

Word of Life    Intercessions for Life  
Dec 12 ~ Third Sunday of Advent

*For all victims of human trafficking:  
That they may find hope and healing in the Lord who  
proclaims liberty to captives and release to prisoners;*

We pray to the Lord: Lord hear our prayer.

Advent Baby Shower will be a bit different this year. This year, Bishop DeGrood has requested that we reach out to the needs in our local and surrounding communities. St Augustine Altar Society met on Mon Nov 15 and picked two organizations Bridges Against Domestic Violence in Mobridge and Birthright in Pierre. Listed are the MOST needed items for **Bridges**: Toilet Paper, Tissues, Paper Towels, Underwear (all sizes for male and female for youth and for women) and monetary donations also welcome. **Birthright**: (updated 11/23) New or gently-used Toddler size 2T-6 winter coats, New or gently-used Baby Receiving Blankets, New or gently-used Crib size blankets for winter, New or gently used pack-n-plays, new or gently-used potty training chairs, also monetary donations. Items will be collected at St Augustine from **Sun Nov 28 – Sun Dec 19**. Items can be placed in the same box, to be sorted before delivery. Thank you so much.

**Weekly Readings**  
**Sun Dec 12: Third Sunday of Advent**  
Zep 3:14-18a Phil 4:4-7 Lk 3:10-18  
**Mon Dec 13: St Lucy, Virgin & Martyr**  
Nm 24:2-7, 15-17a Mt 21:23-27  
**Tues Dec 14: St John of the Cross, Priest & Doctor of the Church**  
Zep 3:1-2, 9-13 Mt 21:28-32  
**Wed Dec 15: Advent Weekday**  
Is 45:6b-8, 18, 21c-25 Lk 7:18b-23  
**Thurs Dec 16: Advent Weekday**  
Is 54:1-10 Lk 7:24-30  
**Fri Dec 17: Late Advent Weekday**  
Gn 49:2, 8-10 Mt 1:1-17  
**Sat Dec 18: Late Advent Weekday**  
Jer 23:5-8 Mt 1:18-25

Parish Assignments for December

- **St Augustine:** Chad & Susan Holsworth, Bob & Judie Beadle, James & Lisa Geier, Jr
- **St Anthony:**
- December Cleaning: Circle 6
- Next Funeral Luncheon: Circle 9
- Special Activity: Circle 7

*CDA wishes to thank all those who donated to the warm clothing drive.  
Your clothing donations will keep many warm this winter. THANK YOU!*

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“O St. Bakhita, assist all those who are trapped in a state of slavery;  
Intercede with God on their behalf so that they will be released from  
their chains of captivity.  
Those whom man enslaves, let God set free.”

USSCB “Prayer to St. Josephine Bakhita”  
*Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the unborn, pray for us.  
St. Joseph, patron of the unborn, pray for us.*

CDA raffle winners drawn on Dec 3: 2-\$50 gift card FSB Roscoe **Judy Uhrich, Bill Arbach**; \$25 Gift Certificate Ricky’s **Marie Beadle**; Spice Rack **Betty Goetz**; Gift basket Beadle Ford **Steven Schurr**; 3 – 8 Pc Chicken w/ wedges Drake’s Place **Brenda Anderson, Jerome Malsom, Tom Hannasch**; 3– Lg pizza & breadsticks **Suzanne Semmler, Ashley Heyne, Norbert Hoerner**; Handmade quilt **Lenny Uhrich**; Thanksgiving Basket **Cleta Varagason**; \$25 gift certificate Ken’s **Lenny Uhrich**; Gift basket Turner Drug **Sebastian Scherr**; Winter basket Trendy Threads **Josh Rohrbach**; Gift Basket The Watering Can **Mona Kennedy**; \$25 gift certificate The Watering Can **Casey Barlow**; \$50 Cash Dakota Insurance Solutions **Ron Sauer**; Handmade Rug **Kris Scherr**; Pink Depression Glass Bowl & Plate **Elaine Kling**.  
*In appreciation and gratitude, we thank our gracious donors and everyone who bought raffle tickets and any of our baked items. Your generosity enables us to continue to support our charities on the local, state and national level. May God bless each of you. —Ct. St. Katharine Drexel members*

Liturgical Ministers

	Rosary	Lector	Servers	Mary’s Helpers
<b>Hoven</b> <b>Sat Dec 18</b> <b>5:00 PM</b>		Kurt Rausch	DaShawn Rausch Wyatt Huber	Brynn Huber Kimberly Hageman
<b>Hoven</b> <b>Sun Dec 19</b> <b>8:00 AM</b>		Sara Colombe	Jaxon Hartung Atley Schmidt	Ava Hartung Kathryn Rausch
<b>Bowdle</b> <b>Sun Dec 19</b> <b>10:00 AM</b>	Ann Thomsen	Joshua Bieber	Brittney Frickson Tanner Frickson	

**Mobile Food Pantry**  
4-H Building  
11 am – 1 pm Ipswich  
**Date: TBD**  
and  
St Paul Lutheran  
11 am – 12 pm  
Bowdle  
**Date: TBD**

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SOUTH DAKOTA

Third Sunday of Advent

December 12, 2021

St. Anthony of Padua Church ~ St. Augustine Church

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**WEEKEND LITURGIES:**  
Saturday... 5:00 PM - Hoven  
Sunday ... 8:00 AM - Hoven  
Sunday ... 10:00 AM - Bowdle  
Sunday ... 2:00 PM - Hoven - Latin Mass

**Weekday Masses:** Look for times inside bulletin.

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:**  
Saturday’s 4:15 - 4:45 PM - Hoven  
Sunday’s 7:15 – 7:45 AM - Hoven  
Sunday’s 9:40 - 9:55 AM - Bowdle

**OR any time upon request**

**Baptism:** Pre-Baptism Class for parents required before all Baptisms. Please call Rectory for appointment.  
**Holy Matrimony:** Couples planning marriage must contact their Priest at least 6 months before the wedding date. A year in advance is not too early.  
**Anointing of the Sick:** Before a hospital stay, surgical procedure, or any serious illness, please call the rectory to arrange the celebration of the Sacrament.

We would like to welcome all visitors , friends, and families who are visiting our parishes this weekend. If you are interested in becoming a member of one of our parishes, please stop by or call the rectory.

FROM HOVEN: Eleanor Schmidt, Tom Frost, Steve Klingman, Lila Simon, Jeanette Schaefer, Billy Baus, Randy Pruys, Gary Reuer, Cliff Simon, Rosalie Hageman, Laurene Kaiser, Alice Simon, Lance Stuwe, Don Sevigny, Mike Niemiller

FROM ONAKA: St John’s Parishioners, Mary Barondeau, Beth Witte, Larry Vetch



FROM BOWDLE: Nursing Home Residents, Bernice Dewald, Elaine Geier, Leon Beitelspacher, Rose Schmaltz, Ann Thomsen

OTHER: Pope Francis I, Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI, Bishop Emeritus Paul Swain, Bishop Donald DeGrood, Priests, Seminarians, Sisters of our Diocese, Fr. Darin Schmidt, all former pastors, World Peace, sanctity of all human life, our military personnel, Laura Keller-Huber, Sheila Hoke, Brecken Kaup, Cindy Baus, Brad Helget, Lynette Singleton, Lenny Uhrich, Roy Bechard, Traci Karst, Mindy Greenfield, Jerry Lacher, Christe Laverack, Katie Tuff, Kevin Holt, Dan Kaiser, Dan Hawkinson, Kris (Kaup) McIntire, Chad Gutenkauf, Jack Mills, Sheila Robeck, Diane Colombe (mother of Sara), Krista Seurer, Fr Bill Osborn, Amy (Frost) Cordell, Berta Oster, Mike Heilman, and all those affected by Coronavirus, Lenny Uhrich, Fr Roger Geditz, AJ Scionti, Leo Himmerich, David Allen, Darwin Sauer, Jason Hoerner, Mary Kraft, Paul Luke, Jeanne Glatt, Diane Rausch, Rodney Dikoff, Arlyn Fiedler, Dean Schumacher, Hunter Goeshel  
Please contact the Rectory Office to help this prayer list keep up to date.

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**OFFICE HOURS:**  
Monday’s - Closed  
Tuesday’s 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM - Melissa  
Wednesday’s 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM - Melissa  
Thursday’s 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM - Judy  
Friday’s 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM - Melissa

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## Holy Eucharist

<b>Sat Dec 11</b>	<b>5:00 PM Hoven</b>	<b>Harlan Rausch †</b>
<b>Sun Dec 12</b>	<b>8:00 AM Hoven</b> <b>10:00 AM Bowdle</b> <b>2:00 PM Hoven Latin</b>	<b>For the People</b> <b>Lawrence Linderman †</b> (1 Yr Ann) <b>Jose Luis Estinosa †</b>
<b>Mon Dec 13</b>	5:15 PM Hoven	St Anthony Foundation & Altar Soc L&D
<b>Tues Dec 14</b>	5:15 PM Hoven	Special Intention
<b>Wed Dec 15</b>	5:15 PM Hoven	Jack & Linda Feldmeier Family L&D
<b>Thurs Dec 16</b>	9:00 AM Bowdle	Cate Dominicak †
<b>Fri Dec 17</b>	9:00 AM Bowdle	Blake Lunders †
<b>Sat Dec 18</b>	<u>9:00 AM Hoven (Latin)</u> <b>5:00 PM Hoven</b>	<u>Randy Beard</u> <b>Ronnie Kaup †</b> (1 Yr Ann)
<b>Sun Dec 19</b>	<b>8:00 AM Hoven</b> <b>10:00 AM Bowdle</b> <b>2:00 PM Hoven Latin</b>	<b>Bernard, Lucille &amp; Lawrence Hartung †</b> <b>For the People</b> <b>Leander Schroeder †</b>



A Rosary is prayed every **Tuesday at 3:00 PM** at St. Anthony's Church near the Blessed Virgin's altar. If you can make the time, please drop by and join the group.

### This Week's Events:

Sun Dec 12 Hoven - 6:00-7:00 PM Special Advent Confession Opportunity  
 Sun Dec 12 Hoven - 7:00 PM Adult Catechesis "The Secrets of Latin Chant"  
 Wed Dec 15 Hoven - 3:30 PM Advent Confessions; 5:15 PM Mass; 7 PM Advent Confessions  
 Thurs Dec 16 Bowdle - 6:00-7:00 PM Special Advent Confession Opportunity  
 Thurs Dec 16 Bowdle - 7:00 PM Adult Catechesis "The Secrets of Latin Chant"  
 Fri Dec 17 Hoven - 3:30 PM Circle 6 Church Cleaning  
 Fri Dec 17 Bowdle - 7:00 PM St Augustine Church Decorating

### Coming Events:

Wed Dec 22 Hoven - 7:00-8:00 PM/until finished Last Advent Confession Opportunity  
 Thurs Dec 23 Bowdle - 8:00-9:00 PM/until finished Last Advent Confession Opportunity

*If you would like to have a meeting or other event put in here. Please email [staug@venturecomm.net](mailto:staug@venturecomm.net) or call the Bowdle office 605-285-6466 ext 2.*

*Bulletin deadline Friday's 9:00 AM, unless notice given for an earlier time.*

After 10 years the Ed Rausch Family is looking to hand over the Christmas Nativity Project and flow-ers in 2022. If interested, please contact **Amy Arbach at 948-2567** or **Colleen Hageman at 948-2573**. We are planning on setting up the nativity scene in De-cember (date/time to be determined) this would be

St Augustine Church Decorating **7:00 PM Fri Dec 17**. Cathy Thomas would appreciate all who can come help decorate the church for the Christmas season.

### St Anthony Electronic Giving November 2021

**CFSA \$ 100**  
**C Support \$ 325**  
**Total \$ 425**

In order to have enough time to process ending of year donations please have to the Bowdle Rec-tory by 3:00 PM Wed Dec 29, 2021 or include in the collection on the weekend of Dec 26.

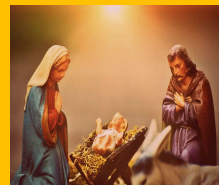
### Church Support December 4-5

#### St Anthony

Envelopes	\$ 2,580	Envelopes	\$ 860
GIK	\$425.69	Loose	\$ 366.01
Loose	\$ 1,155	Mass Stip	\$ 10
Building Fund	\$ 500	Energy Env	\$ 250
Christmas Flwrs	\$ 300	<u>Christmas Flwrs</u>	<u>\$ 190</u>
Stipends	\$ 20		\$ 1,676.01
Candles	\$ 760.65		
CFSA	\$ 240		

#### St Augustine

**Christmas Mass Times**  
**Friday December 24 ~ Christmas Eve**  
 4:00 PM Bowdle  
 6:00 PM Hoven  
 Midnight/12:00 AM Hoven 'Latin Mass'  
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**Saturday December 25 ~ Christmas**  
 8:00 AM Hoven  
 Noon/12:00 PM Hoven 'Latin Mass'  
 — Please note Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God is not a special Holy Day of Obligation this year. Weekend Mass times as usual Sat Jan 1 and Sun Jan 2, 2022.



Thank you for your generous church support!

Just a bit from Fr. Schmidt

### We're Halfway There

Gaudéte! Rejoice! This Sunday of rose vestments and the rose candle of the Advent wreath signifies that we've passed the halfway point of the Advent season. Less than two weeks remain till our celebration of the Most Holy Nativity of our Lord. Time to redouble our efforts at preparation, especially spiritual preparation. Please take the opportunity to get to Confession and to make a monthly Confession part of your spiritual life. I'll be offering **extra Confession times** for the hour before each December Catechesis (this Sunday evening in Hoven, Thursday in Bowdle) as well as on the 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 PM in Hoven and on the 23<sup>rd</sup> at 8:00 PM in Bowdle. I'll be available at least for the hour and for as long after as it takes to finish.

The December Catechesis is on **the secrets of Latin chant**, so if you think chant is stupid or Latin is incompre-hensible, if you've ever wondered how to read those weird square notes or why we don't just sing 80s rock bal-lads or country songs at church, please attend, and at least some of your questions will be answered. Also, if there are topics for future Catecheses you'd like to suggest, let me know.

This is also the week of the December **Ember Days**, the days of fasting, prayer, and abstinence from meat to mark the beginning of the winter season, to implore God's blessings upon us, to give thanks for favors received, and to pray especially for vocations to the priesthood. These Ember Days are always on the Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday of this third week of Advent. Please join in offering some extra penance on these days.

The 17<sup>th</sup> of December also marks the beginning of the **O Antiphons**, which are summarized in the hymn "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel." The antiphons are used at Vespers each day from the 17<sup>th</sup> to the 23<sup>rd</sup>, summarizing seven different Messianic titles of Christ: Wis-dom, Lord, Root of Jesse, Key of David, Dawn or Rising Sun, King of Nations/Gentiles, Em-manuel (God-with-us). The 17<sup>th</sup> also marks when the readings at Mass decidedly turn to-wards contemplating the Birth of Christ and His first Coming/Advent among us as a tiny Baby. The Second Coming of Christ at the end of time in glory is more of the focus of the first part of Advent. Of course, Christ's Advent among us through the grace of the sacraments is a focus at every celebration of the Eucharist. In these final days, let's do our utmost to prepare our hearts, our minds, our homes, to prepare the Way of the Lord.

## SCRIPTURE SEARCH®

### Gospel for December 12, 2021

*Luke 3: 10-18*

Following is a word search based on the Gospel reading for the Third Sunday of Advent, Cycle C: The teachings of John the Baptist. The words can be found in all directions in the puzzle.

SHARE  
SOLDIERS  
THEIR HEARTS  
ANSWERED  
IS COMING  
HIS HAND  
BURN

HAS NONE  
WAGES  
JOHN  
MIGHTIER  
THONG  
THRESHING  
PREACHED

FOOD  
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CHAFF  
GOOD NEWS

### GOOD NEWS

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### Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for December

#### Evangelization: Catechists

Let us pray for the catechists, summoned to announce the Word of God: may they be its witnesses, with courage and creativity and in the power of the Holy Spirit.



#### Treasure Hut (Hoven)

Monday's— Friday's 9-11:30 AM & 1-4 PM  
 Saturday's Open 9AM - 11:30AM