

## Parish Cleaning Assignments

### St. Augustine:

#### July Church Cleaning:

Chair: Josh and Angie Bieber; Jerry & Carrie Beadle Family, and Sandra Frickson Family

### Holy Trinity:

**July Church Cleaning:** Gerri & Jerome Malsom, Katy Burrer

**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 July 2 ~ 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

*For those who are pressured to compromise their respect for human life:*

*May the Lord strengthen their courage and resolve;*

We pray to the Lord: Lord hear our prayer.

## Weekly Readings

### Sun July 2: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a Rom 6:3-4,8-11 Mt 10:37-42

### Mon July 3: St Thomas, Apostle

Eph 2:19-22 Jn 20:24-29

### Tues July 4: Weekday, Independence Day

Gn 19:15-29 Mt 8:23-27

### Wed July 5: St Anthony Zaccaria, Priest; St Elizabeth of Portugal

Gn 21:5,8-20a Mt 8:28-34

### Thurs July 6: St Maria Goretti, Virgin and Martyr

Gn 22:1b-19 Mt 9:1-8

### Fri July 7: Weekday

Gn 23:1-4, 19, 24:1-8, 62-67 Mt 9:9-13

### Sat July 8: Weekday

Gn 27: 1-5, 15-29, Mt 9:14-17

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

8:30 am Sun July 2 Hosmer

7 pm Sat July 8 Onaka

8:30 am Sun July 16 Hosmer

7 pm Sat July 22 Onaka

8:30 am Sun July 30 Hosmer

8:30 am Sun Aug 6 Hosmer

7 pm Sat Aug 12 Onaka

8:30 am Sun Aug 20 Hosmer

7 pm Sat Aug 26 Onaka

8:30 am Sun Sept 3 Hosmer

7 pm Sat Sept 9 Onaka

8:30 am Sun Sept 17 Hosmer

7 pm Sat Sept 23 Onaka

8:30 am Sun Oct 1 Hosmer

7 pm Sat Oct 7 Onaka

## Mass Times at a Glance

### Saturdays:

5:00 pm Hoven

5:30 pm Roscoe

6:00 pm Faulkton

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

7:30 pm Eureka (Jul-Sep 2017)

### Sundays:

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

8:30 am Herreid (Jul-Sep 2017)

9:00 am Faulkton

9:00 am Ipswich

9:00 am Onida

10:30 am Bowdle

10:30 am Selby (Jul-Sep 2017)

11:00 am Gettysburg

11:00 am Leola

## Ministry Lists for July 2

**Hosmer-Lec-** Marlene  
**Rosary-** Janice, Mary Lou

**Bowdle- Lec-** Teresa G  
**Serv-** Mackenzie, Robin  
**Comm-** Norbert T  
**Gift-** Joe & Betty Geier  
**Rosary-** Norbert T

## Ministry Lists for July 9

**Bowdle- Lec-** Sandy S  
**Serv-** Seth, Brittny  
**Comm-** Mary T  
**Gift-** Tim & Teresa Geier  
**Rosary-** Margy B

## Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 2, 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

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Rectory Office  
will be Closed  
Tuesday July 4



God Bless  
America

**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

As the Fortnight For Freedom 2017 comes to a close. As a nation of faithful Catholics and Christians, we continue our prayers for our United States. There are so many who are confused and misguided with the lies of "choice" and "conscience".

Reflect, if you will, on the story of Norma McCorvey. A woman who no one knows by name. She is the woman who is Roe in the Supreme Court case of Roe vs. Wade (the case that made abortion legal in our nation on January 22, 1973). Her road to notoriety started with an unplanned pregnancy. She originally said she was raped, a factor she thought would strengthen her case. Her lawyer was a pro-abortion feminist. It is interesting and encouraging to see how the life of Norma McCorvey has played out.

First of all, Norma never had an abortion. The child in her womb was too far formed. When she asked her doctor for an adoptive/foster attorney, that attorney put her in touch with the pro-abortion lawyer. Ironically Norma McCorvey never stepped foot in a courtroom. She had signed an affidavit in Texas and was used as a pawn. (So much for "women's rights") She read about the legalization of abortion in the newspaper and was never contacted after the signing.

In 1995 Norma McCorvey declared herself Pro-life. In an account of a banquet of citizens for life that met in Alabama there was this observation: "In a 1995 Nightline interview, she explained that after working in four Dallas area abortion centers and learning a lot more, she started having inner-conflicts with herself. From that time on, Norma has completely moved her position from "a woman's right to choose ... to ... upholding the right to life of the preborn baby."

In the end people of good will see the light. Now is our challenge and time to witness to the truth of human life in the womb. I encourage you to say the prayer I put at the end of last week's column (inspired from this week's first reading): "Thank You Father for the gift of life. Thank You for the gift of Your Son Jesus. May my gratitude inspire and sustain me in doing everything I can to respect the lives of all people and to do all in my power to end abortion ... and everything else that harms, abuses, or threatens human life. Give me the courage and strength to live in Your image each day. Amen."

Psalm 69 has simple words to contemplate (the Psalm verses from last week):

**For Your sake I bear insult, and shame covers my face. I have become an outcast to my brothers, a stranger to my children, because zeal for Your house consumes me, and the insults of those who blaspheme You fall upon me. I pray to You, O LORD, for the time of Your favor, O God!**

**In Your great kindness answer me with Your constant help. Answer me, O LORD, for bounteous is Your kindness; in Your Great Mercy turn toward me. "See, you lowly ones, and be glad; you who seek God, may your hearts revive! For the LORD hears the poor, and His own who are in bonds He spurns not. Let the heavens and the earth praise Him, the seas and whatever moves in them!"**

**Summer Attire** - Of course, the dog days of summer begin the process of changing to lighter (more breathable) summer wear. But, before we put everything away...make sure you keep the more appropriate clothes in your closet for church. It is very important to remember: what you may be wearing on the beach or on the deck next to the swimming pool is not the appropriate attire for church. Don't be stuck with tank tops, T-shirts, sandals, flip-flops and shorts as your only option. It is important to be comfortable...but not *too comfortable*...standing before God.



Please join us at Abbey of the Hills for a presentation by National Speaker Rich May on **Sunday July 23, 2017 at 7:00 p.m.** Rich will be giving a presentation on "Witness for Christ". All ages are welcome and encouraged to attend.



### Weekly Collections June 25, 2017

	Adult	Loose	Cemetery	Mass Stipends	CFSA	Peter's Pence	Total
<b>Bowdle</b>	\$ 740	\$ 134	\$ 300	\$ 30	\$275	\$ 145	<b>\$ 1,624</b>

Generous giving produces rejoicing in one's soul

This weekend, **July 1-2**, is the Peter's Pence collection, which provides Pope Francis with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Please be generous if you are able. Envelopes were attached to last weekend's bulletin extra's will be in vestibules of the churches. This weekend envelopes are attached to Holy Trinity Bulletins. Also you may find envelopes in your church offering boxes dated June 25.



*Thank You* to everyone who came and helped clean the churches! Both St Augustine and Holy Trinity are shining after all the cleaning that took place! Many hands make the workload lighter.

**FEEDING SOUTH DAKOTA**  
 Mobile Food Pantry  
 11:00am—1:00pm  
 4-H Building, Ipswich  
 Date: **Thurs July 6**  
 Upcoming Dates:  
 Aug 15 & Sept 21

*Thank You for all who volunteered and contributed to make the Totus Tuus Event a Success this week! The feedback from the kids attending was a two thumbs up, they absolutely loved the activities the 3 person team taught them. Each day they looked forward to going back as it was an adventure to discover yet something more! 18 kids were able to attend coming from Bowdle, Hoven and Roscoe.*



Thank You!



#### Pro-Life Answers to False Pro-Choice Arguments (Part 9)

*"Women cannot be free unless they have the right to control their own reproductive lives."*

There are still many pro-choice advocates who believe that a woman's right to abortion is part of an ongoing feminist struggle for equality and freedom and any restriction on abortion is threatening to women. This sad and regressive mindset is epitomized by Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg. When the Supreme Court recently upheld the ban on the gruesome partial birth abortion procedure, Justice Ginsburg wrote quite an astonishing dissenting opinion.

According to Ginsburg, the right to life of the unborn baby is completely ignored and subordinated to the interest of women having complete autonomy over their "reproductive decision". In her view, if women do not have this autonomy, they are relegated to "when women are regarded as the center of home and family life with attendant special responsibilities that precluded full and independent legal status under the Constitution." In other words, a woman's right to abort her baby in the womb is central to her life and essential to her being a complete woman.

It is indeed hard to understand the depraved concept that a woman cannot be a real woman unless she has complete autonomy to direct a doctor to abort her own baby, even in the case of a partial birth abortion, when that baby is partially delivered for the purpose of killing it.

The truth of course is that abortion is not about controlling reproduction. When a woman is pregnant, it is a biological reality that reproduction has already taken place. Abortion is about taking the life of the child that has been produced and is alive.

What kind of perverted mind sees the right to abort one's own offspring as a symbol of freedom? As pro-life feminist Frederica Mathewes-Green once wrote, women have abortions for the same reason an animal will gnaw off its own leg to get out of a trap. She pointed out that abortion is not a sign that women are free, but proof that they are desperate.

*"...women will never climb to equality over the dead bodies of their children..."*

Melissa Simmons-Tulin, Pro-Life Feminist



Cleo Schneider	Jeanne Bieber
Tate Kaiser	Beth Hawley
Nursing Home Residents	Jack Mills
Lenny Uhrich	Sheila Robeck
Dennis Bieber	Gary Geier

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**

★ JUNE 21 to JULY 4 ★  
**FORTNIGHT FOR FREEDOM** WITNESSES TO FREEDOM  
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"Human dignity is the same for all human beings: when I trample on the dignity of another, I am trampling on my own."  
 Pope Francis, "Message for the Lenten Brotherhood Campaign in Brazil."  
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	CFSA	2017
Bowdle/Hosmer	Pledged \$ 14,965	Pledges paid 2017 Goal \$ 12,885 \$ 12,500

#### Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for July

**For Evangelization:** Those distant from the Christian faith

That our brothers and sisters who have strayed from the faith, through our prayer and witness to the Gospel, may rediscover the merciful closeness of the Lord and the beauty of the Christian life.



Mass Intentions				
<b>Sat., July 1</b>	<b>5:00pm</b>	<b>Hoven</b>	<b>Onaka</b>	
<b>Sun., July 2</b>	<b>8:30am</b>	<b>Hosmer</b>	<b>Bowdle</b>	<b>People of our Parishes</b>
	<b>10:30am</b>			<b>† Mike Geier &amp; † Mary Haas</b>
<b>Mon., July 3</b>	<b>5:15pm</b>	<b>Hoven</b>		<b>Mass/Rosary</b>
<b>Tues., July 4</b>	<b>4:30 pm</b>	<b>Onaka</b>		<b>Mass</b>
<b>Wed., July 5</b>	<b>5:15pm</b>	<b>Hoven</b>		<b>Mass/ Rosary</b>
<b>Thurs., July 6</b>	<b>9:00am</b>	<b>Hosmer</b>		<b>† Fr. Sebastian</b>
<b>Fri., July 7</b>	<b>10:00 am</b> <b>7:00 pm</b>	<b>BNH Hoven</b>		<b>† Kristi Vaupel</b> <b>Mass/Rosary</b>
<b>Sat., July 8</b>	<b>9:00 am</b> <b>5:00pm</b> <b>7:00pm</b>	<b>Bowdle</b> <b>Hoven</b> <b>Onaka</b>		<b>† Jacob Haiar (Weekday Mass)</b> <b>People of our Parishes</b>
<b>Sun., July 9</b>	<b>10:30am</b>	<b>Hosmer</b>	<b>Bowdle</b>	<b>† Frances &amp; † Tillie Heilman, Sr</b>

### SCRIPTURE SEARCH®

Gospel for July 2, 2017  
 Matthew 10:37-42

Following is a word search based on the Gospel reading for the Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Cycle A: a lesson in discipleship. The words can be found in all directions in the puzzle.

MATTHEW	LOVES	FATHER
MOTHER	MORE THAN ME	DAUGHTER
WORTHY	LIFE	LOSE IT
MY SAKE	RECEIVES	REWARD
RIGHTEOUS	WHOEVER	GIVES
LITTLE ONES	A CUP	COLD
WATER	DISCIPLE	I SAY TO YOU

#### REWARD

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