

## Parish Cleaning Assignments

### St. Augustine:

#### March Church Cleaning:

Chair: Mary Fischer; Josh & Makayla Mittel, Theresa Beitelspacher, Margy Bobby

### Holy Trinity:

**March Church Cleaning:** Bernice Mohr, Gerard Heier, Sandie Jung

**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 28 ~ Third Sunday of Lent

*For young people:  
May they discover the freedom and peace that comes from following Jesus's call to purity;*

We pray to the Lord: Lord hear our prayer.

"Chastity also includes much more than just waiting until marriage to have... It means loving the way we're created to love—respecting our sexuality and living it out as we're meant to." —"10 Surprising Tips For Love The Culture Won't Tell You" 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](mailto: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.

## Weekly Readings

### Sun Feb 28: Third Sunday of Lent

Ex 3:1-8a; 13-15; 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12; Lk 13:1-9

### Mon Feb 29: Lenten Weekday

2 Kgs 5:1-15ab Lk 4:24-30

### Tues Mar 1: Lenten Weekday

Dn 3:25,34-43 Mt 18:21-35

### Wed Mar 2: Lenten Weekday

Dt 4:1,5-9 Mt 5:17-19

### Thurs Mar 3: St Katharine Drexel

Jer 7:23-28 Lk 11:14-23

### Fri Mar 4: Saint Casimir

Hos 14:2-10 Mk 12:28-34

### Sat Mar 5: Lenten Weekday

Hos 6:1-6 Lk 18:9-14

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

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 28

**Bowdle— Lec—** Norbert T  
**Serv—** Samantha, Mackenzie  
**Comm—** Sandra F  
**Gift—** Rocky & Helen Gisi  
**Rosary—** Doug T

## Ministry Lists for Mar 6

**Hosmer-Lec—** Roger M  
**Rosary—** Sandy M  
**Bowdle— Lec—** Mary T  
**Serv—** Robin, Tanner  
**Comm—** Teresa G  
**Gift—** Wally & Mary Grismer  
**Rosary—** Norbert Thomas

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

## Third Sunday of Lent February 28, 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

Before my priestly ordination, I traveled back by car from the East Coast. Driving through Pennsylvania, I met "the Amish" for the first time. The Amish, was a community formed in the 17th century by a schism within the Mennonite movement in Switzerland. They are best known for their radical separation from the world: they will not use modern technology, they dress differently from their neighbors, they cease formal schooling after the 8th grade, they refuse to serve in the armed forces, they will not participate in Social Security or purchase medical insurance, and so forth.

These behaviors are regarded as odd by most people, and with good reason: Such a way of life is not required by the Gospel, and in many ways it is contrary to the Gospel. And that is why Catholics cannot live like the Amish.

We do not dress differently than our neighbors. We do not fear technology or the benefits of modern science. We do not separate ourselves in politics, commerce, education, military service, or civic responsibility from those who do not share our faith. And we do not do these things because to do so would make it impossible for us to fulfill the Great Commission: "Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you; and behold, I am with you always, to the close of the age." (Matthew 28. 18-20) We are called to be salt and light in the world, not to hide behind a barricade for fear that we will be polluted.

The impulse to flee from "the world" is, of course, also a part of Christianity, if by "the world" we mean that part of the created order (starting inside of us) which is in rebellion against God. For this reason, religious life has been with us since Christian antiquity, and all Christians need a deep formation for genuine holiness of life. But that is not the same as the Amish refusal to live in the world, something that Catholics cannot accept as compatible with Christian discipleship. The *Letter to Diognetus* (written in the 2nd century) explains it: "Christians are indistinguishable from other men either by nationality, language or customs. They do not inhabit separate cities of their own, or speak a strange dialect, or follow some outlandish way of life ... With regard to dress, food and manner of life in general, they follow the customs of whatever city they happen to be living in, whether it is Greek or foreign. And yet there is something extraordinary about their lives. They live in their own countries as though they were only passing through. They play their full role as citizens, but labor under all the disabilities of aliens. Any country can be their homeland, but for them their homeland, wherever it may be, is a foreign country. Like others, they marry and have children, but they do not expose them. They share their meals, but not their wives. They live in the flesh, but they are not governed by the desires of the flesh. They pass their days upon earth, but they are citizens of heaven ... To speak in general terms, we may say that the Christian is to the world what the soul is to the body."

Are we living as the "soul of the world"?

Upcoming Special Mass Times: **March 19-20th Palm Sunday** Hoven 5pm Sat, Onaka 8am, Bowdle 10:30am; **Wed Mar 23rd Living Stations** Hoven 7pm; **Thurs Mar 24 Holy Thursday** Hoven 7pm; **Fri Mar 25 Good Friday** Hosmer Noon Stations, Bowdle 3pm Communion Service w/Divine Mercy Chaplet; Hoven 7pm Stations; **Sat Mar 26th Easter Vigil** Hoven 7:30pm; **Sun Mar 27 Easter Sunday** Hosmer 8am, Bowdle 10:30 am, Hoven 12:30pm; **Sun Apr 3 First Holy Communion** Bowdle 10:30 am; **Sat Apr 16 Confirmation** Hoven 5pm



### Weekly Collections February 21, 2016

	Adult	Loose	Easter Flowers	Mass Stipends	Rice Bowl	CFSA	Total
Hosmer	\$ 390	\$ 72		\$150		\$ 760	\$ 1,372
Bowdle	\$ 1,193	\$ 54.16	\$ 20		\$ 29.27	\$ 1,480	\$ 2,776.43

Generous giving produces rejoicing in one's soul

### 80 PILLOWS 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**.



### 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.



Cleo Schneider  
Tate Kaiser  
Nursing Home Residents  
Mary Lou Mohr  
Ray Schmaltz

LaVerne Gross  
Rose Schmaltz  
Francis Heilman, Sr  
Jaci Fuhrmann

### Confessions will be available

#### Saturdays

Noon - 1:30pm Bowdle

3:30pm - 4:30pm 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

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

Confirmation Students the following requested completed forms for **Baptism Info, Confirmation Patron Saint, Confirmation Sponsor,**

**Confirmation Sponsor Eligibility please give to Fr Kevin Doyle asap.** If the **Community Service Hours** are completed, bring that form in also. The final interview with Fr prior to Confirmation will need to be scheduled and finished by March 19th or sooner.



Lenten Confession Schedule	Mar 19th Bowdle Noon-1:30pm
Mar 17th Hosmer 9:30-10:30am	Mar 20th Bowdle 10am
Mar 17th Bowdle 7pm (no RCIA)	Mar 23 Bowdle Noon
Mar 18th Bowdle Noon; 5:00pm Stations followed by Confessions	

Altar Server training **Sun Mar 13th** following the 10:30am Mass at St Augustine's. Those who are in the 3rd grade and older are invited to attend the training. Also any current servers who have any questions may attend if they wish.

**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.sdwme.org](http://www.sdwme.org) or 605-362-0924.

### Happy Anniversary

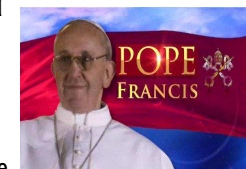
Are you celebrating a milestone wedding anniversary this year? If you are Bishop Swain would like to celebrate it with you. There will be a Mass in Aberdeen or Sioux Falls this summer honoring those married in the following years: 1991, 1966, 1956, 1951, and before 1951. This Mass is for parishioners of the Diocese of Sioux Falls. You do not both have to be Catholic to be recognized for this Mass. Please let Melissa know 285-6466 or drop a note in the collection basket by April 10th if you are interested in attending this special Anniversary Mass. Personal invitations will be sent by the Bishop with the date, time and location.



### Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for MARCH

**Universal: Families in Difficulty.** That families in need may receive the necessary support and that children may grow up in healthy and peaceful environments.

**For Evangelization: Persecuted Christians.** That those Christians who, on account of their faith, are discriminated against or are being persecuted, may remain strong and faithful to the Gospel, thanks to the incessant prayer of the Church.



Mass Intentions			
<b>Sat., Feb 27</b>	<b>5:00pm 7:00pm</b>	<b>Hoven Onaka</b>	
<b>Sun., Feb 28</b>		<b>Hosmer Bowdle</b>	<b>No Mass Hosmer People of our Parishes</b>
<b>Mon., Feb 29</b>	<b>5:15pm</b>	<b>Hoven</b>	<b>Mass/Rosary</b>
<b>Tues., March 1</b>	<b>4:30 pm</b>	<b>Onaka</b>	<b>Mass/Rosary</b>
<b>Wed., March 2</b>	<b>5:15pm</b>	<b>Hoven</b>	<b>Mass/ Rosary</b>
<b>Thurs., March 3</b>	<b>9:00am</b>	<b>Hosmer</b>	<b>† Clara Krumm</b>
<b>Fri., March 4</b>	<b>10:00 am 7:00 pm</b>	<b>BNH Hoven</b>	<b>† Leo Grismer Mass/Rosary</b>
<b>Sat., March 5</b>	<b>9:00 am 5:00pm</b>	<b>Bowdle Hoven Onaka</b>	<b>†Mary Hoerner (Weekday Mass) No Mass Onaka</b>
<b>Sun., March 6</b>	<b>8:30am 10:30am</b>	<b>Hosmer Bowdle</b>	<b>People of our Parishes † Leo Grismer (1 yr Ann.)</b>

## SCRIPTURE SEARCH.

Gospel for February 28, 2016

Luke 13:1-9

Following is a word search based on the Gospel reading for the Third Sunday of Lent, Cycle C: a lesson about being prepared and ready. The words can be found in all directions in the puzzle.

SOME	WHOSE BLOOD	MINGLED
SACRIFICES	THINK	SUFFERED
PERISH	EIGHTEEN	KILLED
TOWER	SILOAM	FELL ON
FIG TREE	FRUIT	NONE
GARDENER	THREE	YEARS
CUT IT DOWN	SOIL	IF NOT

### CHANCES

Y E A R S U F F E R E D  
A N A N E E T H G I E D  
L K W T T O N F I L H C  
R J H H S O M E G J O U  
E D R I O O D N J F X T  
N E D N H S I R E P I I  
E L L K G M E L T U I T  
D L A H A D L B R J O D  
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A K L J N O N E E O R W  
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S A C R I F I C E S G D