# "Through Hospitality, we share our Catholic Faith with All as Disciples of Christ."

## CHURCH OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION WEBSITE: www.catholictripp.org

842-3520 PO BOX 765 325 S. Van Buren St. Winner, SD 57580 **PASTOR: Fr. Kevin Achbach** KAchbach@diorc.org cell 605-848-2112

#### MASS & RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE

MASS - Saturday at 6:00 pm, Sunday at 10:30 am RECONCILIATION - Saturday at 5:00 pm

Office Hours: Mon. thru Fri., 9:00 am - 4:00 pm Office email: parishsec@gwtc.net

### **IMMACULATE CONCEPTION**

August 27<sup>th</sup>

Sacristan: Joanie Kartak Lector: Mary Elder

Joyce Heath, Tom and Irene Giessinger EME: Kelsey Sachtjen, Rebecca & Erick Marso Servers:

Tom Sharkey, John Voegeli **Ushers**:

Francis Bolander, Lance Engel

August 28th

Sacristan: Geraldine DeMers Lector: **Chloe Bartels** 

Luanne Hammerbeck, Andy Tegethoff, Chuck Novotny EME:

**Gus Bartels, Charley & Oscar Pravecek** Servers:

**Ushers**: Jason Bartels, Finn Bartels

Ron DeMers, Jay Mayes

#### **ICC COLLECTION REPORT**

Aug. 13, 14 & 15, 2016: Envelopes \$2,272.40, Loose \$295.08, The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary \$184.00. Total \$2,751.48.

# **IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH COUNCIL**

Wednesday, August 24<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30 pm at St. Joseph's Hall



### **NEW PARISHIONERS!**

Registration forms are on the website www.catholictripp.org, in the church or stop at the parish office.

# POLICY FOR THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Call at least six months prior to the wedding for arrangements. Diocesan guidelines do not permit us to set a definite date for the marriage until the pre-nuptial questionnaire has been completed and arrangements have been made for participation in the marriage program.



The impact on men, when they have lost a child to abortion, can equal the pain and anguish suffered by women who abort. Come find healing and hope on a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat™ to let the healing begin.

Contact the national office for more information, at 877-467-3463 or <a href="www.rachelsvineyard.org">www.rachelsvineyard.org</a>. or Contact Carol Kling for information about local retreats at 605-374-5639 or ckling@sdplains.com

The next retreat in the Bismarck area is Nov. 4-6.

## Hospitality is Stewardship

#### DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday - Aug. 20 - 6:00 pm \*\*Winner\*\*

Floyd Heilman by Clarence Heilman

**Sunday** - Aug. 21 - 9:00 am \*\*Colome\*\*

For the Parish

**Sunday** - Aug. 21 - 10:30 am \*\*Winner\*\*

Deceased Knights of Columbus by Knights of Columbus

Monday - Aug. 22 - 7:15 am \*\*Winner\*\* Mavis O'Bryan<sup>+</sup> by Winner Catholic Daughters

Tuesday - Aug. 23 - 4:00 pm \*\*Colome\*\*

Lucy Krumpus<sup>+</sup> by Janette Shippy

Wednesday - Aug. 24 - 9:15 am \*\*Elder Inn\*\*

Bunny Borland<sup>+</sup> by O.B. & Suzanne Steffen Wednesday - Aug. 24 - 9:30 am \*\*Nursing Home\*\*

Communion Service

Thursday - Aug. 25 - 9:00 am \*\*Golden Prairie Manor\*\*

Joe Assman<sup>+</sup> by John & Deb Fisher

Friday - Aug. 26 - 7:15 am \*\*Winner\*\*

For World Peace

Saturday - Aug. 27 - 6:00 pm \*\*Winner\*\*

Floyd Heilman by Clarence Heilman

**Sunday** - Aug. 28 - 9:00 am \*\*Colome\*\*

Chuck Schwartz<sup>+</sup> by his Family

**Sunday** - Aug. 28 - 10:30 am \*\*Winner\*\*

For the Parish

# IMMACULATE CONCEPTION LITURGY MEETING

Wednesday, August 24th @ 6:00 pm at The Church of Immaculate Conception

# Bishop's Book

Most homes have received a copy of the book, "Through Him, With Him and In Him," the recently published pastoral letter of Bishop Robert Gruss. A copy was mailed to each registered household. If you did not receive a copy or would like an additional copy for your family, please contact your parish office to reserve one today.

# 'Saint Juliana's Prayer List'

Jeannine VanderPol Wendy Smith Vicki Moser Marty Hagen Mike Schwinler Marianne Thompson Alex Turgeon Reid Malnati Ken Marso Michael Fallabella Mike Diez Clair Turgeon Brittney Hansen Tammie Pettit Jolene Hagen Shirley Turgeon Rita Stafford Mary Catherine Glantz Dawn Knoepfle Kelly Hair Luanne Hammerbeck Darnytia Kucera Jackie McKenzie Kenneth McKenzie Kirk Mansheim Frances Schmidt Kevin Kidwiler Joanne Achbach

# Prayers for our Family Members in the Military

Jacob Debus Shane (Sam) Moyer Gene Fisher Daysha DeMers Jeff Butler Jacque Mille Kris Schwartz Spencer Hughes

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. To stay current, names on the illness list will remain for four weeks. 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



# ST. ISIDORE CHURCH

301 Carr St. Colome, SD 57528

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION - Sunday at 8:00 am MASS SCHEDULE - Sunday at 9:00 am

#### ST. ISIDORE

# August 28th

Gifts: Mr. & Mrs. Larry Cahoy

Lector: Clarice

EME: Glenn/Lynn/Jody Music: Alexa/Abby/Cindy Servers: Linkyn/Libbie/Preslie

Ushers: Greg/RJ Sacristan: Jody



August 14, 2016: Total \$1,009.00.

COLLECTION: August 21<sup>st</sup> ~ Craig & Matt

 $\stackrel{-}{August}~28^{th}~\sim$ Larry & Rosemary September 4<sup>th</sup> ~ Van & Tom



# St. Isidore August Church Cleaning

Ministry Schedule

Rosemary King(Chr.), VOLUNTEER Richard & Mary Donovan, VOLUNTEER

# **CHECK IT OUT!**

"West River Catholic" August 2016 Reconcile—Make Disciples—Live the Mission p. 13-15

Fr. Brian Christensen on Lectio Divina, p.6 Piedmont Parish centennial, p. 24.

This month might be vacation time for some but traffickers are busier than ever, buying and selling men, women, and children for financial gain. About 700,000, primarily women and children, are trafficked annually within or across international borders. Call 888-3737-888. if you suspect a person being trafficked and don't forget to view sistersagainsttrafficking.org, the web site of U.S. Catholic Sisters Against Human Trafficking.

# Sunday, August 21st **Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time**

"The 20th century has been called the Century of Martyrs. Some historians estimate that more people died for their faith in the 20th century than the previous nineteen centuries combined. The 20th century saw a massive amount of bloodshed from people who died because of their faith. One of the most dramatic examples of these martyrs is Saint Maximilian Kolbe, a Polish Franciscan priest who offered his life in the Auschwitz death camp in exchange for the life of another man, a husband and father." www.usccb.org

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

FAITH FORMATION ~ dreic@qwtc.net Youth of Immaculate Conception & St. Isidore

# WEDNESDAY YOUTH FAITH FORMATION

**Wednesday Night Faith Formation Classes resume** Wednesday, September 7th All Youth - Begindergarten to 12th grade. **COME JOIN US!** More information in next weeks bulletin.



# A Safe Environment for Children and Young People

The Catholic Diocese of Rapid City is firmly committed to creating and maintaining the safest possible environment for our children and young people. To report allegations of sexual abuse by church personnel, contact the Victim Assistance Coordinator, Barbara Scherr. To insure her independence in outreach to victims, she can be contacted at 605-209-3418 (cell). The phone has caller ID and messaging features. All information will be treated confidentially. Alleged victims are advised of their right to report alleged abuse to civil authorities. The diocesan sexual misconduct policy and the code of conduct are posted on the diocesan website at: http://www.rapidcitydiocese.org/WP/safe-environment-home

# If you have an emergency for which you are in need of a Priest,

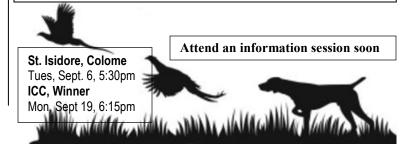
please call the parish office at 842-3520 and dial extension 13. If Father does not answer, leave your name, number and your request. Fr. will get back to you as soon as possible. Thank you!



If you know someone who is in need of a prayer shawl, please call the parish office. The shawl is given to any who are in need of extra prayers.

**Save the Date!** The Annual Stewardship Summit will be held on October 29-30, 2016 at Terra Sancta Retreat Center. The Keynote speaker is Jim Beckman of the Augustinian Institute.

Christ is hunting for you! The poet, Francis Thompson, masterfully depicts God as the "Hound of Heaven" in his relentless pursuit of human souls. The season is open! Let Jesus capture you in the beautiful faith of his Catholic Church. Do you know someone who would like to know about the Catholic faith? Or join the Catholic Church?



# Ordinary Time

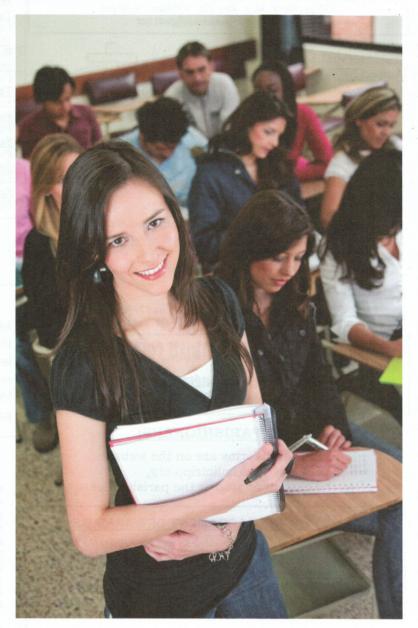
August 21, 2016 + Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)
Is 66:18-21 + Heb 12:5-7, 11-13 + Lk 13:22-30

Several years ago, a mother dropped her son off at the university's Catholic Center with the words, "Don't forget where you come from." I remember thinking how profound those words were. They spoke not only of a place but also of an experience of family. She was reminding him of his roots.

In the first years of college, students can easily lose their way. They experiment with different behaviors and identities. They strive to figure out how to manage their responsibilities. Their religious practice may lapse or change. With a strong foundation, however, most will settle down to the business of becoming Catholic and Christian adults, which happens in small and large steps.

The people in today's parable had changed so much that the master didn't even recognize them: "I do not know where you are from." Maybe they had forgotten themselves or had rejected the promises that the master (who is God) had given them. In any case, Jesus gives them a glimpse of what's behind the narrow gate of salvation—as well as the alternative—and urges them to "strive to enter" it. Our baptism is a personal invitation to this narrow gate. The path of discipleship requires God's grace and a desire to serve. If our lives don't reflect this call, we run the risk of forgetting who we are, where we are from, and what we are promised. Reflect today on your identity as a child of God and hear God say to your heart, "Don't forget where you come from."

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#### A Word From Pope Francis

"When we say 'home' we mean a place of hospitality, a dwelling, a pleasant human environment where one stays readily, finds oneself, feels inserted into a territory, in a community."

— Address at the Homeless Shelter 'Dono di Maria'

 Address at the Homeless Shelter 'Dono di Maria' with the Missionaries of Charity, May 21, 2013



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# Monday

AUGUST 22 Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary 2 Thes 1:1–5, 11–12 Mt 23:13–22

# **Tuesday**

AUGUST 23 Weekday 2 Thes 2:1–3a, 14–17 Mt 23:23–26

# Wednesday

AUGUST 24 St. Bartholomew, Apostle Rv 21:9b–14 Jn 1:45–51

# **Thursday**

AUGUST 25 Weekday 1 Cor 1:1–9 Mt 24:42–51

#### Friday

AUGUST 26 Weekday 1 Cor 1:17–25 Mt 25:1–13

# Saturday

AUGUST 27 St. Monica 1 Cor 1:26–31 Mt 25:14–30

# Sunday

AUGUST 28
Twenty-second Sunday
in Ordinary Time
Sir 3:17–18, 20, 28–29
Heb 12:18–19, 22–24a
Lk 14:1, 7–14

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# August 21, 2016 Can and an analysis of the control of the control

# Why did Jesus make his points with parables?



Why did Jesus always speak in parables? Why didn't he give us more clear-cut answers?

Parables are short, relatable stories. Their simple images or comparisons convey a moral or religious lesson and put us in touch with the mystery of God and ourselves. Thus, parables confront the hearer or reader with a radical choice to enter God's kingdom: "One must enter the kingdom, that is, become a disciple of Christ, in order to 'know the secrets of the kingdom of heaven.' For those who stay 'outside,' everything remains enigmatic" (CCC 546).

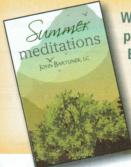
About a third of Jesus' recorded teachings are in parable form. After the Pharisees rejected Jesus (Matthew 12:14), he immediately changed his straightforward preaching to parables. This fulfilled what was spoken by the



prophet: "I will open my mouth in parables, I will announce what has lain hidden from the foundation [of the world]" (Matthew 13:35; see Psalm 78:2).

For example, the three parables of mercy in Luke 15—the lost sheep, lost coin, and lost son—reveal as much about God as they do about us. As John Shea writes in *Stories of God*: "God not only loves to hear our stories, God loves to tell stories. And, quite simply, we are the story God tells." In the telling, we ourselves are told. The timeless, universal stories of Jesus speak to us at different stages of life and provide multiple levels of meaning to the openhearted.

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We are wounded, multiple times, as we make our way through this earthly pilgrimage. Tragedies arrive uninvited. Loved ones abandon or betray us. Expectations arise only to be shattered. And yet God's grace can always find a way into those wounds, giving us a season of new growth, reshaping us in unforeseen and beautiful ways.

— From Summer Meditations by John Bartunek, LC, SThD (825620) To learn more, visit Liguori.org or call 800-325-9521.