

The Attitude and Faith of Humble Servants

What's the difference between a believer and an atheist? What separates one who is indifferent to religion from a fervently religious person? Faith! To believe is no small thing and a tremendous gift. "Father, you are lucky you have faith!" an atheist friend once said to me.

"I have tried often, but I just can't bring myself to believe."

We are indeed lucky, because having faith in Jesus opens us to heaven, to life after death, to finding hope and sense in suffering. Faith allows us to trust something bigger than ourselves and to be at peace even when all around us is crazy. Faith and acceptance is the difference between deep, interior harmony and a radical frustration.

We have received everything from God, which is why Jesus invites us to have the attitude of humble servants. He uses an example that's clear to his listeners: a servant works hard all day, comes home, and prepares and serves dinner. In so doing, he is merely performing his job. Jesus isn't endorsing the insensitive nature of the master but offering a model in the humble service of the domestic helper

who faithfully fulfills his position. Since he receives everything from the master, he can only be grateful for the chance to work. Such is our position before God. We have no place being proud or demanding before God since all we have is from him: life, family, health, our talents.

—Fr. Mark Haydu, LC



Piece: *The Water of Life Discourse*, 1600s-1700s
Artist: Angelika Kauffmann
Source: Wikipedia

For Reflection

Am I humble enough to recognize my position before God, as his beloved child, but also his servant?

How can I live with greater faith in him and charity toward those who offer me their service?

[Jesus said,] "Is [the master] grateful to that servant because he did what was commanded? So should it be with you."

Luke 17:9-10

Calendar

Monday

OCTOBER 7

Our Lady of the Rosary

Jon 1:1–2:1–2, 11

Lk 10:25–37

Tuesday

OCTOBER 8

Weekday

Jon 3:1–10

Lk 10:38–42

Wednesday

OCTOBER 9

Weekday

Jon 4:1–11

Lk 11:1–4

Thursday

OCTOBER 10

Weekday

Mal 3:13–20b

Lk 11:5–13

Friday

OCTOBER 11

Weekday

Jl 1:13–15; 2:1–2

Lk 11:15–26

Saturday

OCTOBER 12

Weekday

Jl 4:12–21

Lk 11:27–28

Sunday

OCTOBER 13

*Twenty-eighth Sunday
in Ordinary Time*

2 Kgs 5:14–17

2 Tm 2:8–13

Lk 17:11–19

Dear Padre,

My parish has become so multicultural, I hardly recognize it anymore!

This is happening across the United States. Immigrant populations are joining parishes, bringing their culture and values with them.

Years ago, Catholics strongly identified with a particular culture: Irish, Polish, Italian, for example. They built churches and sometimes found their own priests. They supported their own schools, teaching and praying in their own language. These ethnic parishes gave security to people in a new land.

However, people died, went to war, or left the neighborhood, changing the parish population. But the parish didn't die. Newcomers arrived, people who didn't share the same background or language. Catholic means "universal." It can never be identified exclusively with one particular parish church. A parish isn't a country club with an unspoken charter written by those who have been there the longest. One may have loyalty to a parish, but this should be rooted in love of the gospel.

When people experience change, they seek security. In parishes, however, security can lead to possessiveness. But the parish, as it exists, isn't meant to threaten newcomers with its norms and customs. A word of encouragement from you, a long-standing parishioner, can help overcome these tensions. You're encouraged to welcome these people and let them know that we all practice a faith that's Catholic—in the fullest sense of the word.

—The Redemptorists

Sundaybulletin@Liguori.org



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A Word from Pope Francis

Perhaps you will be challenged by [our immigrants'] diversity. But know that they also possess resources meant to be shared. So do not be afraid to welcome them. Offer them the warmth of the love of Christ....I am certain that, as so often in the past, these people will enrich America and its Church.

—Meeting with United States bishops, September 23, 2015

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

CHURCH OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

WEBSITE: www.catholictripp.org

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kachbach@dioc.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 MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, October 12th

Sacristan: KC's

Lector: KC's

EME: KC's

Servers: KC's

Ushers: KC's

Sunday, October 13th

Sacristan: Vicki Covey

Lector: Tovi Bartels

EME: Dean & Amy Engel, Chuck Novotny

Servers: Gus Bartels, Aiden & Lillian Barfuss

Ushers: Jason & Finn Bartels, Phil Demers, Mitch DeMers

ICC COLLECTION REPORT

Sept. 28 & 29, 2019: Envelopes \$4,859.00, Loose \$228.25. Total \$5,087.25.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS: Seminarian Education \$1.00.

Thank you so very much for sharing your gifts and blessings!

Divine Mercy Chaplet

Thursday, October 10th @ 10:00am at ICC

WINE & CHEESE NIGHT

Join Fr. Kevin at his home after Mass

Sat., October 12th ~ 7-9:00pm

All are welcome to attend!



COME JOIN US AT THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION 2019 FALL FESTIVAL

Sunday, October 6th



Serving Upstairs - 5:00 to 7:00 pm

Carry Out - 5:00 to 7:00 pm

Delivery 5:00 to 6:30 pm

Please call 842-2317 for delivery and carry out.

(Adult rate only for carryout & delivery.)

Delivery within the city limits only.)

The price is the same as last year.

Children 8 years old and under - \$ 5.00

Adult - \$10.00

On Sunday, let's start Fall with a Turkey dinner & fellowship. We would like you to join us. The country store will have items for you to check out. The 500 Club tickets will be drawn. The meal will be delicious!!!

DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday - Oct. 5 - 6:00 pm **Winner**

Abby English⁺ by Greg & Ann English Family

Sunday - Oct. 6 - 8:30 am **Colome**

For the Parish

Sunday - Oct. 6 - 10:30 am **Winner**

For all Catholic Daughters: past, present & future

by Winner Catholic Daughters

Monday - Oct. 7 - 5:30 pm **Winner**

For the unity of the Church

Tuesday - Oct. 8 - 4:30 pm **Colome**

Leona Pechota⁺ by Glenn & Cindy Sealey

Wednesday - Oct. 9 - 9:15 am **Elder Inn**

Communion Service

Wednesday - Oct. 9 - 9:30 am **Nursing Home**

Mary Novotny⁺ by Greg & Ann English Family

Thursday - Oct. 10 - 9:00 am **Golden Prairie Manor**

Helen DeLeeuw⁺ by Dean & Nancy Storms

Friday - Oct. 11 - 7:15 am **Winner**

Members of the Western SD Heritage Society

by Western SD Catholic Foundation

Saturday - Oct. 12 - 6:00 pm **Winner**

For all Knights of Columbus: past, present & future

by Knights of Columbus

Sunday - Oct. 13 - 8:30 am **Colome**

For all Catholic Daughters: past, present & future

by Colome Catholic Daughters

Sunday - Oct. 13 - 10:30 am **Winner**

For the Parish



Holy Hour

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Confession

Wednesday, October 9th at 5:00pm @ ICC

Rosary for Vocations at 5:30pm

All are Welcome!

Mass of Christian Burial

Martin Jorgensen, Jr.

Tuesday, October 15th at 10:00 am

Immaculate Conception Church

Tammy will be starting on a new ministry schedule..

The schedule will include Christmas Masses.

'Saint Juliana's Prayer List'

Brittney Hansen

Jonathan Perez

Jane Moser

Reid Malnati

Russ Phillips

Wendy Smith

Connie Vaughn

Gary Elder

Bromley Heath

Shirley Turgeon

Janet DeMers

Jackie McKenzie

Ruthie Storms Joachim

Prayers for our Family Members in the Military

Gene Fisher

Jacob Debus

Dylan Doering

Daysha DeMers

Jeff Butler

Jacque Miller

Spencer Hughes

Kris Schwartz

Christian Hamilton

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.

**A prayer shawl is given to any who are in
need of extra prayers.**

To obtain a prayer shawl, please call the parish office 842-3520.

ST. ISIDORE CHURCH

301 Carr St. Colome, SD 57528
842-3520

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION - Sunday at 8:00 am
MASS SCHEDULE - Sunday at 8:30 am

St. Isidore - Ministry Schedule

Sunday, October 13th

Gifts: Mr. & Mrs. Monte Krizan
Lector: Cole
EME: Todd/Janette/Sara
Music: Kathy/Janette
Servers: Preslie/Rystan/Carleen
Ushers: Ken/Chase
Sacristan: Kristi

Church Cleaning

October

Janette Shippy, Chair
Lacey Shippy
Pam Haukaas
Marilyn Haukaas

ST. ISIDORE COLLECTION REPORT

September 29, 2019: \$630.00

COLLECTION: October 6, 2019 ~ Holly & Jody
October 13, 2019 ~ Greg & Van
October 20, 2019 ~ Ryan & Craig



Holy Hour

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Tuesday, October 8th at 5:00 pm at Isidore
5:30 pm Rosary for Vocations

Winner & Colome Knights of Columbus

Tues., October 15th - 7:00 pm @ St. Mary's Hall



JOIN US FOR BREAKFAST AT ST. ISIDORE

Oct. 20th - Colome CDA Free Will Potluck Breakfast.
Directly after the 8:30 am Mass.
All are Welcome.



Cindy is working on a new ministry schedule. This will include Christmas Mass. Please give her a call with the dates you are unavailable.

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

please call the parish office at 842-3520 & dial ext.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!

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 ensure 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 web-site at:

<http://www.rapidcitydiocese.org/WP/safe-environment-home>



family faith night

St. Isidore Families

Wednesday, October 9th - 6:30-7:45 pm
St. Isidore's basement



2019 MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH RALLY
BROKEN & BLESSED
ENCOUNTERING CHRIST IN THE EUCHARIST
October 13, 2019 | 8:30am-4pm | \$55 | Terra Sancta Retreat Center

Join us for a day long youth rally as we celebrate the Year of the Eucharist with dynamic Catholic speakers, lively music, fellowship with youth from around the Diocese, and celebrating the Eucharist together with Eucharistic Adoration and Sunday Mass! Cost includes registration, lunch, and a t-shirt.

For questions and more information contact the Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry: Jacques Daniel
jdaniel@diorc.org | 605-716-5214 ext. 228

THAT MAN IS YOU

Thursday, October 10th ~ 6:30 - 7:30am @ ICC Rectory

RCIA

Thursdays @6:00 pm at St. Joseph's Hall

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.

"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)