

# St. Isidore Parish

17<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
July 29-30, 2023

## Pastorate 15 Mass schedule

### Saturday Vigil Mass:

4:00 PM Blanchardville  
5:00 PM Ridgeway  
5:00 PM Mt. Horeb  
5:15 PM Yellowstone  
(July 1, 15, 29; August 12, 26 only)

### Sunday Mass:

8:00 AM Perry  
9:00 AM Barneveld  
10:30 AM Mt. Horeb  
10:30 AM Hollandale

### Daily Masses:

Tuesday	8:00 AM	Ridgeway
	8:00 AM	Mt. Horeb
Wednesday	8:00 AM	Barneveld
	8:00 AM	Blanchardville
	8:00 AM	Mt. Horeb
Thursday	8:00 AM	Ridgeway
	8:00 AM	Hollandale
	8:00 AM	Mt. Horeb
Friday	8:00 AM	Barneveld
	8:00 AM	Hollandale
	8:00 AM	Mt. Horeb
Saturday	8:00 AM	Hollandale (1 <sup>st</sup> Saturdays)
	9:00 AM	Ridgeway (1 <sup>st</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 5 <sup>th</sup> Saturdays) Barneveld (2 <sup>nd</sup> , 4 <sup>th</sup> Saturdays)

## Pray For!

Our Church, the Pope, our Diocese, Bishop Hying, Priests, Conversions, the Sick, the Suffering & Dying, Jobs for our area, Religious freedom, Judges, Healing of abortion, Family & children, Mary's Intentions, Valley of Our Lady.

Paul Davis Dan Tracy Rose Silver Trina Williams Jack Smith Scarlett Rae Wyss Sean Leary Julia Arneson Lorna Gillespie Pat Flannery Lucy Lawson Monica Hodgson Kane Burton Matthew Keller Mary Jane Yedinak Tim Sutter Riley Sigg Walter "Doug" Chrism	Maggie Hillson Caden Thiel Teresa Swenson Roger Tourdot Max Fox Bob Ihm Steve Zipsie Terry Nelson Jim Green Mary Botsford Tom Young Marty Bellich Deb & Jerry Bruneg Laurie Meixelsperger DeClan Scisson Jay Luna Bryan Krahenbuhl	Kathy Alderman Joyce Paradis Marilyn Daly Larry VanDusen Lonnie VanDusen Gene Kolb Alisha Weis Taetyn Disney Pat Eckert Betty Tourdot Diane Quinn Rita Moore George Stettler David McGraw Bob Krieter Rosemarie and Charlie Sigg
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## Confession schedule

Friday	8:30-9:00 AM	Hollandale
Saturday	8:15-8:45 AM	Ridgeway (1 <sup>st</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 5 <sup>th</sup> Saturdays) Barneveld (2 <sup>nd</sup> , 4 <sup>th</sup> Saturdays)
	8:30-9:00 AM	Hollandale (1 <sup>st</sup> Saturday)
	3:15-3:45 PM	Blanchardville
	4:00-4:30 PM	Mt. Horeb
Sunday	10:00-10:15 AM	Hollandale

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### Bulletin Announcements

Due by Tuesday evening.  
Send to: [stisidorebulletin@mhtc.net](mailto:stisidorebulletin@mhtc.net)



*"The kingdom of heaven is a treasure in the field, which a person finds and hides again, and out of joy goes and sells all he has to buy that field."  
— Matthew 13*

*Welcome!*

*If you are new to our parish or just traveling through, welcome!*

<https://www.stisidorecatholicparish.com/>

**YouTube Channel: St. Isidore Catholic Parish – Hollandale, WI**



## From the Pastor's Desk

"The kingdom of heaven is a treasure in the field, which a person finds and hides again, and out of joy goes and sells all he has to buy that field." This is taken from Matthew's gospel for this Sunday. It is a very powerful image of how far someone will go to obtain something important. Has there ever been a time in your life where you experienced that feeling? I remember saving up money as a boy to buy a game. It would take time, but I would be very focused on obtaining that video game. The game was important to me.

It is too bad that I focused on the game. I could have spent more energy and time on Jesus instead. He is, of course, the treasure buried in the field. He is worth more than anything. Jesus loved us so much that He died for our sins on the cross. He rose again from the dead so that we could be with Him for all eternity. The Lord helps us on our pilgrimage of faith by the sacraments, especially the Eucharist.

Why are we going through "Into the Deep"? Somehow, much of the culture has placed more value on other things than Jesus. He has become one of many, rather than being the number one treasure of our lives. It must be working, because parishes are no longer full as they used to be for Mass. This process is to help remind us of our mission, a mission we must all embrace, which is to bring people to Christ. He is the treasure, and the mission of our parish is to remind the world that Jesus is the treasure. He is the pearl of great price. Without that mission, the Church does not have a purpose. Without purpose, we suffer. The true purpose of our life is Jesus himself. May we always keep our eyes fixed on Him.

Have a blessed week!

### Announcements:

**We need your help!** Calvary Cemetery in Blanchardville is being assessed \$7,000 for curb and gutter. Envelopes can be found in the back of Church. Checks can be made out to "St. Isidore Parish" and placed in the proper envelope. Thank you for your generosity.

**Welcome visitors to our parish, especially those from other parishes of our pastorate.**

**At this time, we are not yet able to process envelopes from other parishes in our pastorate.**

**Please continue to make your contributions payable to your parish of registration, be it**

**St. Isidore, St. Bernadette or St. Michael the Archangel.**

**Thank you for your cooperation.**

Catholic schools play a critical role in passing on the faith and forming future generations that will keep our parishes as vibrant communities of faith, worship and service. Please take a few moments to check the August 10<sup>th</sup> edition of the Catholic Herald for an opportunity to show your support, or go to [www.madisondiocese.org/catholicschools](http://www.madisondiocese.org/catholicschools) to give online.

### Readings for next Sunday

Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14

2 Peter 1:16-19

Matthew 17:1-9



### Reconciliation is available:

Immaculate Conception,  
Blanchardville  
Saturdays: 3:15-3:45

St. Patrick, Hollandale

Fridays: 8:30-9:00 am

1<sup>st</sup> Saturday after Mass

Sundays: 10:00-10:15

Also available anytime upon request

Just call 608-967-2344

Email: [stisidorepastor@mhtc.net](mailto:stisidorepastor@mhtc.net)

**Getting Married:** Please contact  
6 months before the date.

**New baby:** Please call to schedule  
the baptism.

**In case of serious illness or  
imminent death:**

Call Fr. Prabhakar any time.

**First Friday Communion:** For  
Communion to the homebound,  
please contact Fr. Prabhakar.

**Parish Membership:**

To join St. Isidore Parish, please  
contact Fr. Rob Butz.

### Masses for the Week

**Monday, July 31<sup>st</sup>**

*Saint Ignatius of Loyola, Priest*

No Mass

**Tuesday, August 1<sup>st</sup>**

*Saint Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop  
and Doctor of the Church*

No Mass

**Wednesday, August 2<sup>nd</sup>**

8:00 am – Blanchardville

+ David Scott

**Thursday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>**

8:00 am – Hollandale

+ Tom Murphy

**Friday, August 4<sup>th</sup>**

*Saint John Vianney, Priest*

8:00 am – Hollandale

In Honor of the Sacred Heart  
Thanksgiving

**Saturday, August 5<sup>th</sup>**

8:00 am – Hollandale

+ Tom Murphy

4:00 pm – Blanchardville

Poor Souls

**Sunday, August 6<sup>th</sup>**

*The Transfiguration of the Lord*

10:30 am – Hollandale

+ Tom Murphy

### Liturgical Roles

**Saturday, August 5<sup>th</sup>**

Immaculate Conception

Lector: Lisa Sikora

Eucharistic: Pat Hardyman

**Sunday, August 6<sup>th</sup>**

St. Patrick

Lector: Patricia Sigg

Eucharistic: Jim Sigg

### Madison Diocesan Eucharistic Congress

#### Everyone is invited!

The Madison Diocese will celebrate its first Eucharistic Congress on Sept. 29-Oct.1, 2023, at St. John the Baptist, Waunakee. **Everyone** is invited to this three-day event. Open your hearts to conversion, transformation, and to becoming witnesses for Jesus' Eucharistic love! The following information will help you plan for your participation and to build your anticipation.

### Financial Outlook

	Week Ended 7/23/23
Actual Parish Envelope & Offertory Collection	\$2,160.00
Immaculate Conception Cemetery	\$100.00
Collections – Fiscal Year to Date	\$8,494.68
Amount Needed – Fiscal Year to Date	\$11,600.00
Immaculate Conception Cemetery - Total	\$5,200.00
St. Joseph Cemetery – Total	\$3,595.00