

**Parish Cleaning Assignments**

**St. Augustine:**

March Church Cleaning:  
Chair: Margy Bobby; Mary Fischer, Josh & Makayla Mitzel, Theresa Beitelspacher

**Holy Trinity:**

March Church Cleaning: David & Tilly Heier, Gerard Heier

**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!*

**Weekly Readings**

**Sun Feb 26: Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Is 49: 14-15 1 Cor 4:1-5, Mt 6:24-34

**Mon Feb 27: Weekday**

Sir 17:20-24 Mk 10:17-27

**Tues Feb 28: Weekday**

Sir 35:1-12 Mk 10:28-31

**Wed Mar 1: Ash Wednesday**

Jl 2:12-18 2 Cor 5:20-6:2

**Thurs Mar 2: Thursday after Ash Wednesday**

Dt 30:15-20 Lk 9:22-25

**Fri Mar 3: St Katharine Drexel, Virgin**

Is 58:1-9a Mt 9:14-15

**Sat Mar 4: Saint Casimir**

Is 58:9b-14 Lk 5:27-32

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

- 7 pm Sat Feb 25 Onaka
- 8:30 am Sun Mar 5 Hosmer
- 7 pm Sat Mar 11 Onaka
- 8:30 am Sun Mar 19 Hosmer
- 7 pm Sat Mar 25 Onaka
- 8:30 am Sun Apr 2 Hosmer
- 7 pm Sat Apr 8 Onaka
- 8:30 am Sun Apr 16 Hosmer
- 7 pm Sat Apr 22 Onaka
- 8:30 am Sun Apr 30 Hosmer
- 8:30 am Sun May 7 Hosmer
- 7 pm Sat May 13 Onaka
- 8:30 am Sun May 21 Hosmer

**Mass Times at a Glance**

**Saturdays:**

- 5:00 pm Hoven
- 5:30 pm Selby (Jan-Mar 2017)
- 5:30 pm Roscoe
- 6:00 pm Faulkton
- 7:00 pm Onaka\* (2&4 Sat only)

**Sundays:**

- 8:30 am Eureka (Jan-Mar 2017)
- 8:30 am Hosmer\*(1,3,5 Sun only)
- 9:00 am Faulkton
- 9:00 am Ipswich
- 9:00 am Onida
- 10:30 am Bowdle
- 10:30 am Herreid (Jan-Mar 2017)
- 11:00 am Gettysburg
- 11:00 am Leola

Retrouvaille: Help for Troubles & Strained Marriages The next Retrouvaille weekend is **March 31-April 2017**. this is a confidential weekend that offers hope & help for couples to heal and renew their marriage relationship. Please contact 605-988-3755 to register. For general info visit: [www.retrouvaille.org](http://www.retrouvaille.org)

*"America, your very future as a nation depends on your willingness to protect the Right to Life of the most of the most defenseless in your society." Pope John Paul II*

**Ministry Lists for Mar 5**

**Hosmer-Lec-** Margaret W  
**Rosary-** Teri H

**Bowdle- Lec-** Carrie B  
**Serv-** Samantha, Hudson  
**Comm-** Doug T  
**Gift-** Jimmy & Regina Jackson  
**Rosary-** Norbert T

**Word of Life Intercessions for Life**  
Feb 26 ~ 8th Sunday in Ordinary Time

*For those who suffer:  
May they be surrounded by loving family and friends who walk with them in their suffering.*

We pray to the Lord: Lord hear our prayer.

**New Program-The Catholic's DIVORCE SURVIVAL Guide-** begins Monday March 6, 2017 at Immaculate Conception Church 309 Second Ave SE, Watertown, SD 57201. Sessions are held on Monday evenings, 6:30-8:30pm. Cost of \$45 per person includes a "Personal Survival Guide", refreshments and all materials for 6 weeks. For more information contact Margi at 605-988-3775. To register, contact Immaculate Conception at (605) 886-4049 or Catholic Family Services at 605-988-3775. Scholarships are available.

Catholic Family Services is offering a *One Day Retreat* for **Grieving a Loss from Suicide** on Saturday, **March 25, 2017 from 9:00am-12:00pm** at **Immaculate Conception Parish, Watertown, SD**. Directed by Dr. Marcie Moran. This retreat is adults who have lost a loved one to suicide. This program is open to the public and offered free of charge. To register, call the parish office at 605-886-4049 or Catholic Family Services at 800-700-7867.

**FEEDING SOUTH DAKOTA** Mobile Food Pantry  
11:00am—1:00pm  
4-H Building, Ipswich  
Date: **Thurs Apr 13**

**Ministry Lists for Feb 26**

**Bowdle- Lec-** Mary T  
**Serv-** Matthew, Tanner  
**Comm-** Norbert T  
**Gift-** Norbert & Rosie Hoerner  
**Rosary-** Doug T

**Ministry Lists for Mar 1**

**Bowdle- Lec-** Norbert T  
**Serv-** Mackenzie, Robby  
**Comm-** Mary T  
**Gift-** Chad & Susan Holsworth  
**Rosary-** Norbert T

**Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**February 26, 2017**

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

**Ash Wednesday Services**  
**March 1, 2017**

- 5:00 pm Mass St Augustine, Bowdle
- 7:00 pm Mass St Anthony, Hoven
- Surrounding area times:
- 8:00 am Service Only Roscoe (30 min)
- 5:30 pm Mass Ipswich
- 7:30 pm Mass Leola

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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*

TRUST GOD!

This weekend we celebrate the Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time. The readings this weekend focus on trusting in God. In the First Reading, the Prophet Isaiah speaks of comfort to the Jewish people who were in exile in Babylon. In the Second Reading, Paul tells the Corinthian community to not make any judgment before the appointed time. In the Gospel of Matthew, Jesus reminds us that we cannot serve two masters. He tells us not to worry about tomorrow, to live today in the present and be appreciative with all that we have. Jesus calls us to discipleship to get our priorities in order. What are things in life that distract us from having a relationship with the Lord? Jesus reminds us that we are God's precious children. We must put his future in the hands of God and pray only for the modest needs of today. As we prepare to start the season of Lent, let us Let Go, and Let God!

As Lent of 2017 is becoming a reality in our lives (Ash Wednesday, March 1st) ... I would like to take this opportunity to ask you to consider spending one hour each week during Lent to visit Our Lord in the church. Trusting in the Sacred Heart of Jesus ... many conversions, healings, and prayers-answered have been granted to those who invest their time with our Lord Jesus.

If you are in need of a positive change in your life and heart, then go to the Sacred Heart of Jesus beating for us under the veil of the Bread from Heaven! Come and Adore Him!



**DWU SPRING TOUR**



featuring  
The Highlanders  
and Wesleyan Bells  
**MARCH 3, 2017**  
**7 P.M.**  
Saint Anthony of Padua  
Catholic Church  
546 Main St.  
Hoven, S.D.

**DWU DAKOTA WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY**  
RON AND SHEILAH GATES DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC  
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**Note: Elizabeth Anderson, of Bowdle, is part of this DWU Spring Tour.**



### Weekly Collections February 19, 2017

	Adult	Loose	Mass Stipends	Cemetery	Energy	Total
Hosmer	\$ 775	\$ 24	\$ 30			\$ 829
Bowdle	\$ 695	\$ 34	\$ 10	\$ 25	\$ 20	\$ 784

Generous giving produces rejoicing in one's soul

St Augustine Altar Society Dues for 2017 are \$20.00. Dues are used to restock the kitchen at St Augustine. Thank you so much for your kindness.



St Augustine and Holy Trinity could use a few more Weekday Mass Intentions. The Mass Intentions would be for Thursday's, Friday's & Saturday's. The Mass Stipends will remain at \$10. Sorry about the mix up. Any questions please contact Melissa at the rectory office 285-6466 Tues, Wed, and Fri's. Again sorry about this confusion.

The Diocese awards 7- \$1,000.00 Bishop Hoch Scholarships, to enable students to attend Mount Marty College in Yankton or Presentation College in Aberdeen. The scholarships are available to new students, students already in college and non-traditional students. Applications are available at the parish and are due March 15, 2017.

"Whether it lasts for a brief moment or for a hundred years, each of our lives is a good and perfect gift. At every stage and in every circumstance, we are held in existence by God's love....Every life is worth living."

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities  
Respect Life Program Flyer

#### Pro-Life Answers to False Pro-Choice Arguments (Part 4)

"You cannot legislate morality or force your religious views on others!"

To say that laws cannot make an immoral person moral is correct. To say that we do not legislate morality is nonsense. Virtually every law is based on an idea of what is right or wrong.

Laws are not passed to control thought, but to control behavior. For example, we impose our morality on rapists. We do not care so much why rapists rape, or what their moral and religious views are, or the reason why rapists disrespect women. Rape is evil and when people want to do evil, it is clearly correct for the government to impose its morality on them. Similarly, pro-lifers do not care so much what people think about babies, as long as they do not kill them.

Indeed, if laws should not be based on morality, what on earth should they be based on? The reality is that laws are based on our collective moral values and is they way society decides which activities it will and will not tolerate.

If we are going to reject a law simply because it is supported by religion, then we would have to abolish most laws. A person does not have to be especially religious to say that it is wrong to abort a child, any more than they would say it is wrong to steal money. Certain activities are unacceptable to civilized people regardless of religious beliefs.

Abortion is one of those issues. In reality, abortion is a civil rights and a human rights issue.

Let us not forget that the black civil rights movement was dominated by pastors and was often headquartered in churches. That did not make civil rights a religious issue!

Pro-Life Articles Author



Cleo Schneider	Jeanne Bieber
Tate Kaiser	Beth Hawley
Nursing Home Residents	Jack Mills
Jaci Fuhrmann	Sheila Robeck
Lenny Uhrich	Willa Preszler
Dennis Bieber	Doug Holland

#### 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

OR any time upon request

Adult Formation Classes **Thursday evenings @ 7:00pm** at St. Augustine. If you would like to become Catholic or just want to grow deeper in your faith knowledge.

#### CCD SCHEDULE

**BOWDLE**  
(NO CCD Mar 1 attend Ash Wed Service) Next class is Mar 8

Grades K-6:  
3:30 to 5:00 pm  
Grades 7-8:  
7:00- 8:30 pm  
Grades 9-12:  
7:00- 8:30pm



#### CFSA 2017

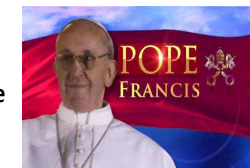
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Bowdle/Hosmer \$ 225 \$ 12,500

#### Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for March

Evangelization: Help persecuted Christians

That persecuted Christians may be supported by the prayers and material help of the whole Church.



### Mass Intentions

Sat., Feb 25	5:00pm 7:00pm	Hoven Onaka	People of our Parishes
Sun., Feb 26	10:30am	Hosmer Bowdle	Anton & Mary Geier †
Mon., Feb 27	5:15pm	Hoven	Mass/Rosary
Tues., Feb 28	4:30 pm	Onaka	Mass
Wed., Mar 1	5:00pm 7:00 pm	Bowdle Hoven	† Raymond Schmaltz Ash Wednesday Service
Thurs., Mar 2	9:00am	Hosmer	† Roger & Sandra Malsam Family
Fri., Mar 3	10:00 am 7:30 am	BNH Hoven	Residents & Staff of BNH Mass/Rosary
Sat., Mar 4	9:00 am 5:00pm	Bowdle Hoven Onaka	† Kristi Vaupel (Weekday Mass)
Sun., Mar 5	8:30am 10:30am	Hosmer Bowdle	People of our Parishes † Riley Grismer

## SCRIPTURE SEARCH®

Gospel for February 26, 2017  
Matthew 6:24-34

Following is a word search based on the Gospel reading for the Eighth Sunday of Ordinary Time, Cycle A: to focus on God first and not worldly things. Words can be found in all directions in the puzzle.

NO ONE OTHER DRINK CLOTHING HEAVENLY GRASS LITTLE	CAN SERVE WORRY YOUR BODY BIRDS FATHER FIELD KINGDOM	TWO MASTERS WILL EAT FOOD REAP SOLOMON OVEN TOMORROW
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#### GOD'S CARE

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