rich & Tammy Laber
Sunday - June 13
Special Intention
Deceased Catholic Daughters by Colome Catholic Daughters
For the Parish
Monday - June 14
Kristie Storms⁺ by Jerome & James Ollerich
Tuesday - June 15
Diane Cahoy⁺ by Larry & family
Wednesday - June 16
Elaine Whalen⁺ by Mary Ann Koenig
Thursday - June 17
Martha Peters⁺ by DeEtte Stenson
Friday - June 18
For the repose of the soul of Jenni Munoz
Saturday - June 19
Pro Life For Unborn Children
Sunday - June 20
Special Intention
For the Parish
Bernard Quinn⁺ by Pat Quinn Hawkins

Each day the priest offers the sacrifice of the mass for one special intention. These intentions can be for anyone living or deceased. 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.



Pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet


Thursdays - 10:00am
at Immaculate Conception


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)

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.

'Saint Juliana's Prayer List'		
Avery Eddie	Norma Storms	Fr. Tony Grossenburg
Joel Keierleber	Gary Elder	Wendy Smith
Connie Vaughn	Janet DeMers	Bromley Heath
Moni Stiehl	Jolene Corkle	Jonathan Perez
Patricia Hawkins	Wayne Pauli	Ruthie Storms Joachim
Kathy Jensen	Eric Connot	Eric Connot
Prayers for our Family Members in the Military		
Jacob Debus	Dylan Doering	Christian Hamilton
Daysha DeMers	Jeff Butler	Jacque Miller
Spencer Hughes	Gene Fisher	


St. Juliana's (Patron Saint of sickness) is a list of the people we are currently praying for because of illness or in the military. The military list will remain until we are notified. Please call the office (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. Thank you for your understanding.

 Do you or someone you know, want to join the Catholic Church or learn more about the Catholic faith? Call Fr. Kevin with contact information (605-848-2112).



Men's Group

Men of all ages are invited to join together each Tuesday 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.



If you have an emergency for which you are in need of a Priest,
please call Fr. Kevin at 605-848-2112. If Father does not answer, leave your name, number and your request. Father will get back to you as soon as possible. Thank you!

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION & ST. ISIDORE

SATURDAY, June 19th ~ 6:00pm

Sacristan: Toni Donovan
Lector: Mary Elder
EME: Keith Moser
Server: Paige Sachtjen
Carter Peppel
Steve Meyer
Tom Sharkey

Usher:

SUNDAY, June 20th ~ 7:00am

Sacristan: Cindy Assman
Lector: Sandi Hausmann
Server: Justin Hausmann
Nick Assman
Greg Assman
Mike Hausmann

Usher:

SUNDAY, June 20th ~ 8:30am

Lector: Jody
Server: Kaden
Ushers: Chase/Ken
Sacristan: Kris

SUNDAY, June 20th ~ 10:30am

Sacristan: Carrie Kocer
Lector: Tovi Bartels
EME: Chuck Novotny
Server: Gus Bartels
William Jorgensen
Finn Bartels
John Kocer

Usher:


WEEKEND COLLECTION REPORTS

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
JUNE 5 & 6, 2021: Envelopes \$5,570.00, Loose \$291.00.
Total \$5,861.00
ST. ISIDORE
June 6, 2021: \$1,357.00
COLLECTION: June 13 ~ Ryan & Craig
June 20 ~ Carol K & Holly
June 27 ~ Leslie & Van

Welcome to the St. Isidore family!

Clara Rose Shippy
Baptized on June 6th
Daughter of Cole & Lacey Shippy





ST. ISIDORE CHURCH CLEANING
June: Renee Bolie, Chair, Nancy McKenzie
Janet DeMers, Lori Kalenda

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!

Human Trafficking
Indifference to Human Trafficking is not an option. Learn the devastating affects within our borders and throughout the world. US Catholic Sisters Against Human Trafficking (sistersagainstrafficking.org), 2039 N Geyer Road, St. Louis, MO 63131.

VOCATIONS NEWS

This week we pray for the following vocations:


Monday - Fr. Jim Hoerter & Fr. Tyler Dennis
Tuesday - Fr. Jonathan Dillon & Fr. Grant Gerlach
Wednesday - Fr. Adam Hofer & Fr. Mark Horn
Thursday - Fr. John Paul Trask & Fr. Zane Pekron
Friday - Msgr. Gerald McManus & Fr. Gregory Bartholomew, FSSP
Saturday - Fr. Ed Witt, SJ & Fr. Brad Held, SJ
Sunday - Fr. Ron Seminara, SJ & Fr. Joe Daoust, SJ

YOUTH INFORMATION



Totus Tuus 2021 Summer Camp
Online Registration is now open!
Girl's Leadership Camp: June 21 - 25 (girls going into grades 10th - just graduated seniors)
Girl's Camp: June 22 - 25 (girls going into grades 7th – 9th in the fall)
Boy's Leadership Camp: July 12 - 16 (boys going into grades 10th - just graduated seniors)
Boy's Camp: July 13 -16 (boys going into grades 7th – 9th in the fall)

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, 842-3520, or email parishsec@gwtc.net. We are here to assist you.



May God bless you on your First Holy Communion

Ryker DeSmet - St. Isidore

Thank You!

Your generous donations to the Food Pantry are GREATLY Appreciated!

DIOCESE NEWS

Rejoice with us!

With praise to God, the Almighty Father, the Diocese of Rapid City joyfully announces the Ordination of



Josh Lee
to the ministry of Transitional Diaconate
by His Excellency the Most Reverend Peter M. Muhich
June 29, 2021, 11 a.m.
Cathedral of Our Lady of Perpetual Help
(520 Cathedral Dr., Rapid City)

Can't attend in person?
Watch online at www.rapidcitydiocese.org or at facebook.com/DioceseofRapidCity
A public reception follows Mass.

Report Child Abuse
Knowledgeable and caring adults who are committed to protecting children can also protect our Church. Learn how to report child abuse. To report child abuse or neglect, please call **1-877-244-0864**. Intake Specialists will be available from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. If reporting an emergency situation before 8 a.m., after 5 p.m., on the weekends, or during a holiday, please contact your local law enforcement or call 911.