

THE CHURCH OF ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA
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Pastoral Ministry: If you are interested in becoming Catholic, have a loved one who is sick or homebound, want more information about Faith Formation or Sacramental Prep or are contemplating Holy Matrimony, please contact the parish church office at 745-3393.

In the charity of your prayers: Mary Breyer, Mary Helen Bruce, Roger Burkinshaw, Carol Collette, Kathie Collins, Theresa Bustos-Crum, Dorothy Doerner, Harold Green, Bill Livingston, Tom M., Liz & Henry Marquard, Kathy Meyer, Joanne Panka, Julie Pekron, Frank Rasmussen, Nyla Roberts, David Rooks, Peter Schmidt, Tom Sedlacek, Betty & Donald Tye, Darrell Wilcox, and Paul Wittenberg.

Spiritual Hospice Ministry: Our mission is to pray for dying souls.
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WWW.SPIRITUALHOSPICE.COM.

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FINANCIAL SUPPORT: through Mar. 3, 2019

Regular Collection	\$ 2,669.56	Votive Candles	\$ 32.00
Youth Collection	\$ 18.00	Seminarians	\$ 8.00
<u>Special Collections:</u>			
Easter Flowers	\$ 30.00	New Vestments	\$ 5.00
		St. Patrick’s Dinner	\$ 20.00

General Donations Collected (to date) : \$130,022.52
General Budgeted Income (to date) : \$138,784.32
Difference (+/-) : - \$ 8,761.80

Note: Avg. \$3,855.12/week needed for FY19 budgeted income.

Facility Improvement Fund (to date) \$ 7,884.51

Living the Mission – A Legacy of Faith, a Legacy of Giving
 SAP Parish Stat Corner WWW.LIVINGTHEMISSIONSD.COM

Parish Goal	\$305,000.00	Goal Reached?	Onward! at 44.8%
Pledges (No/Amt)	54/\$136,617.20	Parish Share (at 100%)	\$61,000.00
Pledge Gift Avg.	\$ 2,529.95	- Thank you for your generosity!	

GROCERY RAFFLE: The Catholic Daughters are having a grocery raffle for the state convention this year. Prizes are \$100 a month for the next 12 months to be used at your local grocery store, as well as three (3) \$100 cash winners. Tickets are one/\$1, or 12/\$10. Drawing will be held at the state convention on April 6. Tickets are available from any Catholic Daughter.

HOT SPRINGS FOOD PANTRY NEEDS: dry beans, rice, and soup noodles (wide egg noodles). Those donations, and any other food donations, can be placed in the blue bin marked “Food Pantry” located in the entryway of the church building. Monetary donations are always welcome. Thank you!

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

First Week of Lent

(Fr. Gerlach in Hot Springs)

3/11 Mon.	7:00A 5:00P 6:15P	<u>Mass</u> (Int.: Doug York †) Penance/Reconciliation (1hr) Parish Pastoral Council Mtg.
3/12 Tues.	7:30A 5:30P	Penance/Reconciliation (1hr) <u>Mass</u> (Int.: Sanctity of Life)
3/13 Wed.	7:30A 12:00P 5:30P 6:30P	Penance/Reconciliation (1hr) HSMA Lenten Luncheon @ United Churches (Fr. Gerlach presenting) <u>Mass</u> (Int.: Larry Clem †) “FinD” Night: A Family of Faith (for Parents & Children)
3/14 Thurs.	10:00A 10:00A 2:00P 6:30P	Holy Communion <i>outside</i> Mass @ SVH <u>Mass</u> (Int.: Joe Bogner †) @ SSLC <i>Forgiven</i> Series Session @ Brookside Apts. MERCY! (Communal Penance)
3/15 Fri.	7:00A 6:00P	Holy Communion <i>outside</i> Mass The Stations of the Cross <i>followed by</i> a simple meal
3/16 Sat.	7:30A 8:30A 11:30A	<u>Mass</u> (Int.: Sanctity of Life) <i>followed by</i> Euch. Adoration St. Joseph’s Group Breakfast Penance/Reconciliation (1hr)

Second Sun. of Lent

3/17 Sun.	9:00A 10:00A 10:30A * 11:30A	<i>Forgiven</i> Series Session Rosary <u>Mass</u> (Int.: Grayson Novotny) St. Patrick’s Day Dinner
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~ PRAY ~ FAST ~ GIVE ALMS ~

CRS Rice Bowl is here, and our parish church is participating!
ENCOUNTER NORMA – In Guatemala, we encounter Norma, who as a young mother supports her family and shares her skills with her community. Reflect on the importance of family in your life. How can you contribute to support families in your community? Visit WWW.CRSRICEBOWL.ORG for more or download the CRS Rice Bowl app!

The Lenten study series *Forgiven: The Transforming Power of Confession*, has begun. These series are being held at **St. Anthony’s on Sundays beginning at 9A**. There is also series at **the Brookside Apts. on Thursdays beginning at 2P**. Each session will last approx. one hour. Even if you didn’t sign-up for a session, you are welcome to attend either session. The series will run once a week for five weeks.

HSMA LENTEN LUNCHEONS: Everyone is encouraged to attend the weekly Hot Springs Ministerial Association Lenten Luncheons each Wed. beginning at NOON at the United Churches. The luncheons will be held every Wed. through April 10.

FAITH ON THE ROAD: St. Anthony’s Church, **Wed., March 20, 6-8P**. Meal, Catechesis, Eucharistic Adoration. Open to all parishioners.

LILIES FOR EASTER: If you would like to remember a deceased family member or friend during Easter Time, please place a **donation of \$15/lily** along with their name and yours in an envelope marked “Lilies” and place it in the collection by **Sun., April 7**.

CATECHETICAL CORNER: Two “In-A-Year” Series: Tidbits from the Catechism each weekday at WWW.FLOCKNOTE.COM/CATECHISM; Tidbits about each Pope each weekday at WWW.FLOCKNOTE.COM/POPE. It’s never too late to start!
Prayer + Study + Formation = a recipe for a *Lively Faith!*

STEWARDSHIP SPOT: Today’s first reading describes the offering of first fruits the people of Israel were to present to the Lord in thanksgiving for their deliverance from Egypt and the gift of the promised land. Is my offering at today’s Mass an appropriate response to the many blessings the Lord has given me?

DAY OF PRAYER FOR PARISH CHURCHES, offered by the Cathedral of Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Beginning in March, each parish church in our diocesan church will be prayed for during Eucharistic Adoration at the Cathedral in Rapid City. **St. Anthony of Padua Parish Church will be prayed for on the 8th day of each month and St. James Parish Church on the 6th day.** In 2014, OLPH began perpetual Eucharistic Adoration; they wish to extend the blessings of this prayer to each parish church by praying for them. – Thank you, OLPH parish church!

The incorrupt heart of St. Jean Vianney is coming to our diocese! In preparation for the arrival of this beautiful relic, we are all invited to pray for our bishop and priests of the Diocese of Rapid City, through the intercession of St. Jean Vianney, patron of priests. The Cathedral has posted a **novena prayer that will begin on Thurs., March 14**, and continue for nine days, until the arrival of this relic **at St. John the Evangelist in Ft. Pierre on March 23**, after which the relic will travel to the **Cathedral on March 24**. You can download the novena prayers, or sign up to receive them daily via e-mail at WWW.CATHEDRALOLPH.ORG/VIANNEY.

FROM THE BISHOP & BISHOP’S OFFICES

Diocesan Podcasts: Panel discussions led by Bp. Robert Gruss on the Diocesan Core Values set out in “Through Him, With Him, and In Him” will be featured early this year. Visit WWW.RAPIDCITYDIOCESE.ORG and select the podcast icon or use the podcast app on your phone. Podcasts:

- Prayer : available Stewardship : available
Solidarity : available Mercy : available
Charity : March 13 Family : March 27

Su-Tu April 7-9 **Pastoral Ministry Days 2019:** To be held **April 7-9 (Sun. – Tues.) at Terra Sancta Retreat Center, Rapid City**. The Theme, “One Spirit – Priests and Laity Working Together to Form the Mystical Body of Christ”, is based on *1 Cor 12:12-13*. Keynote Speaker – **Rev. Charles Lachowitz**, Vicar General and Moderator of the Curia for the Archdiocese of St. Paul & Minneapolis. The conference officially begins on Mon. morning, April 8, and ends Tues. afternoon, April 9, but we’ll have a Holy Hour and hospitality on Sun. evening, April 7, for any who can join us, along with an opportunity for early check-in. The cost is \$80, but if you register before March 15, you can get an early bird rate of \$65. **Online registration and info can be found at WWW.PMD2019.COM**. We encourage everyone to register online, if possible, for purposes of accuracy of info, but if you are unable, **you can also register by calling the Retreat Center at 605/716-0925**. If you have questions, or would like more info, feel free to contact Dionne Eastmo (DEASTMO@DIORC.ORG) or Susan Safford (SSAFFORD@DIORC.ORG) at 605/716-5214. See you there!

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Prayer for an End to Infanticide: The U.S. Senate recently failed to pass the Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act – legislation that prohibits infanticide by ensuring that a child born alive following an attempted abortion would receive the same degree of care to preserve her or his life and health as would be given to any other child born alive at the same gestational age. South Dakota was well represented, as both Senators John Thune and Mike Rounds co-sponsored and voted for the bill. However, it fell seven votes short of passing. Please join us in prayer for an end to infanticide: ***Jesus, Lord of Life, transform the hearts of all elected leaders to recognize that infanticide is wrong and must not be tolerated. Open hearts and minds to recognize and defend the precious gift of every human life.***

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Parish Goal \$75,000.00 Goal Reached? *Yes! at 122.5%*
Pledges (No/Amt) 10/\$91,909.07 Parish Share * \$25,145.44
Pledge Gift Avg. \$ 9,190.91 * *received when pledges completed*

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Second Sun. of Lent

3/17 Sun. 4:15P Penance/Reconciliation (30min)
 4:30P Rosary
 5:00P * **Mass** (Int.: *Pro Populo*)

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Note: Mass will be celebrated on **Sat., March 23, 5P**, while Fr. Gerlach is on vacation. Fr. George Winzenburg, S.J., from Pine Ridge, will celebrate Mass that weekend.

In the charity of your prayers: Sarah Rose Adams, the Barker Family, Lee Gillespie, and Sue Shuttlers.

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THE EDGEMONT FOOD BANK NEEDS YOUR HELP with donations of non-perishable food items. Please bring your donations to the church building (main entrance doors) and they will be delivered to the Edgemont Food Bank from there.

THESE ARE **FORMED** PARISH CHURCHES
PARISH CHURCHES SITE
SNBLACKHILLS.FORMED.ORG

ASH WED. APPEAL: Bless you! CSS thanks you for your generosity during this year’s **Ash Wed. Appeal**. Your gift is an overwhelming statement that Christ’s compassion is present in our Diocese. Please continue to pray for the poor among us and for those suffering from addiction, family conflict and anxiety. Pray also for those who provide services to help strengthen families. Together, we are making a difference.

BLACK & INDIAN MISSION COLLECTION: Today, our parish will take up the 134th annual National Black & Indian Mission Collection. Our support of this collection helps build the Church in African American, Native American, and Alaska Nation communities from coast to coast, (including our diocese, which received an amount from this Collection last year). Schools, parish religious education programs, and diocesan ministries depend on your generosity to help them spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ! You can

help meet unmet needs with a generous contribution today. Thank you for your support.