

**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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**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](http://WWW.SPIRITUALHOSPICE.COM).

“Remember the Rosary” ~ [WWW.REMEMBERTHEROSARY.COM](http://WWW.REMEMBERTHEROSARY.COM)

**FINANCIAL SUPPORT: through March 10, 2019**

Regular Collection	\$ 4,513.00	Votive Candles	\$ 36.00
Youth Collection	\$ 17.04	Seminarians	\$68.00

<b><u>Special Collections:</u></b>	New Vestments	\$ 0.00
<i>B&amp;I Mission</i>	Easter Flowers	\$ 80.00

<b>General Donations Collected (to date)</b>	<b>: \$134,436.56</b>
<b>General Budgeted Income (to date)</b>	<b>: \$142,639.44</b>
<b>Difference (+/-)</b>	<b>: - \$ 8,202.88</b>

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

Facility Improvement Fund (to date)	\$ 8,201.51
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*Living the Mission – A Legacy of Faith, a Legacy of Giving*  
 SAP Parish Stat Corner [WWW.LIVINGTHEMISSIONSDP.COM](http://WWW.LIVINGTHEMISSIONSDP.COM)

Parish Goal	\$305,000.00	Goal Reached? <i>Half-way!</i> at 50.3%
Pledges (No/Amt)	57/\$153,344.20	Parish Share (at 100%) \$61,000.00
Pledge Gift Avg.	\$ 2,690.25	- 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**

**Second Week of Lent** (Fr. Gerlach on vacation through 3/29)

<b>3/18 Mon.</b>	7:00A	Rosary & Morning Prayer
<b>3/19 Tues.</b>	5:30P	LHs: Office of Readings & Evening Prayer
<b>3/20 Wed.</b>	9:00A	Church, Christ & Coffee with Deacon Craig
	12:00P	HSMA Lenten Luncheon @ United Churches (Dn. Craig presenting)
	5:30P	Rosary & Evening Prayer
	6:00P	“FinD” Night: Faith on the Road (for all parishioners)
<b>3/21 Thurs.</b>		<b><u>Parish Church Office Closed</u></b> (Joan gone for the day)
	7:00A	LHs: Office of Readings & Morning Prayer
	10:00A	Holy Communion <i>outside</i> Mass @ SVH
	2:00P	Forgiven Series Session @ Brookside Apts.
<b>3/22 Fri.</b>	7:00A	Holy Communion <i>outside</i> Mass
	6:00P	The Stations of the Cross followed by a simple meal
<b>3/23 Sat.</b>	7:30A	LHs: Office of Readings & Morning Prayer followed by Eucharistic Adoration
	8:30A	St. Joseph’s Group Breakfast

**Third Sun. of Lent** (with Fr. Mark McCormick)

<b>3/24 Sun.</b>	9:00A	Forgiven Series Session
	10:00A	Rosary
	10:30A	* <u>Mass</u> (Int.: Braxton Watson)
	11:30A	CDAs Meeting
	11:30A	Confirmation Prep Session

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

~ PRAY ~ FAST ~ GIVE ALMS ~

**CRS Rice Bowl** is here, and our parish church is participating!  
**ENCOUNTER ANNET** – In Uganda, we encounter Annet and her family, children forced to flee violence, searching for stability. How are we called to welcome the stranger in our midst? How can you support those worldwide who are forced to flee their homes to find safety or better opportunities? Visit [WWW.CRSRICEBOWL.ORG](http://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 at 9A**. There is also series **at the Brookside Apts. on Thursdays at 2P**. Each session will last approx. one hour. Even if you haven’t signed-up for a session, you are welcome to attend either day. 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](http://WWW.FLOCKNOTE.COM/CATECHISM); Tidbits about each Pope each weekday at [WWW.FLOCKNOTE.COM/POPES](http://WWW.FLOCKNOTE.COM/POPES). It's never too late to start!  
**Prayer + Study + Formation = a recipe for a *Lively Faith!***

**STEWARDSHIP SPOT:** Peter, James and John wanted to build a "booth" for Jesus and just stay on the mountain where His transfiguration took place. But the Son of God, the Chosen One, knew that He must instead keep moving toward His crucifixion. We, too, must rise from worship and do what we can to hasten the coming of the kingdom.

**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](http://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](http://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** : available      **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. **Online registration and info can be found at [WWW.PMD2019.COM](http://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](mailto:DEASTMO@DIORC.ORG)) or Susan Safford ([SSAFFORD@DIORC.ORG](mailto:SSAFFORD@DIORC.ORG)) at 605/716-5214. See you there!

### **From the USCCB Office of Pro-Life Activities**

#### **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 128.4%
Pledges (No/Amt)	12/\$96,318.07	Parish Share *	\$27,790.84
Pledge Gift Avg.	\$ 8,026.51	* received when pledges completed	

## **WEEKLY CALENDAR AND MASS INTENTIONS** **ST. JAMES, EDGEMONT**

**Third Sun. of Lent**      (with Fr. George Winzenburg, S.J.)

**3/23 Sat.**      4:15P      Penance/Reconciliation (30min)  
**Note the day!**      4:30P      Rosary  
**Sat., not Sun.!**      5:00P \* **Mass** (Int.: *Pro Populo*)

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

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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**

**BLACK & INDIAN MISSION COLLECTION:** Thank you to everyone who participated in the 134th annual Black & Indian Mission Collection last weekend. Your prayerful support enables people to come to know Jesus Christ in African American, Native American, and Alaska Native communities all over the U.S. Spreading the Gospel couldn't happen without your support!

**LISTENING ASSIST UNITS AVAILABLE:** Listening assist units are available for use during Mass on weekdays and Sundays. If you are interested in trying one of these units out, please see Steve Collins before or after Mass. These new units are digital and have a much better sound quality than the old analog units.

**2nd ANNUAL COUNTRY HOEDOWN UPDATE:** The 2nd Annual Country Hoedown has been cancelled for now. Plans are to have this fun event in Nov. of this year. Please watch future bulletins (when the time gets closer) for more info.

**PRAYER LISTS:** Please review both prayer lists in the bulletin to see if there is anyone you know who could be removed or if there is someone in need of prayer. We would like to update the lists. Contact Joan Roe in the Hot Springs office.