

Parish Cleaning Assignments

St. Augustine:

February Church Cleaning:

Chair: Jeanne Bieber, Richard & Susan Mitzel, Karen Karst, Ryan & Amber Drake

Holy Trinity:

February Church Cleaning: Helen Heier, Judy Weishaar, Gary Weishaar

NOTE: The Holy Trinity men on for the monthly cleaning are also to be ushering and taking up the collection during your assigned month.

Thank you to all those who work so hard to keep the churches clean. It is very much appreciated!

Word of Life Intercessions for Life Feb 21 ~ Second Sunday of Lent

For people with disabilities:

May they be treated with the loving care and respect due to each person;

We pray to the Lord: Lord hear our prayer.

"Our son Charlie was born with Down syndrome in 2007.Labels could not describe how [his] smile lit up a room, or how the sweetness of his soul had captured our hearts so completely."

— "A Perfect Gift"

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

GRIEVING THE LOSS OF A LOVED ONE Weekend Non-Denominational Retreat for adults who have lost a loved one and are trying to understand and reconcile their grief. Starts **Friday, March 18, 2016** at 7:00 p.m. and concludes Sunday, **March 20, 2016** at 12:00 p.m. at Broom Tree Retreat Center, Irene, SD. Directed by Dr. Marcie Moran and guests. Call 988-3775 or 1-800-700-7867 or email cfs@sfcatholic.org for more information or to register. Registrations limited.

Beginning February 10th and running **through March 20th** there will be prayer vigils held outside the Planned Parenthood facility at 6511 W. 41st St. in Sioux Falls. This will be a peaceful time of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion and increased respect for human life from the time of conception. For more information on how you can sign up to pray please visit the website at <https://40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/sioux-falls/calendar/> or volunteer by calling Cathy Crisp at 605 261-5649.

YOUR CAR IS RUNNING BECAUSE YOU CHANGED THE OIL. Why not afford the same loving care to your marriage? All couples need a marriage tune-up once in awhile, and a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend can give you the tools you need to grow more deeply in intimacy and love for each other. Register today for the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend at Joy Ranch Retreat Center north of Watertown, SD **April 8-10, 2016.** Visit www.sdwwme.org or 605-362-0924.

Weekly Readings

Sun Feb 21: Second Sunday of Lent

Gn 15:5-12,17-18 Phil 3:17-4:1 Lk 9:28b-36

Mon Feb 22: The Chair of Saint Peter the Apostle

1 Pt 5:1-4 Mt 16:13-19

Tues Feb 23: St Polycarp

Is 1:10,16-20

Wed Feb 24: Lenten Weekday

Jer 18:18-20 Mt 20:17-28

Thurs Feb 25: Lenten Weekday

Jer 17:5-10 Lk 16:19-31

Fri Feb 26: Lenten Weekday

Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a Mt 21:31-43; 45-46

Sat Feb 27: Lenten Weekday

Mi 7:14-15, 18-20 Lk 15:1-3,11-32

Fr Kevin Doyle will have Weekend Masses for Hosmer and Onaka during these dates:

8:30 am Sun Feb 21 Hosmer

7 pm Sat Feb 27 Onaka

8:30 am Sun Mar 6 Hosmer

7 pm Sat Mar 12 Onaka

8 am Sun Mar 20 Onaka

8:00 am Sun Mar 27 Hosmer

8:30 am Sun Apr 3 Hosmer

7 pm Sat Apr 9 Onaka

8:30 am Sun Apr 17 Hosmer

7 pm Sat Apr 23 Onaka

8:30 am Sun May 1 Hosmer

7 pm Sat May 7 Onaka

8:30 am Sun May 15 Hosmer

7 pm Sat May 21 Onaka

8:30 am Sun May 29 Hosmer

Mass Times at a Glance

Saturdays:

5:00 pm Hoven

5:30 pm Eureka (Jan-Mar 2016)

5:30 pm Roscoe

6:00 pm Faulkton

7:00 pm Onaka* (2&4 Sat only)

Sundays:

8:30 am Herreid (Jan-Mar 2016)

8:30 am Ipswich

8:30 am Hosmer*(1,3,5 Sun only)

9:00 am Faulkton

9:00 am Onida

10:30 am Bowdle

10:30 am Selby (Jan-Mar 2016)

11:00 am Gettysburg

11:00 am Leola

Ministry Lists for Feb 21

Bowdle— Lec— Sandy S

Serv— Joseph, Brittney

Comm— Mary Zimmer

Gift— James & Lisa Geier

Rosary— Norbert T

Hosmer-Lec— Roy G

Rosary— Roy G

Ministry Lists for Feb 28


Bowdle— Lec— Norbert T

Serv— Samantha, Mackenzie

Comm— Sandra F

Gift— Rocky & Helen Gisi

Rosary— Doug T

 Mobile Food Pantry
Time: 11:00am—1:00pm
Location: 4-H Building, Ipswich
Date: Tues Mar 8 & Tues Apr 19

Second Sunday of Lent February 21, 2016

Saturdays 5:00pm St Anthony's Hoven * Saturdays 7:00pm St John's Onaka (Even Weekends)
Sundays 8:30 am Holy Trinity Hosmer (Odd Weekends) * Sundays 10:30 am St Augustine's Bowdle

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Baptism: Pre-Baptism Class for parents required before all Baptisms. Please call Rectory for appointment.

Holy Matrimony: Couples planning marriage must contact their Priest at least 6 months before the wedding date. A year in advance is not too early.

Anointing of the Sick: Before a hospital stay, surgical procedure, or any serious illness, please call the rectory to arrange the blessing of the Sacrament.

Fr. Kevin's Reflection

On Ash Wednesday we heard the Word of the Lord from the Prophet Joel: "Return to me with your whole heart ... rend your hearts not your garments." We need to return to God with our whole heart because our hearts are divided, and all of us have experienced the struggle between the desire to do what is right and the desire to do what we want. That interior division and struggle between the man I am and the man I should be is at the heart of all Christian conversion and discipleship, and there is zero possibility of being a disciple of Jesus Christ without a life-changing commitment to continuing conversion from sin and selfishness. But to be open to such ongoing conversion requires that we accept the truth of the Gospel and surrender to that truth in the obedience of faith, and that is why the Lord Jesus insists that being authentic disciples demands our acceptance of his saving doctrine. "If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples, and you will know the truth, and the truth will make you free." (John 8:31-32)

Our conversion from sin begins at Baptism, but it must continue all the days of our lives. In this Year of Mercy, we can come to better appreciate that four of the seven sacraments confer the forgiveness of sins, and they are: Baptism, the Holy Eucharist, the Anointing of the Sick, and Penance ... Confession. After Baptism, the only ordinary way in which grave sins are forgiven is by receiving the Sacrament of Penance, by going to Confession. Catholics are bound (remember the power of binding and loosing, given by the Lord Jesus to his Apostles?) to go to Confession at least once each year as part of their Easter duty, and any Catholic who has not been to Confession in at least a year is no longer in full communion with Christ and His Church. Please use these 40 Days of preparation for Easter to go to Confession I invite those who have been away from the Sacrament of Penance to heed the Word of God: "Return to me with your whole heart."

(An essential preparation for making a good Confession is an examination of conscience. If you search the Internet for "Catholic Examination of Conscience," you'll find several entries, including one for the USCCB (United States Conference of Catholic Bishops), and that will help you prepare "to rend your hearts, not your garments.")

Weekly Collections February 14, 2016					
Weekly Offerings	Adult	Loose	Food Pantry	CFSA	Total
Bowdle	\$ 560	\$ 57	\$ 74.80	(See below)	\$ 691.80

Generous giving produces rejoicing in one's soul

80 PILLOW AND 80 BATH TOWELS

That's what the New Beginnings Center in Aberdeen is in need of. Catholic Daughters of the America's, Court Katharine Drexel #2516, Bowdle, Hosmer and Roscoe, will spearhead a campaign to collect the needed pillows and towels as a Lenten Branch project.

The New Beginnings Center is a group care facility licensed to serve boys and girls ages 10 to 17 who have emotional, behavioral and educational challenges. It is served by Lutheran Social Services to provide youth emergency shelter, assessments, respite care, transitional care, short-term care for, support and strengthen individuals, families and communities.

CDA is asking that donations of new pillows and bath towels, of any color, be brought to the churches of Bowdle, St Augustine; Hosmer, Holy Trinity; or Roscoe, St Thomas from now until **Easter Sunday, March 27th**.



Catholic Parishes of Bowdle and Hosmer, Birthright of Pierre would like to *Thank You* for your generous donation of baby clothes that you collected during Advent Baby Shower. The day we unpacked, we had 3 moms & babies who came to receive assistance. The pieces in your boxes were perfect sizes for their needs. We thank you, moms & babies are warmed and comforted by your kindness. May the Lord richly bless you all.

Congratulations goes out to Chase Kucker, who received 5th place out of over 200 contestants in the Pro-Life Essay Contest! He was awarded \$50.00.

BEGINNING THE PROCESS

“All Scripture is inspired of God and is useful for teaching— for reproof, correction, and training in holiness so that the man of God may be fully competent and equipped for every good work.” — 2 Timothy 3:16-17

First of all, to begin to mature we must be fully evangelized. This means we are in Christ, in His Church, and in the Spirit. To be in Christ and yet not in His Church is like being in the head without being in the body (Eph 1:22-23). To be in the Spirit and not in the Church makes no sense because the Spirit is given through the Church and for the Church (1Cor 12:7; 14:4). To be in Christ and not in the Spirit is only having part of God's will. How could we meet Jesus, the Baptizer in the Spirit, and not receive the Spirit? (Mk 1:8) If we're not in Christ, we don't have co-workers and a place to work when equipped. If not in the Spirit, we don't have the power to be equipped.

When we are fully evangelized, then we must let ourselves be equipped. We decide to deny ourselves and take up the daily cross (Lk 9:23). We decide to do not what we want but to obey God's word, which is the primary means of equipping us.

EQUIPPING THE PARISH

To apply this teaching to your parish:

Find out if you are a builder or an equipper. As you pray and look at the circumstances of your life, the Spirit will guide you (Jn 16:13).

Share this teaching and encourage others to do the same.

Seek out someone who will help equip you. If you believe you are in one of the equipping ministries, begin working with other sot assist their growth. Even if your community is not developed in the equipping ministries, do what you can(see Mk 14:8).

Pray for many Christians to grow in the use of their spiritual gifts and to minister in the full power of the Spirit.

Excerpt from **Nothing is Impossible with God**

Stations of the Cross


Schedule:

Wednesdays Stations
7:00pm ~ **Hosmer**


Fridays Stations
5:00 pm~ **Bowdle**

Fridays Stations 7:00 PM~
Hoven and Onaka

Note: When Fr Kevin leads Stations he will be available for confessions at that parish afterwards.



Confirmation Students the deadline is fast approaching for you to return the following completed four forms: **Baptism Info, Confirmation Patron Saint, Confirmation Sponsor, Confirmation Sponsor Eligibility** please give to Fr Kevin Doyle by February 24, 2016 or sooner.




Cleo Schneider	Rose Schmaltz
Tate Kaiser	Francis Heilman, Sr
Nursing Home Residents	Jaci Fuhrmann
Mary Lou Mohr	Lenny Uhrich
Ray Schmaltz	Dennis Bieber
LaVerne Gross	Florence Engelhart

Confessions will be available

Saturdays
Noon – 1:30pm Bowdle
3:00pm - 4:00pm Hoven
6:30 pm-6:55pm Onaka only w/scheduled Masses

Sundays
8:00am-8:25am Hosmer only w/ scheduled Masses
10:00am-10:25am Bowdle not when Hosmer has Mass

OR any time upon request

CCD SCHEDULE

BOWDLE
Feb 24 Mar 2, 9, 16, (No CCD Mar 23)

Grades K-6:
3:30 to 5:00 pm

Grades 7-8:
7:00-8:30 pm

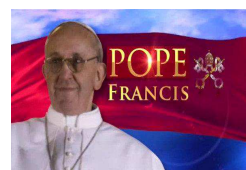
GRADES 9-12
7:00-8:30 pm @ Bowdle

ready.set.go!	CFSA	2016	
	Pledged	Pledges paid to date	2016 Goal
Bowdle/Hosmer	\$ 9,070	\$ 5,720	\$ 14,500

Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for February

Universal: Care for Creation. That we may take good care of creation-a gift freely given-cultivating and protecting it for future generations.

For Evangelization: Asia. That opportunities may increase for dialogue and encounter between the Christian faith and the peoples of Asia.



Mass Intentions			
Sat., Feb 20	5:00pm	Hoven Onaka	People of the Parish NO Mass Onaka
Sun., Feb 21	8:30am	Hosmer	† Frances Grabowska
	10:30am	Bowdle	James & Florence Engelhart
Mon., Feb 22	5:15pm	Hoven	Mass/Rosary
Tues., Feb 23	4:30 pm	Onaka	Mass/Rosary
Wed., Feb 24	5:15pm	Hoven	Mass/ Rosary
Thurs., Feb 25	9:00am	Hosmer	† Russell Ulmer
Fri., Feb 26	9:00 am	Bowdle	† Fred & † Catherine Thommen
Sat., Feb 27	9:00 am	Bowdle	† Fr Owen Klapperich(Weekday Mass)
	5:00pm	Hoven	
Sun., Feb 28	10:30am	Hosmer	NO Mass Hosmer
		Bowdle	People of our Parishes

SCRIPTURE SEARCH.

Gospel for February 21, 2016
Luke 9:28b-36

Following is a word search based on the Gospel reading for the Second Sunday of Lent, Cycle C: Peter, James, John and Jesus on the mountaintop. The words can be found in all directions in the puzzle.

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