

Parish Cleaning Assignments

St. Augustine:

October Church Cleaning:

Chair: Lance & Barb Kaiser Family; Vern & Pam Grismer; Craig & Roseanne Ullman Family; Tim & Teresa Geier Family

Holy Trinity:

October Church Cleaning: Sandi Jung; Mike Schwingler; Jan Malsom; Mary Lou Mohr

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 Oct 1: 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ez 18:25-28 Phil 2:1-11 Mt 21:28-32

Mon Oct 2: The Holy Guardian Angels

Zec 8:1-8 Mt 18:1-5

Tues Oct 3: Weekday

Zec 8:20-23 Lk 9:51-56

Wed Oct 4: Saint Francis of Assisi

Neh 2:1-8 Lk 9:57-62

Thurs Oct 5: Blessed Xavier Seelos, Priest

Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12 Lk 10:1-12

Fri Oct 6: Saint Bruno, Priest; Blessed Marie Rose Durocher, Virgin

Bar 1:15-22 Lk 10:13-16

Sat Oct 7: Our Lady of the Rosary

Bar 4:5-12, 27-29 Lk 10:17-24



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

8:30 am Sun Oct 1 Hosmer

7 pm Sat Oct 7 Onaka

8:30 am Sun Oct 15 Hosmer

7 pm Sat Oct 21 Onaka

8:30 am Sun Oct 29 Hosmer

8:30 am Sun Nov 5 Hosmer

7 pm Sat Nov 11 Onaka

8:30 am Sun Nov 19 Hosmer

7 pm Sat Nov 25 Onaka

8:30 am Sun Dec 3 Hosmer

7 pm Sat Dec 9 Onaka

8:30 am Sun Dec 17 Hosmer

7 pm Sat Dec 23 Onaka

8:30 am Sun Dec 31 Hosmer

Mass Times at a Glance

Saturdays:

5:00 pm Hoven

5:30 pm Roscoe

5:30 pm Selby (Oct-Dec 2017)

6:00 pm Faulkton

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

Sundays:

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

8:30 am Eureka (Oct-Dec 2017)

9:00 am Faulkton

9:00 am Ipswich

9:00 am Onida

10:30 am Bowdle

10:30 am Herreid (Oct- Dec 2017)

11:00 am Gettysburg

11:00 am Leola

Ministry Lists for Oct 1

Hosmer-Lec- Margaret W

Rosary- Teri H

Bowdle- Lec- Carrie B

Serv- Krystal, Brittney

Comm- Sandy S, Brooke H

Gift- Ann Thomsen, Cate Domini-cak

Rosary- Norbert T

Ministry Lists for Oct 8

Bowdle- Lec- Josh B

Serv- Matthew, Hudson

Comm- Norbert T, Sandy S

Gift- Mary Zimmer, Carol Thomas

Rosary- Margy B



Mobile Food Pantry
11:00am—1:00pm
4-H Building, Ipswich
Date: **Thurs Nov 2**

Twenty - Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 1, 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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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

I enjoy this week's reading from Ezekiel. How often do I ... in my heart of hearts say to myself "God Your way is not fair! Look at all the things I have to do as a Catholic ... and am expected to live in my daily life. Look at how everyone is living ... why do I get stuck being the token Christian?" And God's response: "Listen, My goal for you is heaven and eternal happiness with Me. Get over what you think is unfair ... I made fair ... and believe it or not, I know what I am doing." But that is the issue for us ... "believe it or not" ... do it the hard way ... do it the easy way... just do it God's way and we will make it. And as Blue Eyes song so well ... that's life. You may be a puppet, a pauper, a pirate, poet, a pawn and a king ... been up and down and over and out ... God is the great equalizer ... pick yourself up and get back in the race.

This is what the concept of the Old Testament Sabbath is all about. Sabbath is a vision of freedom. On this day slave and master are equals. The "hallowing" of the Sabbath means precisely this: a rest from all relationships of subordination and a temporary relief from all burden of work. (A reminder of what heaven is all about.)

Now some people conclude from this that the Old Testament makes no connection between creation and worship, that it leads to a pure vision of a liberated society as the goal of human history, that from the very beginning its orientation is anthropological and social ... indeed revolutionary. But this is a complete misunderstanding of the Sabbath.

God is a fair God. The account of creation and the Sinai regulations about the Sabbath come from the same source. To understand the account of creation properly, one has to read the Sabbath ordinances of the Torah (the first five Books of our Bible). Then everything becomes clear. The Sabbath is the sign of the covenant between God and man; it sums up the inward essence of the covenant. If this is so, then we can now define the intention of the account of creation as follows: creation exists to be a place for the covenant that God wants to make with man. The goal of creation is the covenant, the love story of God and man. The freedom and equality of men, which the Sabbath is meant to bring about, is not a merely anthropological or sociological vision; it can only be understood ... theologically. Only when man is in covenant with God does he become free. Only then are the equality and dignity of all men made manifest.

If, then, everything is directed to the covenant, it is important to see that the covenant is a relationship: God's gift of Himself to man, but also man's response to God. Man's response to the God Who is good to him is love, and loving God means worshipping Him. If creation is meant to be a space for the covenant (the place where God and man meet one another) then it must be thought of as a space for worship.

Word of Life Intercessions for Life
Oct 1 ~ 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

*For the times we are afraid to welcome life:
May the Lord fill our hearts with confidence in His loving care and provide for every need;*

We pray to the Lord: Lord hear our prayer.



Oct 7 - Our Lady of the Rosary

"Every child not allowed to be born, but unjustly condemned to be aborted, has the face of Jesus Christ, the Lord's face...Life is always, in all its phases and at any age, sacred..."

Pope Francis

CFSFA 2017	Pledged	Pledges paid	2017 Goal
Bowdle/Hosmer	\$ 16,145	\$ 15,095	\$ 12,500

Please note: Fr Kevin is on vacation through October 13th. During that time there will be NO weekday Masses. Weekend Masses will continue with Fr David Axtmann, Highmore filling in for Fr Kevin, watch the bulletin for any changes. If you have any questions, please call the rectory.



Saint Mary's Parish Bazaar, 1400 N Dakota St, Roncalli High School
Aberdeen Sat & Sun October 14-15, 2017



Roast Beef Dinner Adults \$10, Youth 12 yrs and under \$5 (Take out Meals Available) Serving from: 4:30 pm-7:00pm on Sat; and 11:30am- 2:00pm on Sun

Midway Hours: Sat 3-8pm and Sun 11am-3pm



Weekly Collections September 24, 2017

	Adult	Loose	Energy	CFSA	Total
Bowdle	\$ 445	\$ 112	\$ 20	\$ 60	\$ 637

Generous giving produces rejoicing in one's soul

Rectory Office Closed on **Tues Oct 3** and **Fri Oct 6**. There will be an early bulletin deadline on **Wed Oct 4 @ noon** for the Oct 8th Bulletin. Sorry for any inconvenience. If you have something please email: staug@venturecomm.net

NOTE: We are in need of more people to be Extra Ordinary Eucharistic Ministers and Rosary Leaders at St. Augustine. Please sign up in the lobby of St. Augustine if you are willing to help out. Note: Extra Ordinary Eucharistic Ministers must have received their confirmation. There will be a brief Extra Ordinary Eucharistic Minister Training/commissioning this October. We appreciate all those who continue to help out in all areas of ministry at St. Augustine.

"Thank you women who are Mothers! You have sheltered human beings within yourselves in a unique experience of joy and travail. This experience makes you ... the one who is the anchor as the child makes its way along the journey of life."

Blessed John Paul II

CDA Meeting Mon Oct 16 @ 7:30pm @ Hosmer

[A Prayer To God In Time Of Great Sadness](#)

O Lord God we come to You at this time of great shock and grief and ask that in Your grace, You would shed Your peace and comfort to all who are mourning this death - that was so sudden and so very unexpected.

Lighten our darkness O Lord we pray, and comfort our sorrowing hearts. Pour Your peace that passes all understanding into the hearts of all that are grieving and shower the assurance of Your love on all - at this time of sadness.

Lord we are not to grieve as those who have no hope - those that have not trusted in Christ as Saviour, for our hope and trust is in You and our eyes are looking to You for strength, encouragement and comfort at this time of great sadness.

Lord it is at a time like this that we suddenly begin to realise the great frailty of life and the brief portion that we are permitted on this earth. Cause all who are grieving here today to take stock of our own, individual lives and help us to be wise and to number our days. Help us to live our lives as unto the Lord, knowing that at any time You may choose to call us home as well.

Thank You Father, that our times ARE in Your hands and there are no sudden deaths in Your economy. May we live wisely from this day forward and use us we pray, to be a comfort to others who may experience similar times of great sadness, In Jesus name we pray,

Amen

Even though the temperatures this week were well into the 80's, it is only a matter of a couple of months and it will be time to prepare for the winter months. As the rain turn to snow, St Augustine is in need of someone to keep the steps and sidewalks clear of snow. There are shovels, broom and a snow blower available for use. If you or someone you know would be willing to do snow removal or for info on compensation please contact Rectory Office 285-6466 or Teresa G or Chad H.



Looking for a group of people to organize the upcoming Anniversary celebration which will take place next summer. It would be nice to have at least 4-5 people. Please contact the rectory office 285-6466 or email staug@venturecomm.net, Chad Holsworth or Teresa Geier. The sooner a committee is formed the easier it will be to get a date and plans made.

Our sympathies to the families of Zach Nelson and Ken Schuh who died as a result of a terrible accident on Hwy 12 near Ipswich on Sunday September 24, 2017 and whose funerals were on Thursday and Friday. May God's healing comfort touch each and everyone dealing with these losses of friends from our Bowdle Community.



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

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

NOTE: Bowdle Nursing Home Mass is scheduled for 10:00 am Friday, October 13, 2017.

CCD SCHEDULE

BOWDLE
Oct 4, 11, 18
Grades K-6:

Grades 7th & 9th:
7:00-8:30pm

"Walk with each other. Do not be afraid to embrace God's gift of life. Whatever storms or trains we face, we are not alone. He is with us. 'Behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age' (Matthew 28:20)."

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities 2017-18 Respect Life Reflection Flyer, NABRE 2010 Used with permission.

Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for October

Universal: Rights of workers and the unemployed

That all workers may receive respect and protection of their rights, and that the unemployed may receive the opportunity to contribute to the common good.



Mass Intentions

Sat., Sept 30	5:00pm	Hoven Onaka	
Sun., Oct 1	8:30am	Hosmer	People of our Parishes
	10:30am	Bowdle	† Kristi Vaupel
Mon., Oct 2		Hoven	
Tues., Oct 3		Onaka	
Wed., Oct 4		Hoven	
Thurs., Oct 5		Hosmer	
Fri., Oct 6		BNH	
Sat., Oct 7	5:00pm	Hoven	
	7:00pm	Onaka	
Sun., Oct 8		Hosmer	
	10:30am	Bowdle	People of our Parishes

SCRIPTURE SEARCH®

Gospel for October 1, 2017
Matthew 21:28-32

Following is a word search based on the Gospel for the 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Cycle A, a story about doing the right thing. The words can be found in all directions in the puzzle.

HOUSE COMMIT SHALL NOT DIE FIRST HIS MIND PROSTITUTES SPIRIT	UNFAIR WICKEDNESS A MAN SON GO DID NOT GO CHRIST COMPASSION	AWAY RIGHT HAD TWO SONS CHANGED JOHN CAME IN LOVE MY JOY
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UNFAIR?

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