

**THE CHURCH OF ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA**  
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 HOT SPRINGS, S.D. [WWW.STANTHONYHOTSPRINGS.ORG](http://WWW.STANTHONYHOTSPRINGS.ORG)

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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 **29 registered families** and are **processing \$948.66/week over 41 weeks so far in FY21**. Interested? Contact Joan at the parish church office.

**FINANCIAL SUPPORT: through April 11, 2021**

|  |             |                         |          |
|--|-------------|-------------------------|----------|
| General Collection   | \$ 4,280.01 | Major Capital Fund      | \$ 75.00 |
| - via e-giving   | \$ 2,028.01 | Votive candles          | \$ 16.00 |
| Children's Coll.   | \$ 0.00     | Adopt-A-Seminarian      | \$ 33.00 |
| <b>Special Collections:</b>  |             |                         |          |
| CRS RBowls (int. 'l)   | \$ 100.00   | CRS RBowls (local)      | \$ 96.36 |
| PGFri. / Holy Land   | \$ 6.00     | Easter Sunday           | \$ 5.00  |
| DRC Priest Ret.  | \$ 20.00    |                         |          |
| <b>General Fund Income, Actual (to date)</b>                       |             | <b>: \$171,069.45</b>   |          |
| <b>General Fund Income, Budgeted (to date)</b>                     |             | <b>: \$142,283.12</b>   |          |
| <b>Difference of YtD Actual against Budgeted (+/-)</b>             |             | <b>: + \$ 28,786.33</b> |          |
| <i>Note: Avg. \$3,470.32/week needed for FY21 budgeted income.</i> |             |                         |          |
| <b>Major Capital Fund (to date)</b>                                |             | <b>\$ 36,737.97</b>     |          |

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

**Third Week of Easter** (Fr. Gerlach in Hot Springs)

- 4/19 Mon.** 7:00A Mass (Int.: Helaine Theisen)  
 5:00P Penance/Reconciliation (1hr)
- 4/20 Tues.** 3- 5P Eucharistic Adoration (w/ P/R)  
 5:30P Mass (Int.: Paul Wittenberg †)
- 4/21 Wed.** 9:00A CCC with Dn. Craig  
 3- 5P Eucharistic Adoration (w/ P/R)  
 5:30P Mass (Int.: Helaine Theisen) #  
 (# masks required)
- 4/22 Thurs.** 7:00A Mass (Int.: Leonard Vellek †)  
 5:00P Penance/Reconciliation (1hr)
- 4/23 Fri.** 7:00A Mass (live-streamed only)
- 4/24 Sat.** 7:30A Mass (Int.: Leo Hagenson †)  
 11:30A Penance/Reconciliation (1hr)

**Fourth Sun. of Easter**

- 4/25 Sun.** 10:30A \* Sun. Mass  
 (Int.: Sonia Clem)

*Note: \* indicates that incense will be burned.*

**Community-wide Blood Drive:** Thurs., April 29, 11A-5P, Mueller Center.

**Birthday Open House for Pat Hupp,** who is celebrating her 80th birthday. Open House: **Sat., May 1, 1:30-3:30P**, Parish Church Hall.



**Liturgical Minister Schedule**  
[WWW.STANTHONYHOTSPRINGS.ORG](http://WWW.STANTHONYHOTSPRINGS.ORG)  
 /LITURGICAL-MINISTER-SCHEDULE

**IN THE CHARITY OF YOUR PRAYERS:** All those who care for those vulnerable to the COVID-19 disease (esp. Dr. Heather Preuss), Rickie Bonnette, Anna Dempsey †, Violet Inman, Lois Linehan †, Pat O'Connor †, Wayne Pauli, Abigail Rowan, Cecile Tays †, 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 April: 21.

**Sunday (and Holy Day) Obligation Reinstated:** Please visit our parish site for multiple statements from Bp. Peter Muhich.

**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 (April): The Holy Spirit**

**Proclaiming the Good News with musical voices:** All musicians, of any age, please join us **Sun., April 18, after Mass** for a brief meeting. Looking for names, contact info, musical talent you are willing to share, and scheduling for Sunday Masses in the future. If you have questions, or cannot make the meeting and would like more info, please contact Amy Spears at [ALKSPEARS@YAHOO.COM](mailto:ALKSPEARS@YAHOO.COM).

**YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH:** Please visit our parish's site at [WWW.STANTHONYHOTSPRINGS.ORG](http://WWW.STANTHONYHOTSPRINGS.ORG) for more information.

**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/POPES](http://WWW.FLOCKNOTE.COM/POPES). 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:** The disciples in today’s Gospel came to know Jesus in the breaking of the bread. When we share what we have with those who are in need, we, too, will discover Jesus in our midst.

**CDAs Spring Rummage Sale (May 13-15):** at the Mueller Center. Some details are still in flux since this is a new location for us this year, and due to a less amount of time for set up we would love some help from parishioners. **Drop-off date: Thurs., May 13, 8A-5P**, at the garage door on the south side of the building. We will not take TVs, computers, encyclopedias, mattresses, or shoes; furniture needs to be in good, usable condition. **Sale days: Fri. and Sat., May 14 and 15;** posters will be available soon with the actual hours of the sale days.

### ~ 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) are obliged to attend Sunday Mass

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

- If you have face mask, you are encouraged 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.REALPRESENCE RADIO.COM](http://WWW.REALPRESENCE RADIO.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@REALPRESENCE RADIO.COM](mailto:BRITTANY@REALPRESENCE RADIO.COM) or 877/795-0122.

**CRS RICE BOWLS: THANK YOU!** ~ Our community changed lives this Lent, and CRS Rice Bowl wants to say THANK YOU! **You can still submit your CRS Rice Bowl donation: at the Parish Church Office during open hours (see above) or in the collection basket. So far, we have received \$1,026.74 for the HS Food Pantry. Thank you!**

Also, donate online! ~ Visit [WWW.CRSRICEBOWL.ORG/GIVE](http://WWW.CRSRICEBOWL.ORG/GIVE)

**THE CHURCH OF ST. JAMES**  
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## WEEKLY CALENDAR & MASS INTENTIONS St. JAMES, EDGEMONT

### Fourth Sun. of Easter

**4/25 Sun.** 4:15P Penance/Reconciliation (30min)  
5:00P \* Sun. Mass  
(Int.: Witnessing to the Eucharistic Celebration)

*Note: \* indicates that incense will be burned.*

**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

**Human Trafficking:** Sexual exploitation of children has flourished during the viral pandemic, as online classes have opened the door wide to predators and their grooming tactics.

**U.S. Catholic Sisters Against Human Trafficking**

[WWW.SISTERSAGAINSTTRAFFICKING.ORG](http://WWW.SISTERSAGAINSTTRAFFICKING.ORG)  
2039 N. Geyer Rd., St. Louis MO 63131

**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.

**Christian Life & Witness Courses: Deepen your faith in Jesus Christ and discover practical ways to live a life that points other people to Him.** Whether you’ve shared your faith many times or you’re new to witnessing, this course will encourage you to confidently share the good news of Christ with friends, family, and co-workers. Three easy two-hour sessions will equip you with Biblical truths and practical insights; attend one session per week for three weeks: Weeks (1): How to Live an Effective Christian Life; (2): How to be Prepared to Engage Those Far From God; (3): How to Identify the Needs of a New Believer. Invite others to join you for these free courses, hosted in Hot Springs by United at 342 N. Garden St. during the month of **April on Tues. evenings (13th, 20th, 27th), 6:30-8:30P.**