

**July 21, 2024**  
**16th Sunday in Ordinary Time**



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**Holy Cross Parish Office:**

Hours: Tuesday - Friday 9am - Noon  
Office Phone: 605-971-4556

**St. Augustine Office:**

No Office Hours effective July 1st  
Please call 605-971-4556 to schedule appointments  
or if you need assistance

**Weekend Mass:**

Saturday: 5:00pm - St. Augustine, Bowdle

Sunday: 9:00am - St. Thomas, Roscoe

11:00am - Holy Cross, Ipswich

**Masses at other Parishes in Pastorate:**

Our Lady of Perpetual Help—Leola—Sunday 10:30am

St Joseph—Mobridge—Sat 5pm & Sunday 8am & 10am

St Joseph—Eureka—Sunday 8:30am

St Michael—Herreid—Saturdays 7pm-daylight savings or 5:30pm

St Anthony—Selby—Saturday 7pm

**Daily Mass:**

Tuesday: 5:30pm - Holy Cross, Ipswich

Wednesday: 9:00am - St. Thomas, Roscoe

Thursday: 9:00am - St. Augustine, Bowdle  
(1st Thursday at 10am @ Nursing Home)

Friday: 9:00am - Holy Cross, Ipswich  
(1st Friday Holy Hour after Mass)

**Confessions:**

Tuesday: 5:00pm - Holy Cross, Ipswich

Saturday: 4:30pm - St. Augustine, Bowdle

Sunday: 8:30am - St. Thomas, Roscoe  
10:30am - Holy Cross, Ipswich

\*Confessions also available by appointment \*

**Sacramental Preparation**

**Baptism:** A pre-baptism meeting with Father must be completed before the baptism of a child. Call to schedule.

**Marriage Preparation:** Must begin at least 6 months before the wedding. **\*Must meet with father before scheduling wedding date\*** Contact Father to schedule meeting.

**Anointing of the Sick & Last Rites:** Contact Father to make arrangements: 605-971-4556 option 3.

**Order of Christian Initiation of Adults:** Want to join the Church? Classes held Sept-May. Contact the parish office.

### **Father Michael's Musings**

*Come away to the deserted place and rest.*

What a wonderful invitation from the Lord, and a great reminder to us of the importance of this time of renewal and gentle peace to fill our hearts.

It speaks of our need to pull back for an extended period of time, like a retreat weekend, or simply time away...not a vacation packed with a multitude of things that need to be seen or done, but time to simply be who we are in the loving presence of the Lord.

It is also important to find those restful moments in our daily lives as well. Time with the tv, radio, laptop and phone shut down or muted, time to enjoy the moments of quiet and peace that remind us what it means to be alive.

The Lord Jesus gives his disciples, and all of us, that beautiful invitation, and it is up to us to accept it.

If you find yourself out of balance, peeved, upset, impatient, lacking gentleness....  
you know what you need to do.

Hear the Lord's call and say "yes!"



### **WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS: July 22-28**

**MON:** Day of Rest—NO Public Mass

**TUES:** 5:30 PM Ipswich - NO MASS

**WED:** 9 AM Roscoe - NO MASS

**THURS:** 9 AM Bowdle - NO MASS

**FRI:** 9 AM Ipswich - NO MASS

**SAT:** 5 PM Bowdle - + Cate Dominick

**SUN:** 9 AM Roscoe - For the People

11 AM Ipswich - + Joseph Gauer

### **LITURGICAL SCHEDULE FOR WEEKEND MASSES**

**July 27 & 28**

#### **BOWDLE —**

Lector: Teresa Geier

Servers: Isaiah & Jeremiah Heilman

Rosary: Stacy Preszler

Sacristan: Norbert & Cathy Thomas

EMHC: Norbert Thomas

\$\$ Counters: Teresa G & Stacy P

#### **ROSCOE—**

Lector: Zady Meier

Servers: Lindsey Hoerner & Carter Ellwein

Ushers: Krist Sauer & Loren Schmidt

Rosary: Wendy Hoerner

\$\$ Counters: Janet Fuhrmann & William Grismer

#### **IPSWICH —**

Lector: Cheryl Vogel

EMHC: Lynn Thares

Servers: Xavier Kadlec, Olivia Kadlec, Jaxen Jager

Ushers: T Pietz, G Gauer, P Franck, B Wagner

Rosary: Jessie Lacher

\$\$ Counters: D Petersen & P&L Franck

### **Sacrificial Giving: July 13 & 14**

**Holy Cross:** Collection: \$2473.00  
Renovation: \$100.00

**St. Thomas:** Collection: \$1435.00

**St. Augustine:** Collection: \$665.00

Thank you for your Church Support!



### **WEEKLY MASS READINGS: July 22-28**

**Mon:** Sg 3:1-4b; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

**Tues:** Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Mt 12:46-50

**Wed:** Jer 1:1, 4-10; Mt 13:1-9

**Thurs:** 2Cor 4:7-15; Mt 20:20-28

**Fri:** Jer 3:14-17; Mt 13:18-23

**Sat:** Jer 7:1-11; Mt 13:24-30

**Sun:** 2Kgs 4:42-44; Eph 4:1-6; Jn 6:1-15



**TAKE OFF MY NAME.....**Did you sign the abortion petition being circulated in South Dakota and now wish you hadn't signed it? A recently passed law now makes it possible for you to remove your name from this petition, which could keep it from getting onto the ballot this November. Keep South Dakota's babies safe by giving them the dignity and life they deserve as children of God. **Visit [www.takeoffmyname.com](http://www.takeoffmyname.com)** to learn more.

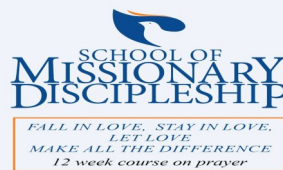
### Diocese Positions Available

Have you ever considered joining your work with your faith? Many open positions exist in our diocese that allow you to do just that! Positions include teachers, human resources, business managers, directors in music liturgy, clinical directors and so much more. Browse all positions by scanning the QR code or visiting [sfcatholic.org](http://sfcatholic.org) and clicking the employment opportunities link in the top right corner.



### **NO Daily Mass this week**

There will be NO Daily Mass this week at Holy Cross, St Thomas & St Augustine for Fr Cone will be out of town.



**12-week course on prayer**  
**Struggling to pray?**  
**Want to go deeper in prayer?**  
**We can help!**

The School of Missionary Discipleship will be offering a 12-week course on prayer which can help you form a strong and lasting relationship with God. No in-person attendance is required. Weekly Zoom meetings are led by Father Scott Traynor where participants begin to explore the depths of discernment and relational prayer. This class is a pre-requisite for all subsequent years in the School of Missionary Discipleship, so don't miss out! Register by Aug. 28. To register or learn more, go to...

<https://www.sfcatholic.org/discipleship/school-of-missionary-discipleship-2/>



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### **TOWN HALLS!**

Two Town Hall meetings are planned to share the priorities for the future of the Pastorate of the Visitation in regards to the 4 Pillars of the Set Ablaze Vision: Worship, Discipleship & Evangelization, Service, and Community.

These Town Hall Meetings will be held:

**Sunday, July 28 at St. Augustine, Bowdle, 6:30-8:30 pm**  
**Sunday, August 4 at St. Joseph, Eureka, 6:30-8:30 pm.**

There will be a time for prayer, for a deeper dive into our priorities leading us into the future of the Pastorate of the Visitation, and Mr. Tim Weisz, superintendent and president of the Aberdeen Catholic School System, will be assisting us as facilitator for questions.

May our Lady of the Visitation pray for us as we walk together into a future filled with the Holy Spirit!

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## Saint Augustine Parish—Bowdle

Mass times: Thursday 9:00 AM & Saturday at 5:00 PM  
(1st Thursday Daily Mass is at 10AM at Nursing Home)

Office will be permanently closed as of July 1st, and will be moving to the Holy Cross Parish Office...if you need any assistance or an appointment, please call 605-971-4556.

### July Church Cleaning Crew:

Sandra Frickson & family  
Jerry & Carrie Beadle & family  
Lewis & Katrina Reuer & family

NO MASS on Thursday, July 25th



Mark your calendars now for  
the 10th Annual:  
**Taste the Goodness**  
on Saturday, August 3rd 5-9PM  
at Avera Tech Bldg in Sioux Falls

Tickets are on sale now for \$45.00.  
Your support in this event goes to support the  
Bishop Dudley Hospitality House! Enjoy unlimited  
tastings of food, beer, wine, bourbon  
and a variety of non-alcoholic drinks.  
Sign up at [ccfesd.org/events](http://ccfesd.org/events) or call 605-988-3769



### Women's Silent Ignatian Retreat

August 16-18, 2024

This retreat offers a chance to come away with the Lord! You will leave behind the distractions and noise of the world and encounter Him and His great love, message and purpose for you in a deep and richly fulfilling way - that can then be taken home with you and lived each day. This Retreat is a focused encounter with God that centers on the quality of my personal response to God's self-revelation in prayer and reflection.

Registration is required. To register please visit our website at [www.abbeyofthehills.org](http://www.abbeyofthehills.org), call 605-398-9200, or email: [events@abbeyofthehills.com](mailto:events@abbeyofthehills.com)



Do you have an event or announcement for the Parish Bulletin? Please send it to

**[Ipswich.holycross@sfcatholic.org](mailto:Ipswich.holycross@sfcatholic.org)**

by 5:00 PM on Wednesdays to Tami in the Office.

## Saint Thomas the Apostle—Roscoe

Mass Times: Wednesday 9:00 AM & Sunday at 9:00 AM

CDA (Catholic Daughters of the Americas) Court St. Katharine Drexel #2516 will be meeting **Monday, July 15th at 6:30 pm** starting with a potluck supper at the Roscoe City Park New Building, with the regular meeting following. All are welcome to come join us for the potluck and stay and check out our meeting to see what we do.

**Parish Hall Rental**—If you desire to use the parish hall, please contact Wendy Hoerner at 605-281-9812.

**Coffee & Donuts** will be offered the 1st Sunday of every Month. Next one will be August 4th. Please join us for fellowship after mass.  
Free Will Offering

NO MASS on Wednesday, July 24th.



### ITALY AND AMALFI PILGRIMAGE:

Come along March 10-20, 2025, to celebrate our "Jubilee Year" for the Catholic Church in a very memorable way! We'll visit several sacred sites

and some of the most beautiful areas in all of Europe, including Florence, Assisi, Sorrento, Amalfi Coastline, Pompeii, Monte Cassino Monastery and Rome. While in Rome, we will attend the Papal Audience. Mass each day in great churches and cathedrals along the way. Cost is \$4,669 with departure from Omaha. For a brochure and more information, contact Fr. Dan Guenther, 276 Country Club Drive, Lake Park, Iowa 51347 or call 712-899-6870 or email [frdanguenther@gmail.com](mailto:frdanguenther@gmail.com)

### PRAYER CORNER:

**Please remember in your prayers:**

John Heinz, Donald Thomas,  
Logan Hoerner, Cash Henderson,  
Diane Wilkinson, Bridget Nelson, Lori (Williams) Miller,  
Elaina Morales, Leota Goetz, Bowdle Nursing Home Residents, Bernice Dewald, Men & Women serving in the military & peace on Earth.

Names will remain in Prayer Corner for 30 days...  
to add or remove someone, please call Holy Cross Parish Office  
at 605-971-4556 or email [Ipswich.holycross@sfcatholic.org](mailto:Ipswich.holycross@sfcatholic.org).

