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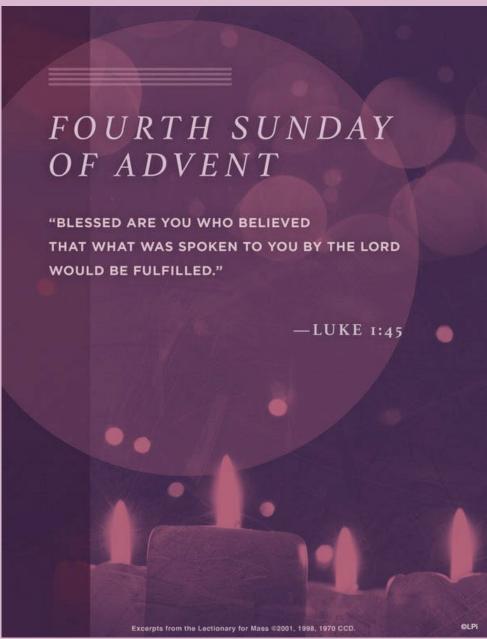
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Pastor

Rev. J. Joseph Holzhauser

Parochial Vicar *Rev. Brian Simon*

Deacon *Rev. Mr. Brad Palmer*



Fr. Joe's Jottings

Busy week with the final opportunity to receive absolution in the Sacrament of Reconciliation so that



we are truly prepared to celebrate the Solemnity of the Incarnation. So many people that have been helping and that will be helping to facilitate our liturgies this week but the most important would be what each of you bring as Lifelong Catholic Missionary Disciples with the deep commitment to this

beloved Catholic faith that you wish to share with the present and future generation. It is hoped that your family traditions for Christmas are truly embraced during these next few days. Also, that the focus includes the importance of the birth of the Christ child. May you and your family emphasize the church that this newborn child began some 2000 years ago.

Holy Rosary Pastorate is truly blessed with so many families that gather over the next few days. The priests and deacon have the privilege of serving with each of you the building up of the faith. Personally, I remember so many stories of being with the families of both of my parents. Underlying every year was the reality that we are blessed by God, the Father, who sent His Son to be conceived, born, lived, and died for our salvation. There was always attending Holy Mass as the high point of all the celebratory activities. Every year the Holy Spirit was present and giving everyone the anima of the reason for the season.

May every family maintain and develop

traditions that focus on the faith, hope and love of our Catholic life which focuses on the source and summit of life, namely the Eucharist. Jesus commissioned the disciples to minister the sacraments which are still alive today. Please celebrate the birth of the Son of God as family this week.



WEEKLY OFFERINGS Dec. 14-15	Sacred Heart	St. Anthony of Padua	St. Pius X	Ss. Peter & Paul
Parish Support	\$1,051	\$1,676	\$2,373	\$13,975
Online Support	_	_	_	\$2,221
Other	\$400	\$160	\$130	\$1,000
Loose Offerings	\$358	\$335	\$112	\$732

WELCOME! Thank you for joining us today!

Please register at your parish by sending an email or calling the Parish office. We look forward to growing with you in Faith!

Community Support Options:

Birthright of Pierre 605-224-6828 Mon, Tues, & Thurs. 2:00 - 4:30PM 314 South Henry Street

The Lourdes Center 800-700-7867

(formerly Catholic Family Services)

National Alliance for Mental Illness (NAMI) 800-950-6264

The Helpline Center (Suicide/Crisis Lifeline)
Call/text 988, or text 'TALK' to 741741

On the Lighter Side—4th Sunday of Advent





MASS MINISTERS Dec. 28-29

PLEASE FIND A SUB IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO SERVE AS SCHEDULED

St. Anthony-Hoven

Saturday 5:00PM

Greeters = Ed Hartung family

EM = Bob Keller L = Kurt Rausch

S = Ivan, Jack & Konrad Stuwe Mary's Helpers = Charlee & Mary Stuwe

St. Pius X-Onida

Sunday 8:30 AM

Sacristan = Teri Weischedel

Greeters = Jo Carter EM = Mike Owens L = Joe Stahl

S = Myli Weischedel, Isabelle Kallhoff

Sacred Heart-Gettysburg

Sunday 10:30 AM

Greeters/Offertory = Vic & Patty Beringer

Rosary = Judy Hellhake EM = Gerri Eide L = Jackie Hansen

S = Garrett & Gavin Rausch

Music = Lexie Vogel
Video = Jean Smith
Proj = Bev Thomas
Home Bound = Rose Schatz

SS Peter & Paul-Pierre

Saturday 5:00 PM

EM = Charles & Jane Turner

L = Lori Roberts
S = Breven Gutenkauf
U = John Nystrom

Sunday 8:30 AM

EM = Dawn Morris, Lynell Erickson

L = Barb Stangeland S = Ryler Elder U = Ric Severson

Sunday 10:30 AM

EM = Kelly Stout, Marc Ulmen

L = Jim Mehlhaff

S = Jackson Sleger, Hudson Holt

U = Mike Rounds

Thank you for assisting at our Masses!

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

(Gettysburg) Bridget Lake, Randy Kuennen, Milt Mitzel, Jeannie Nessen, Karen Briscoe, Carol Lipp, Mike Whiteis, Vicki Miller, Jennifer Larson, Maggie Mitzel, David Quiett, Caitlin Gray, Kolten Frost, Ava Robbennolt, Sylvia Sloat, Janet Goeke-Cronin

(Hoven) Billy Baus, Rosalie Hageman, Laurene Kaiser, Jhett Hartung, Jaxon Hartung, Shari Baus, Lori Kaiser, Nancy Kaiser, Shannon McGrath, Austin Simon

(Onida) Diane Lorenz, Donnie Ramler, Judi West, Jo Bender, Marquette Brink, Jackie Yackley, Dave Pitlick, Greg Lorenz

(Pierre) Leona Feist, Missy Tarnowski, Kathy Ripley, Carol Yost, Mary Kay Carter, Chelsea & Kolbs Gereue, Mary Tarnowski

*Please contact <u>sspeterandpaulcatholic@gmail.com</u> to add or remove names from this list.

Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for December

For pilgrims of hope

We pray that this Jubilee Year strengthen our faith, helping us to recognize the Risen Christ in our daily lives, and that it may transform us into pilgrims of Christian hope.

DAILY READINGS Dec 22nd-29th

Sunday: Mi 5:1-4a/Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19/

Heb 10:5-10/Lk 1:39-45

Monday: Mal 3:1-4, 23-24/Ps 25:4-5, 8-9, 10 & 14/

Lk 1:57-66

Tuesday: **Morning**: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/

Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29/Lk 1:67-79

Wednesday: <u>Vigil</u>: Is 62:1-5/Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27,

29/Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/Mt 1:1-25 or

1:18-25 <u>Night</u>: Is 9:1-6/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 11-12, 13 (Lk 2:11)/Ti 2:11-14/Lk 2:1-14

Dawn: Is 62:11-12/Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12/

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Ti 3:4-7/Lk 2:15-20 **<u>Day</u>**: Is 52:7-10/

Heb 1:1-6/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6 (3c)/

Jn 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14

Thursday: Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 & 8ab, 16bc and 17/Mt 10:17-22

Friday: 1 Jn 1:1-4/Ps 97: 1-2, 5-6, 11-12/Jn 20:1a,

2-8

Saturday: 1 Jn 1:5—2:2/Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8/

Mt 2:13-18

Next Sunday: 1 Sm 1:20-22, 24-28/Ps 84:2-3, 5-6, 9-10 (see 5a)/1 Jn 3:1-2, 21-24/

9-10 (see 5a)/1 Jn 3:1-2, 21 Lk 2:41-52

Upcoming bulletin deadlines:

For the Dec. 29th Bulletin - deadline has passed.

For the Jan.5th Bulletin - information is needed by 10am Tuesday Dec. 24th.

Submit items to sspeterandpaulcatholic@gmail.com

Thank you!

D-Camp 2025 – Registration is Open

Discipleship Camp is a transformative experience for the youth in the Diocese of Sioux Falls.

Invite the youth in your life to register by January 31st to take advantage of the early bird discount!

This makes a great Christmas gift from parents, grandparents or even godparents.

D-Camp is designed to help teens deepen their prayer life, grow in their understanding of who God is, and meet other teens who are engaged in their faith from throughout the diocese.

To register or to get more information about the sessions, call 605-988-3714.

June 15-18, 2025 (High School) July 13-16, 2025 (High School) July 17-20, 2025 (Junior High)



Through Baptism, we welcome KOLSYN WADE DEROUCHEY ~son of Tyler and Kendyll~ Into the Body of Christ!

Eternal Rest grant onto PAM GOEBEL and let Perpetual Light shine upon her. May she and all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in Peace.





Saint Joseph School News

ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL

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Secretary,

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It is nearly upon us! Christmas! Joy to the world!!!

We have much to feel joy about. We have a parish family that shares our love for our Savior and supports us in learning about God. We have people that use their gifts to assist others. We have a God that gave us His only Son to save us! Joy is a great word to describe how we should live our lives. Let's look at JOY as an acronym.

J stands for Jesus. We should always put Jesus first. If we put Jesus first, then we will have true joy. We will be doing God's will and using the talents and gifts He has given us to make a difference.

O stands for others. We should be concerned about others, our brothers and sisters in Christ. Jesus has asked us to love our neighbor as ourselves. We need to consider their thoughts, feelings, and needs. By putting Jesus and others first, we can truly live as Christ did. We will find immense joy in taking part in the happiness of others.

Y stands for yourself. After Jesus and others, it is important to take care of yourself. God created you as a unique and beautiful soul, that He loves dearly.

If we follow this acronym of JOY, we will find ourselves asking if our actions are something that Jesus would want, if the action is helpful to others, and if it will bring You closer to God.

It is never too late to be part of our family at St. Joseph Catholic School! If you would like to learn more about St. Joseph School or find student applications, please click on the QR code.





God bless our Catechists and students!





Blood Drive coming soon

Monday

January 4, 2025

10:30am—4:00pm

10:30am—4:00pm Columbian Hall 1221 E Broadway Ave Pierre, SD

Questions? Contact <u>Carol @ 605-220-2012</u> Register online at <u>Vitalant.org</u>

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Knights of Columbus #2686 Religious Christmas Cards

The Knights of Columbus are selling religiousthemed Christmas cards again this year. Card styles are displayed in SS Peter & Paul Church foyer and can be purchased using a payment envelope found by the display. There are six

styles of cards, each with 12 cards in a box. Cost = \$13.00/box

Knights of Columbus #2686

is sponsoring the annual *Food for Families drive* this Advent

season. Collection baskets are in the foyer of SS. Peter & Paul church. All donations go to the Pierre / Fort Pierre Food Pantry.

Please remember those who are less fortunate during this holiday season.

Advent Baby Showers

- **SS** Peter and Paul Please place donations in the bassinet in the church foyer.
- **St. Anthony** Please place donations in the crib in the Church(if you are in need of donations or know someone else who is, please contact the Parish Office).
- **Sacred Heart -** Please place donations in the box in the Parish Hall
- **St. Pius -** Please place donations in the crib in the entry of the Church
 - *Sleepers, onsies, blankets, socks, shampoo, lotion, diapers & wipes, and more are all welcomed.



Walk with One

The National Eucharistic Congress has initiated the Year of Mission.

We are all called to evangelize, and, thanks to the gift of the Holy Spirit, we are well-equipped for this mission.

At the Congress, the bishops of the USCCB invited every Catholic to *Walk with One*, an initiative to accompany one person as they seek to know Jesus Christ.

You can find all the information on their webpage. https://www.eucharisticrevival.org/walk-with-one

Holy Rosary Pastorate is looking for a

~Communications Coordinator~

Full-time position, creating/maintaining parish and pastorate websites, parish apps, social media accounts, collaborating on bulletins and Parish signage, drafting/editing communications materials, and assisting other pastorate directors. Some travel may be required.

Qualifications:

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Send inquiries to: holyrosary02busm@sfcatholic.org



Providing help and encouragement after the death of a loved one. You'll find understanding, guidance, relief, and a safe place to navigate the challenges of your grief.

Join us Sunday, January 5 at 2:00PM

in the Benedictine Room of St. Joseph School (lower parking lot, door 'E'). There is a study guide (cost=\$20.00; scholarships are available) & the group meets for 13 weeks. This is open to adults of all faiths. For more information, please contact darlenefbraun@outlook.com (605-295-8641) or lgpickner@gmail.com (605-881-8653).

If you know of someone who is grieving, please tell them about this valuable support option.



Edgewood Rosary

Monday's 3:00PM in the Edgewood Chapel-Pierre. Come pray with us!

St. Anthony of Padua

Next Funeral Lunch: Circle 9 Special Activity: Circle 2 Activity will be 1st Holy Communion on Feb. 1st Church cleaning: Circle 3



ADVENT CONFESSIONS: CHRISTMAS MASS:

Sacred Heart

Sun. Dec. 22nd Before & after 10:30 Mass

St. Anthony
Tues. Dec. 24th 4:00pm

St. Pius X

Sun. Dec. 22nd Before 8:30 Mass 2:00-3:00pm SS Peter & Paul

Mon. Dec 23rd

Sacred Heart

Tues. Dec. 24th 6:30pm

Wed. Dec 25th 9:00am

St. Pius X

Tues. Dec. 24th 9:00pm

SS Peter & Paul

Tues. Dec 24th 4:00pm, 7:00pm, & 10:00pm 12-1pm, 4-5pm, & 7-8pm Wed. Dec. 25th 9:00am

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A God Who Knocks (in Aberdeen)

The Lourdes Center will be presenting a 4-week series exploring the impact of emotional wounds and opening the door to God's healing love on

> Mondays from 6-8pm beginning January 6 at St. Mary Parish in Aberdeen, SD.

Register for this series at www.thelourdescenter.com.

Please call 605-988-3775 with any questions.

THE LOURDES CENTER

A HUGE THANK YOU

to all the volunteers who

helped with the Christmas on the Prairie concert in any way!! It takes many hands to make this event very successful for our church! God has truly blessed all of your efforts!

Magdalene Project Update

Thank you to everyone who continues to donate shoulder bags and feminine products to the help the Magdalene project!

We are currently in need of more bags and supplies for ladies leaving South Dakota Women's Prison to carry when they travel home. There is a box in the SS Peter & Paul fover for feminine product donations.

If you are interested in making the sling bags, or donating in another way, please reach out to Deacon Brad Palmer or the parish office.

Bishop Hoch Deanery Scholarship Applications Available

The Diocese of Sioux Falls awards seven \$1,000.00 scholarships (one in each of the seven deaneries) to enable a student to attend Mount Marty University. The scholarships are available to

- ~ new students
- ~ students already in college and
- ~ non-traditional students

interested in or already attending Mount Marty University in Yankton. To obtain an application, contact the Financial Aid Office at Mount Marty University. Applications must be returned to Office of Catholic Schools, 523 North Duluth Avenue, Sioux Falls, SD 57104-2714. Applications are due March 15th.

Tuesday evening Bible study

@ SS Peter & Paul

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Luke: The Study of Salvation Fulfilled

Will start Jan 7th Runs for 8 wks In the Benedictine room of St. Joseph School

You can get your workbook or access to the online workbook at ascensionpress.com

St. Anthony of Padua Altar Society Meeting

Thursday, January 9th

5:30 pm in the church basement



Sacraments & Events/Activities Dec. 22nd-29th

Sacred Heart

Sun—Confessions before & after Mass

10:30am Mass: + Morris & Colleen Simon

Tues—6:30pm Christmas Eve Mass: + Amy Cordell & + Clarence & Anna Mae Frost

Wed—MERRY CHRISTMAS

Thurs—3:30pm Rosary @Avera Oahe Manor

NO Mass @Avera Oahe Manor

Sun—Confessions before Mass

10:30am Mass: + John Holzhauser

St. Anthony

Tues—4:00pm Christmas Eve Mass: + Ronnie Kaup

Wed—MERRY CHRISTMAS

9:00am Christmas Mass: + Perry Rader

Fri—No Holy Hour, No Mass Sat—3:30pm Confessions

5:00pm: + Roy & Phil Heintzman, + Art Seurer

St. Pius X

Sun—Confessions before Mass

8:30am Mass: Austin Simon

2:00-3:00pm Confessions

Tues—9:00pm Mass: + Lynette & Alex Singleton

Wed—MERRY CHRISTMAS

Sun—8:30am Mass: + Talize Simon

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St. Anthony's Hoven Foundation

Ashley Griese PO Box 131 Hoven, SD 57450

Pierre Catholic Foundation

SS. Peter & Paul

MARY, MOTHER OF GOD candle: Rose & Arthur Voller ST. JOSEPH candle: Bob Benson

■ Sun—8:30am Mass: + Alan Weinheimer

Rosary at 10:00am

10:30am Mass: Holy Rosary Pastorate

Mon—8:00am Mass: + Ronnie Kaup

12:00-1:00pm Confessions

3:00pm Rosary @ Edgewood Pierre

4:00-5:00pm Confessions

7:00-8:00pm Confessions

Tues—Christmas Eve

4:00pm Mass: Feist & Breen families L&D

7:00pm Mass: Fr Joe, Fr. Simon, Deacon Palmer

10:00pm Mass: Holy Rosary Pastorate

Wed—MERRY CHRISTMAS

9:00am Mass: + Cathy Doyle Holden

Thurs—8:00am Mass: + Jackie Marso

Fri—8:00am Mass: + Rita & Lunette Gates

Sat—3:30pm Confessions

4:35pm Rosary

5:00pm Mass: + Ken, Katie & Michelle Cox

Sun—8:30am Mass: + Robert Lee Achbach Jr

Rosary at 10:00am

10:30am Mass: Holy Rosary Pastorate

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

<u>Baptism Class</u> - 1st Sunday of each month at Ss. Peter & Paul. Please call 605-224-2483 to preregister or schedule a Baptism.

<u>Marriage</u> - Arrangements must be made with the priest *at least* 6 months in advance.

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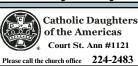
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