

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

**First Week of Advent**

(Father Collins Igwilo in Custer)

**12/04 Mon.** 7:00A Holy Communion outside Mass  
10:00A Rosary Cenacle

**12/05 Tues.** 7:00A Most Holy Rosary & LHs: MP

**12/06 Wed.** 7:00A LHs: Office of Readings & MP  
4:00P Youth Program (Pre-K – 4)  
5:30P Youth Group (5-12) meet for  
Pizza at Seven Sisters followed by~  
6:15P Party and Singing for all ages!!  
6:30P Open Hearts with Deacon Craig

**12/07 Thurs.** 7:00A Most Holy Rosary & LHs: MP

**12/08 Fri.** 7:00A LHs: Office of Readings & MP  
6:00P MASS- HDO~ *Immaculate  
Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

**12/09 Sat.** 7:30A LHs: MP followed by  
Eucharistic  
Adoration(1hr)

**Second Sunday of Advent**

**12/10 Sun.** 10:30A Mass (Int.: Donna Cornay†)  
~Reception for Paul Mitchell after Mass~



Be sure to check out the new St. Anthony of  
Padua Catholic Church Facebook page!

**St Anthony Parish LIBRARY**

Looking for something to help you in your prayer life or  
explore your faith deeper. Maybe just looking for a good read.  
How about the lives of the Saints? Explore our LIBRARY ~ we  
are blessed with a vast variety of Religious and Spiritual  
books, tapes, CDs, DVDs and even some VHS and cassette  
tapes. There is something for everyone  
Check it out! If you have any books or things you would like  
to donate to the library, just drop them by the office.

**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

**Weekly Collection 11-25 – 12/01, 2023 TOTAL=\$6,661.99**

(Online giving of \$551.47 is included in total above)

General Collection	\$ 2,338.52	Major Capital Fund	\$ 4,062.47
Adopt-A-Seminarian	\$ 85.00	Major Mercy Fund	\$ 3.00
Sp Coll-Human Dev	\$ 45.00	Votive Candles	\$ 18.00
Sp Coll-Cath Univ	\$ 100.00	Flowers	\$ 10.00

{Note: Avg. \$4,289/week needed for FY24 budgeted income.}

**Year to Date Totals – July 1 – November 24, 2023**

<b><u>FUND</u></b>	<b><u>INCOME</u></b>	<b><u>EXPENSE</u></b>
General Fund	\$ 77,183.40	\$ 70,363.64
Major Capital Fund	\$ 125,900.11	\$ 123,044.07
(large portion of the Capital income/expense is from roof repair)		
Major Mercy Fund	\$ 2,051.91	\$ 1,852.09
(includes summer meals)		
Adopt-A-Seminarian	\$ 1,776.40	---
(Annual Parish goal for Adopt-A-Seminarian is \$2700)		

**Pray ~ Pray ~ Pray**

**December devotion is Immaculate Conception:** Holy  
Day of Obligation is Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup>. There will be  
Mass at St Anthony at 6:00pm.

"O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have  
recourse to thee."

**Never underestimate the power of prayer!!**

If you or someone you know is in need of prayers, please  
submit their name to the office and we will list them in the  
bulletin for 3 months. They can be relisted for an additional  
3 months if requested.

**For the personal intentions of:** Gail Bisser, Pam Delk &  
family, Diane Gross, Dcn. Jim Hayes, Shirley Hill, , Bishop  
Peter Muhich, David Preuhs, Marion Revell, Lee Roberts &  
family, Brenna Schmit, Shirley Sieg, Helaine Theisen, Fr.  
Andrzej Wyrostek, and all residents of Pine Hills RC, Seven  
Sisters LC, the State Vets Home, and the VA campus in HS.

**For the Repose of the Souls of:** Lee Beem†, Rob Delk†,  
Lawrence Larson†, Larry Roberts†, Robert Wilson†.

**DID YOU KNOW WE HAVE A HOMEBOUND MINISTRY??**

If you know of anyone who is homebound and would like to  
have someone bring them the Holy Eucharist, please let  
Deacon Craig know and he can assign a Eucharistic Minister  
to them.

**FREE Books and Calendars!** On the table in the Gathering  
Space you will find 3 FREE items for you to take home! **The  
Magnificat Advent Companion** (generous donation from an  
anonymous Parishioner), **The Rocking Chair Prophet ~ a  
book by Matthew Kelly** (generous donation from an  
anonymous Parishioner), and a **2024 Calendar** ~ donated by  
McColley Funeral Home. **THANK YOU!!** to all those who  
have made these gifts possible!

### Advent Wreath Prayers:



#### Prayer for lighting the first Candle

**~ HOPE:** Loving God, as we light the first Advent candle of hope, we ask for your presence to fill our hearts and homes. May the hope of Christ's coming bring light to our darkness and renew our spirits. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

**Prayer for lighting the second Candle ~ PEACE:** God of peace, as we light the second Advent candle of peace, may your peace fill our hearts and our world. Help us to be peacemakers in our relationships and communities. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

### UPCOMING EVENTS – MARK YOUR CALENDARS

#### St Anthony Parish Monthly Social events after Mass:

1st Sunday = Parish Pot Luck – bring a dish to share  
3rd Sunday = Coffee & Rolls – sponsored by Catholic Daughters of America

**Sunday, December 10<sup>th</sup>** Paul Mitchell will be receiving the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Eucharist. Please join us in welcoming Paul into our Catholic Family. A light lunch will be served in the hall following Mass.

#### 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Hot Springs Cares Campaign November 1 –

**December 31, 2023:** The Hot Springs Ministerial Association supports people in need through the Food Pantry, as well as through our Needy Fund that assists with emergency housing, utilities, transportation and other basic needs. Our goal this year is to raise \$23,000. Please send your tax-deductible gift to: HSMA, PO Box 73, Hot Springs, SD 57747 or donate by credit card at: [www.hsministerial.org](http://www.hsministerial.org)

**HELP for the McIntosh Family:** Bart & Penny McIntosh lost their home to a fire on Thursday. They have lost nearly everything. If you would like to help out:

1. Peggy Cone is coordinating food and meal donations – contact her at 970-631-6255.
2. Mary Nelson is coordinating a clothing drive – contact her for sizes and needs at 918-978-3631 or drop off clothing at the church and we can sort it out.
3. Financial support is always welcome. Contact the office for more information.
4. PRAY ~ PRAY ~ PRAY

### THE CHURCH OF ST. JAMES

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### **WEEKLY CALENDAR & MASS INTENTIONS** **ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE, EDMONT**

#### Second Sunday of Advent

12/10 Sun. 1:15P Penance/Reconciliation (30 min)  
2:00P **Mass** (Int: Marie Martinson)

**Potluck Sunday:** Join us at St James every **third Sunday** for potluck dinner immediately following Mass. Bring a dish to share and your appetite, everyone is welcome!

**In the charity of your prayers:** Margo Anderson, Lcpl Braden Grill, and Georgia Trundle.

**Edgemont Food Bank:** Donate non-perishable food items by bringing them to the church building (main entrance doors). Thank you!

**Feeding S.D.** is distributing food/produce **in Hot Springs at the Butler Park parking lot** on **Wed., Dec13th, 11a-12noon**, and **in Edgemont at the Hillcrest Apts.** on **Wed., Dec 20<sup>th</sup>, 10:30-11:30a**. Contact Feeding SD (605/348-2689) for more information. Please contact Kay B. (605/891-5030) if you would like to volunteer or have any questions.



NATIONAL  
**Eucharistic  
Revival**

Eucharistic Revival NEWS

Visit [www.EucharisticRevival.org](http://www.EucharisticRevival.org) for more information

**Eucharistic Gems~** In the Eucharist he has made himself our support and company on our pilgrim way..

~ St Ignatius Loyola

*Because thou are infinitely worth of being loved, I love thee,  
my God!*

**FORMED:** Our cluster of parishes has a subscription to FORMED, which is loaded with Catholic content that you can view simply by going to [www.snblackhills.formed.org](http://www.snblackhills.formed.org), finding St. Anthony of Padua, Hot Springs, SD as your parish, and then sign in with your name and email address. FORMED is free to use as the parish pays for your subscription.

**Stewardship Spot:** We are the servants of God, each with his or her own task. We will be judged good stewards if, at His coming, He finds us ready and conscientiously pursuing the tasks to which we have been called.