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## **Seminarians admitted to candidacy, receive the ministry of acolyte**

Kyle Metzger was admitted into candidacy for the priesthood on Aug. 12 and Sean Mulligan and Troy Simonsen received the ministry of acolyte on Aug. 13 at St. Leo's Catholic Church in Casselton.

Bishop Samuel Aquila officiated at the liturgies.

Metzger is a first year theology student at Mount St. Mary's Seminary in Emmitsburg, Md. Mulligan and Simonsen are third year theology students at St. John Vianney Seminary in Denver.