

**THE CHURCH OF ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA**  
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**GIVE ELECTRONICALLY!** [WWW.STANTHONYHOTSPRINGS.ORG/GIVE](http://WWW.STANTHONYHOTSPRINGS.ORG/GIVE)  
 Create a profile with an e-mail address and a password, set-up a way to give, and begin giving electronically (e.g., e-tithing). So far, we have **27 registered families** and are **processing \$949.56/week over 35 weeks so far in FY21**. Interested? Contact Joan at the parish church office.

**FINANCIAL SUPPORT: through February 28, 2021**

General Collection	\$ 1,411.66	Major Capital Fund	\$ 80.00
- via e-giving	\$ 328.66	Votive candles	\$ 38.00
Children's Coll.	\$ 0.00	Adopt-A-Seminarian	\$ 39.00
<b>Special Collections:</b>		Flowers (Easter)	\$ 40.00
Black & Indian Miss.	\$ 15.00	GFund Misc. Income	\$ 510.00
		MCFund Misc. Inc.	\$ 150.00
<b>General Fund Income, Actual (to date)</b>		<b>: \$152,199.54</b>	
<b>General Fund Income, Budgeted (to date)</b>		<b>: \$121,461.20</b>	
<b>Difference of YtD Actual against Budgeted (+/-)</b>		<b>: + \$ 30,738.34</b>	
<i>Note: Avg. \$3,470.32/week needed for FY21 budgeted income.</i>			
<b>Major Capital Fund (to date)</b>		<b>\$ 36,390.47</b>	

**WEEKLY CALENDAR & MASS INTENTIONS**  
**ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA, HOT SPRINGS**

Note: *all social/formational activities and events at parish facilities are at the discretion of the pastor at this time.*

**Third Week of Lent (Fr. Gerlach in Custer)**

- 3/ 8 Mon.** 7:00A Most Holy Rosary & LHs: Morning Prayer (MP)
- 3/ 9 Tues.** 3- 5P Eucharistic Adoration *concluding with* LHs: Evening Prayer (EP) and Eucharistic Benediction
- 3/10 Wed.** 3- 5P Eucharistic Adoration *concluding with* Most Holy Rosary, LHs: EP, and Eucharistic Benediction
- 3/11 Thurs.** 7:00A LHs: Office of Readings & MP
- 3/12 Fri.** 7:00A Mass (live-streamed only)  
 8:00A Holy Communion outside Mass  
**5:30P Stations** (no meal following)
- 3/13 Sat.** 7:30A Eucharistic Adoration (1hr) with LHs: MP

**Fourth Sun. of Lent (Laetare – "Rejoice" – Sun.)**

*Note: DSTime begins; "spring forward" one hour!*  
**3/14 Sun.** 10:30A \* Sun. Mass  
 (Int.: Leo Hagenson †)

Note: \* indicates that incense will be burned.

**LILIES FOR EASTER TIME:** If you would like to remember a deceased family member or friend during Easter Time, please place a donation of \$20/lily along with their name and yours in an envelope marked "Lilies" and place it in the collection **no later than Fri., March 26.**

**YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH:** Please find more information on this recently-announced "Year" by Pope Francis on our parish's site at [WWW.CUSTERCATHOLIC.ORG](http://WWW.CUSTERCATHOLIC.ORG), under the heading:  
 ~ Year of St. Joseph ~

**In the charity of your prayers:** All those who care for those vulnerable to the COVID-19 disease (esp. Dr. Heather Preuss), Mary Helen Bruce †, Bobbie & Bill Christman, Beverly Kelley, Lois Linehan †, Pat O'Connor †, Charles Joseph Roe, Cecile Tays †, Leonard Vellek †, and all residents of Pine Hills RC, Seven Sisters LC, the SVH, and the VA campus in HS.

*Those on this list will be listed for 3 months at a time; they can be re-listed for an additional 3 months.*

**Spiritual Hospice Ministry:** Our mission is to pray for dying souls. To request prayers for the dying, call 605/209-0667 or visit [WWW.SPIRITUALHOSPICE.COM](http://WWW.SPIRITUALHOSPICE.COM).

"Remember the Rosary" ~ [WWW.REMEMBERTHEROSARY.COM](http://WWW.REMEMBERTHEROSARY.COM)  
 "Rosary Evangelization Apostolate" ~ [WWW.ROSARYEA.ORG](http://WWW.ROSARYEA.ORG)

**Thank You!** for refraining from parking on the street opposite the church building's main entrance on University Ave.

# Mask-required Masses celebrated Wed.s during March: 3, 17, 31.

**Options for Mass via TV and/or online** is available at [WWW.STANTHONYHOTSPRINGS.ORG](http://WWW.STANTHONYHOTSPRINGS.ORG) via the "Mass via TV/online" menu item, along with other resources for prayer.

**Health & Care Facilities in Hot Springs** continue to have Visitation Policies that restrict visitation to their residents due to proactive protocols... please be attentive to these policies before visiting any facilities. Thank you! ~ *Note:* This applies to the **FRHS hospital**, the **Seven Sisters LC**, the **Pine Hills RC**, the **SVH**, and the **VA campus**. **In need of a visit?** Contact the parish church office or Dn. Pearson.

**"Live-Streamed" Masses (now includes Sunday!)**  
[WWW.STANTHONYHOTSPRINGS.ORG](http://WWW.STANTHONYHOTSPRINGS.ORG); on right side

**Monthly Devotion (March): St. Joseph**

**CRS RICE BOWLS:** This Week: **SUSTAINABILITY IN EL SALVADOR** ~ Drought has become a big problem across El Salvador, making it difficult for farmers to produce enough crops to support their families. But new farming techniques – and a new generation of young farmers – are making a difference. What would you do if your livelihood was threatened? How can you support young people in your community and around the world?

Pray ~ Fast ~ Visit [WWW.CRSRICEBOWL.ORG](http://WWW.CRSRICEBOWL.ORG)  
 Remember, this Lent's CRS Rice Bowl donations will be given to the Custer Storehouse (unless you explicitly indicate to donate to CRS)!

**CATECHETICAL CORNER:** Two “In-A-Year” Series (and more!): Tidbits from the Catechism at [WWW.FLOCKNOTE.COM/CATECHISM](http://WWW.FLOCKNOTE.COM/CATECHISM); Tidbits about each Pope at [WWW.FLOCKNOTE.COM/POPE](http://WWW.FLOCKNOTE.COM/POPE). These tidbits are sent only on weekdays. And... it’s never too late to start!  
**Prayer + Study + Formation = a recipe for a Lively Faith!**

**STEWARDSHIP SPOT:** “You shall not covet” is perhaps a difficult commandment to keep in our consumer-oriented society. But as Christian stewards, we know that we are the recipients and caretakers of God’s many gifts. May this understanding that all is gift help us be less resentful of the gifts of others.

**The Catholic Daughters** are having two raffles in advance of their 2021 virtual state convention in April. (1) **Groceries for a Year: \$100/month for a year.** The CDAs will contact your grocery store and work out the details. Tickets are \$1/each or \$10/12. We are also offering three \$100 cash prizes. Also, (2) a Kimball CDAs member received First Place in the Art division in the CDAs National Contest. She has offered this framed piece for the raffle: **“Peace Be with You” featuring Mother Teresa.** All raffle tickets will be available before Mass for the next month or you can get your tickets from a CDAs member. For more info, please contact Deb DeFries at 605/999-4483.

### ~ Limited Public Masses ~

Please see the notes below for instructions when attending these limited public Masses (on any day of the week):

#### General Notes (for “Limited Public Masses”, i.e., “these Masses”):

- Catholics (in the Diocese of Rapid City) remain dispensed from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass
  - However, Catholics are encouraged to attend these Masses throughout the week, if/when possible

#### Guidelines for attending these Masses with a limited number of people:

- If you have face mask, you are encouraged (but not required) to wear it
  - If you don’t have one, some will be available
- Please wash your hands before leaving home
  - Sanitizer will also be available at the church building
- Upon entering the church building, maintain six (6) feet of distance between yourself/your household and others
- Please be seated in designated pews and maintain proper distancing

#### Adjustments to these Masses include:

- A collection basket will be located near the entrance to the worship space
- Communion will be distributed in a single-file line with proper distancing; other directions may be given
  - Receiving Communion in the hand is encouraged; if receiving on the tongue, please wait until all others receive

#### Other Notes:

- Please maintain six (6) feet of distance when socializing/visiting after Mass (and do so outside the worship space, please)
- Pews where people were seated during these Masses will be sanitized following Mass
- Please wash your hands when you return home

~ [WWW.CSSRAPIDCITY.COM](http://WWW.CSSRAPIDCITY.COM) ~

~ [SNBLACKHILLS.FORMED.ORG](http://SNBLACKHILLS.FORMED.ORG) ~

~ [WWW.REALPRESENCERADIO.COM](http://WWW.REALPRESENCERADIO.COM) ~

**RPR Job Opening:** in the Rapid City area, a part-time “Listener Relations Coordinator”; 15 hours/week, assisting the Advancement Team to build new and nurture existing relationships with RPR donors. Associate of Arts degree or higher preferred, not required. **Qualified candidate:** demonstrate excellent self-management and time management skills. Send a cover letter, your résumé, and references to Brittany at [BRITTANY@REALPRESENCERADIO.COM](mailto:BRITTANY@REALPRESENCERADIO.COM) or 877/795-0122.

## THE CHURCH OF ST. JAMES

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### WEEKLY CALENDAR & MASS INTENTIONS ST. JAMES, EDGEMONT

#### Third Week of Lent

3/12 Fri. 6:00P Stations

#### Fourth Sun. of Lent

(Laetare – “Rejoice” – Sun.)

*Note: DStime begins; “spring forward” one hour!*

3/14 Sun. 4:15P Penance/Reconciliation (30min)  
5:00P \* Sun. Mass

(Int.: Continued Conversion  
of Fr. Gerlach)

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**In the charity of your prayers:** Casey Shaffer, Lizzy Tidball, and all homebound parishioners.

**EDGEMONT FOOD BANK:** Donate non-perishable food items by bringing them to the church building (main entrance doors) and they will be eventually delivered to the Edgemont Food Bank. Thank you!

#### FROM THE OFFICES OF THE BISHOP

*Note: all social/formational activities and events at diocesan facilities are at the discretion of the bishop at this time.*

**Mo-Tu March 22-23 Pastoral Ministry Days 2021: “Family: Become Who You Are!”:** You are invited to attend Pastoral Ministry Days (PMDs), March 22-23 (Mon.-Tues.). Well-known speakers Linda & Chris Padgett, an engaging married couple, will speak about strengthening our marriages and families and hope to inspire a vision of the Christian family’s share in evangelization. Due to the pandemic, the format for PMDs will be different than previous years: 100 people can participate in person at the Terra Sancta Retreat Center, and others are invited to participate virtually at parish “satellite hubs” or from their own home. Get more information or register online at [WWW.PMD2021.COM](http://WWW.PMD2021.COM).

**NEW DRC VOCATIONS PRAYER:** Heavenly Father, we beg you for an increase in religious vocations and holy marriages in the Diocese of Rapid City. Look upon us with favor and choose from our homes those who are needed for your work. Send your Spirit to strengthen us and give us open hearts and minds ready to say “Yes” when you call. Help our parishes and families encourage vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and consecrated life. We commend our prayers to our Patroness, Our Lady of Perpetual Help. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**An Act of SPIRITUAL COMMUNION:** My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there, and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.