

THE CHURCH OF ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA
538 UNIVERSITY AVE ~ PO BOX 969
HOT SPRINGS, S.D. WWW.STANTHONYHOTSPRINGS.ORG

located in the entryway of the church building. Monetary donations are always welcome. Thank you!

Parish Pastoral Staff

Pastor: **Fr. Grant Gerlach** 605/745-3393
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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, Liz & Henry Marquard, Kathy Meyer, Joanne Panka, Julie Pekron, Frank Rasmussen, Nyla Roberts, David Rooks, Peter Schmidt, Tom Sedlacek, Darrell Wilcox, and Paul Wittenberg.

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.

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FINANCIAL SUPPORT: through Mar. 24, 2019

Regular Collection	\$ 5,918.10	Votive Candles	\$ 32.00
Youth Collection	\$ 6.00	Seminarians	\$13.00
<u>Special Collections:</u>		New Vestments	\$ 0.00
Easter Flowers	\$ 100.00		
General Donations Collected (to date)	: \$140,505.66		
General Budgeted Income (to date)	: \$150,349.68		
Difference (+/-)	: - \$ 9,844.02		

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

Facility Improvement Fund (to date) \$ 8,228.51

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Parish Goal	\$305,000.00	Goal Reached?	Onward! at 50.9%
Pledges (No/Amt)	58/\$155,344.20	Parish Share (at 100%)	\$61,000.00
Pledge Gift Avg.	\$ 2,678.34		- 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 through Apr. 2nd.

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”

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

Fourth Week of Lent (Fr. Gerlach in Custer)

4/ 1 Mon.	7:00A	Rosary & Morning Prayer
4/ 2 Tues.	5:30P	LHs: Office of Readings & Evening Prayer
4/ 3 Wed.	9:00A	Church, Christ & Coffee <i>with</i> Deacon Craig
	12:00P	HSMA Lenten Luncheon @ United Churches
	5:30P	Rosary & Evening Prayer
	6:00P	“FinD Night”: Life Teen & Edge
4/ 4 Thurs.	7:00A	LHs: Office of Readings & Morning Prayer
	10:00A	Holy Communion <i>outside</i> Mass @ SVH
	2:00P	<i>Forgiven</i> Series Session @ Brookside Apts.
4/ 5 Fri.	7:00A	Holy Communion <i>outside</i> Mass
	7:30A	* Eucharistic Exposition
	...	Eucharistic Adoration
	5:00P	* Eucharistic Benediction <i>preceded by</i> Evening Prayer
	6:00P	The Stations of the Cross <i>followed by</i> a simple meal
4/ 6 Sat.	7:30A	LHs: Office of Readings & Morning Prayer <i>followed by</i> Euch. Adoration
	8:30A	St. Joseph’s Group Breakfast

Fifth Sun. of Lent

4/ 7 Sun.	9:00A	<i>Forgiven</i> Series Session
	10:00A	Chaplet of Divine Mercy
	10:30A	* <u>Mass</u> (Int: Karina Watson)
	11:30A	Parish Potluck Luncheon
	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 KUMBA:** We encounter Kumba from Sierra Leone, who, through her education, is providing hope for her family and community. How has education given you opportunities in life? How do you use your education for the common good? 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.

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 **today, Sun., April 7.**

www.lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle and receive your "Community Circle" discount and your Preferred Appointment!

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/POPES. It's never too late to start!
Prayer + Study + Formation = a recipe for a *Lively Faith!*

STEWARDSHIP SPOT: The blind man in today's Gospel was willing to let Jesus minister to him and willingly did all Jesus asked of him. The Pharisees were more resistant to His message, spending their time and energy to disprove the miracle. Which am I more like, the man born blind or the Pharisees?

SALE **CDA SPRING RUMMAGE SALE:**
The Catholic Daughters Spring Rummage Sale will be **Fri., May 3, 8A-3P,** and **Sat., May 4, 8-11A** (\$2.00/bag). **Drop-off days: Wed., May 1, 10A-7P,** and **Thurs., May 2, 8A-2P.** **Please, no shoes, boots, encyclopedias, electronics, or televisions!** Both men and women are needed, so if you can help, please join us! **Coffee & Rolls and Sloppy Joe's** will be served on **Fri., May 3, during the sale.** To arrange for pick-up, please email Deb at dddefries@goldenwest.net or call (605) 999-4483 or the parish church office at 745-3393.

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!

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 : available **Family :** available

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.*

FORKS & SPOONS are no longer needed as the Catholic Daughters of the Americas have purchased what is needed. Thank you to those who were considering purchasing and donating them.

Life Line Screening, a leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings will be in our community on **Wed., Oct. 23, 2019** at St. Anthony of Padua. Ultrasound screenings to identify risk factors for Cardiovascular disease include: **Carotid Artery** (plaque buildup-a leading cause of stroke), **Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm** (an enlargement or weak area in the main blood vessel that carries blood from the heart to the rest of the body), **Peripheral Arterial Disease** (hardening of the arteries in the legs), a **Heart Rhythm Screening** (an EKG to detect Atrial Fibrillation-irregular heartbeat) and an **Osteoporosis Risk Assessment** for men and women. Being proactive about your health by knowing your risks helps you and your doctor address problems early. **Register online TODAY at**

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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	

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

Fifth Sun. of Lent

4/ 7 Sun. 4:15P Penance/Reconciliation (30min)
 4:30P Rosary
 5:00P * **Mass (Int.: Pro Populo)**

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In the charity of your prayers: Sarah Rose Adams, the Barker Family, Lee Gillespie, Tammy Hollenbeck & family, 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

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES COLLECTION: This week, we take up The Catholic Relief Services Collection to **help Jesus in disguise.** This collection helps six Catholic agencies provide relief and support to struggling communities and work for peace and reconciliation among our marginalized brothers and sisters here and around the world. Please prayerfully consider how you can support the collection. Learn more about this collection at www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.

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 are much better

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 in the Hot Springs office at 745-3393.