

# Holy Family - St. Isidore Parishes



A merging Catholic Parish serving the Communities of Ovid, Elsie, and Laingsburg. Come join and worship with us.



## FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME February 2 & 3, 2019

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**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturdays from 4 to 4:30 pm  
**Sacrament of Matrimony:** Contact Fr. Robert Bacik  
**Sacrament of Baptism:** Contact Deacon John Marsh  
**Parish Nurse:** Pat Latz **Director of Music:**

### MASS SCHEDULE:

#### Holy Family

**Saturday:** 4:00 pm  
**Sunday:** 11:00 am  
**Thursday:** 8:30 am  
 Holydays: As Announced

#### St. Isidore

**Saturday:** 5:30 pm  
**Sunday:** 9:00 am  
**Wednesday:** 6:30 pm,  
**Thursday & Friday:** 8:30 am

### OFFICE HOURS:

**Tuesday, 8 am to 3 pm**

**Wednesday, 8 am to 3 pm**  
**Friday, 8 am to 3 pm**

**Website:** [www.stisidorechurch.org/hf/](http://www.stisidorechurch.org/hf/) - Bulletins posted weekly



## FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The Jehovah's Witnesses believe that of all their members, only 144,000 will actually get into heaven. Also, they feel that most of the 144,000 have already been chosen. But if we use the current membership of about 8.25 million, that gives at best only one in 57 to gain the best reward. The rest may enter an earthly paradise, Eden restored, but not rule with God in heaven. But still, most of them, despite the numbers, feel confident that they will be among the ruling elite. We all want to be in the favored group, with the best deal. The neighbors and relatives of Jesus in Nazareth wanted that much. But Jesus had something else to offer—not healings or seats of honor at banquets, but a life of faith, the same deal as anybody else. That idea enraged them. Were they not special—they'd grown up knowing Jesus: didn't that count for something, now that he was entering fame and power?

Jesus dashed such hopes. Don't expect special treatment just because they knew him when. Their fury rose, and they rejected him and his pretensions. But, actually, his stand offers hope, if not extra hope to the people of Nazareth, then hope to us.

One of the scandals of the faith is its particularity, its rootedness in a specific time and place. Our creed mentions Pontius Pilate; the Gospels give a specific time and place that Jesus lived, full of historic characters—King Herod, emperors and governors, among others. The scandal, for some, is that such a specific setting seems to give those who were there with a chance to meet and talk to the living Jesus, advantage over the rest of us, who were not there. "Turning to the disciples in private he said, 'Blessed are the eyes that see what you see. For I say to you, many prophets and kings desired to see what you see, but did not see it, and to hear what you hear, but did not hear it.'" (Luke 10:23-24) Jesus assures us that we have as full hope as they do.

from Partners in Prayer, Assumption Abbey, Richardton, ND, Father Boniface Muggli, OSB

### PARISH SERVICE SCHEDULE

**Saturday Feb. 2 4:00 pm**  
 Lector Nancy Hughson  
 Eucharistic Pat Latz  
 Ministers Leonard Mitchell  
 Servers Alex Houska  
 Usher Team Gary Hrncharik

**Sunday Feb. 3 11:00 am**  
 Lector Mike Chapko  
 Eucharistic Sue Ladisky  
 Ministers Ginger Kusnier  
 Diane Mysinger  
 Server Skylar Spitzley  
 Usher Team Joe Tejkl

**Saturday Feb. 9 4:00 pm**  
 Lector Pat Elliott  
 Eucharistic Mike Elliott  
 Ministers Cheryl Chandler  
 Servers Bob McCue  
 Usher Team Gary Hrncharik

**Sunday Feb. 10 11:00 am**  
 Lector Elaine Bartholic  
 Eucharistic Ed Ladiski  
 Ministers Ann Trieweiler  
 Dale Trieweiler  
 Server Alexis Spitzley  
 Usher Team Paul Pung

### Counting Schedule

Feb. 3 - Team - #3  
 Feb. 10 - Team - #8

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Saturday - February 2 - 4:00 pm**

Mark Lashley  
By the Smith Family

**Sunday - February 3 - 11:00 am**

Robert Dobski  
By Holy Family Altar Society

Monday - No Mass

**Tuesday - February 5 - 12:10 pm**

Bob Byrnes  
By Steve & Mary Ann Izdebski

Wednesday - No Mass

Thursday - No Mass

Friday - No Mass

**Saturday - February 9 - 4:00 pm**

Kevin Angell 33rd Anniversary  
By Mom & Dad

**Sunday - February 10 - 11:00 am**

M/M Tony Sinicropi  
By Greg & Margaret White

**Weekly Offertory Envelopes  
Jan. 26 & 27, 2019**

Adult (59) Envelopes	\$2,162
Loose Collection	\$266
Total Offertory	\$2,251

**PRAYERS FOR . . . . .**

.. those who long to be delivered from illness and pain especially: Fr. Ray, Shirley Palatka, Pamela Morgan, Jean Raber, Sylvia McKay, Sandy VanGeertruy; Sister Rosalyn Seda, OP (Sister of Joe Tejkl), Craig & Caren Henning (Nephew & Niece of Leonard Mitchell), Sharon & Deanna Darling, (Sister-in-Law & Niece of Art & Karen Kelley), Jennifer Feltman, Justin Cole, (nephew of Courtney & Andy Bates); Val Thelen, Connie Weller, Roberta Stanton, Shelby Porubsky, Mike Heeg, Charles Waddell Family, John Olinger, Larry Martin, Beverly Delaney, Jeanne Alaga, Theresa Heeg (Daughter of John & Sandy VanGeertruy) Randy Bowles (Son of Ellie Bowles), Maria Jones, Sue Nethaway (Sister of Adrienne Bocek), Bill Haywood (Friend of RoseMarie Thering), Nick Dunay, Jeff Wason, Barb Rewerts, (Ginger Kusnier's Mother), Gene Schoendorf

*Remember all who are serving in the military or who have served!*

**PRAYER CHAIN**

**Betty Sloat has been a parishioner here at Holy Family for almost 9 years. She is forming a Prayer Chain. Anyone interested in helping or for further details please call Betty at 989-506-2073**



**Mark your calendars with the following events. . . .**

~Sunday - February 3 - Confirmation Class - 9:30 AM

~February 4 - Movie Night - 6:30 PM - *The Reluctant Saint*

~Tuesdays - AA Meeting - 7 pm - Church Hall

~Wednesday - February 6 - REF Classes - 6:00 - 7:00 PM

~Thursday - - **No Quilting Ministry** for month of February

~Saturday & Sunday - Feb. 9 & 10 - Free Blood Pressure Checks after Masses

~Sunday - February 10 - Men's Club Breakfast - Following Mass

~Wednesday - February 13 - - REF Classes - 6:00 - 7:00 PM

~Sunday - February 17 - Confirmation Class - 9:30 AM

**2018 CONTRIBUTION REPORTS**

Reports are available in the church hall . If yours is not there please contact the office.

Email:  
holyfamilyovid@gmail.com

Or 989-834-5855

**CANCELED—CANCELED—CANCELED**—The Quilting Ministry is forced to cancel quilting for the **entire month of February**. We will resume quilting on Mar. 7th! Stay home in February, keep warm & safe. See you in March!

**MOVIE NIGHT.  
Monday, Feb. 4 - 6:30 pm**

Yes it's that time again. The movie this week will be "The Reluctant Saint" . As always, we'll be serving popcorn and water!

**The Reluctant Saint** is a 1962 film which tells the story of *Joseph of Cupertino*, a 17th-century Italian Conventual Franciscan friar and mystic who is honored as a saint by the Catholic Church.

Although not new movies this is worth your viewing time. Recommended by Fr. Bob. See you Monday!

