# Word of Life Intercessions for Life Jan 8 ~ The Epiphany of the Lord

On this Feast of the Epiphany, may we be given the grace to always see in others the face of Christ our Savior;

We pray to the Lord: Lord hear our prayer.

# **Weekly Readings**

Sun Jan 8: The Epiphany of the Lord Is 60:1-6 Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6 Mt 2:1-12 Mon Jan 9: The Baptism of the Lord Is 42:1-4, 6-7 Acts 10:34-38 Mt 3:13-17 Tues Jan 10: Weekday

Heb 2:5-12 Mk 1:21-28 Wed Jan 11: Weekday Heb 2:14-18 Mk 1:29-39

Thurs Jan 12: Weekday Heb 3:7-14 Mk 1:40-45

Fri Jan 13: St Hilary, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

3.6 / TT 1 /

Heb 4:1-5, 11 Mk 2:1-12 Sat Jan 14: Weekday Heb 4:12-16 Mk 2:13-17

Join us on January 29<sup>th</sup> to stand up for LIFE!
We have chartered a 55-passenger bus to take area pro-lifers down to the Hour of Reflection and the Life Chain Walk on Sunday, January 29th. The bus will pick up and drop off people in Groton, Aberdeen, Ipswich, Roscoe, Bowdle, Hoven, Gettysburg, and elsewhere along the way if needed. W will arrive in Pierre for the Life Chain Walk around the capitol by 12:00 PM. People are encouraged to bring their Right to Life banners or other pro-life signs. At 1:00 PM refreshments and snacks will be served in the capitol. At 2:00 PM the Hour of Reflection program will be held in the capitol rotunda featuring a number of remarkably inspirational pro-life speakers along with entertainment. The bus will head back at around 3:30 PM.



suggested donations to help cover a portion of the costs for the bus; (early bird: \$35 per individua by January 3 OR \$40 per individual after that date.) Bagged lunches will be provided en route to Pierre. Contact Spencer Cody at spencercody@hotmail.com or 605-228-4886 for more information. Make check out to Aberdeen Area Right to Life and send it to Spencer Cody, 342 N. Sunset Dr., Mina, SD 57451 in order to reserve your seat. Seats are first come, first served; so, reserve early!



Approximate Bus Schedule:	Leave Time:	Arrival:
Groton (St. Elizabeth, 803 N. 1st St.):	7:30 AM	7:40 PM
Aberdeen (Sacred Heart, 502 2nd Ave. SE):	8:00 AM	7:10 PM
Aberdeen (St. Paul's Lutheran, 214 7th Ave., SW):	8:20 AM	6:55 PM
Ipswich (Holy Cross, 20 6th St.):	9:00 AM	6:20 PM
Roscoe (St. Thomas Apostle, 605 N. Andrew St.):	9:25 AM	6:05 PM
Bowdle (St. Augustine, 3023 3rd Ave.):	9:45 AM	5:45 PM
Hoven (St. Anthony's of Padua, 546 Main St.):	10:15 AM	5:10 PM
Gettysburg (Sacred Heart, 203 E. Garfield):	10:45 AM	4:40 PM
Pierre (state capitol, north parking lot):	3:30 PM	11:45 AM
Reserve your seat before th	ey're all gone	!

Parish Assignments for January

St Augustine cleaning: Pat & Lori Dewald, Carmen Rohrbach, Rocky & Helen Gisi, Brock & Kaitlyn Knodel

#### St Anthony:

January Cleaning: Circle 9 Next Funeral Luncheon: Circle 9 Special Activity: Circle 5



We remember our brother in Christ, Pope Benedict XVI, who was called home to the Lord on Sat Dec 31. His funeral Mass was held on Thurs, Jan 5, 2023 at St Peter's Square, Rome. Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through Your mercy, rest in peace. Amen.'

# **Liturgical Ministers**

	Rosary	Lector	Servers	Mary's Helpers/ Sacristan
Hoven Sat Jan 14 5:00 PM		Colleen Hageman	Wyatt Huber Please Volunteer	Brynn Huber Emma Huber
Hoven Sun Jan 15 8:00 AM		Jerry Brickner	Ivan Stuwe Jack Stuwe Konrad Stuwe	Charlee Stuwe Mary Stuwe
Bowdle Sun Jan 15 10:00 AM	Stacy Preszler	Pat Dewald	Ashton Heyne Brayden Heyne	Norbert & Cathy Thomas

# **Mobile Food Pantry**

St Paul Lutheran 11 am - 12 pm Bowdle Date: Fri Jan 13 and Wesleyan Church 1 pm - 2 pm Tolstoy Date: Fri Jan 13 and **United Methodist** 10am – 11am Gettysburg Date: Thurs Jan 26



# The Epiphany of the Lord January 8, 2023

# St. Anthony of Padua Church ~ St. Augustine Church

PASTOR: Fr Darin Schmidt Email: frdarinschmidt@sfcatholic.org

Phone: 605-948-2451 ext 3 or Phone: 605-285-6466 ext 3

St Anthony of Padua Church **SECRETARY:** Melissa Sauer Email: stanthonv@venturecomm.net CCD COORDINATOR: Noreen Glodt

Email: nglodt@sfcatholic.org **BOOKKEEPER:** Judy Weishaar Email: jweishaar@sfcatholic.org

WEBSITE: https://saintanthonyofpadua.wordpress.com

**St Anthony's Hoven Foundation TREASURER:** Ashley Griese

Email: stanthonyhovenfdntreasurer@gmail.com

### 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

**St Augustine Church** 

**SECRETARY:** Melissa Sauer Email: staug@venturecomm.net

CCD COORDINATOR: Stacy Preszler Email: bowdledre@sfcatholic.org **BOOKKEEPER:** Judy Weishaar Email: jweishaar@ sfcatholic.org

WEBSITE: https://staugustinebowdle.com

### **TELEPHONE NUMBERS:**

St Anthony Rectory/Office 605-948-2451 St Augustine Rectory/Office 605-285-6466

#### **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 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM - Judy Friday's 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM - Melissa

#### **MAILING ADDRESSES:**

St. Anthony of Padua St. Augustine PO Box 339 PO Box 310 Bowdle, SD 57428-0339 Bowdle, SD 57428-0310

St Anthony's Hoven Foundation

PO Box 131

Hoven, SD 57450-0131

**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, Lila Simon, Billy Baus, Randy Pruys, Gary Reuer, Rosalie Hageman, Laurene Kaiser, Alice Simon, Don Sevigny, Laurie DeRouchey, Virginia Hawkinson, Jhett Hartung, Jerry Hartung, Linda Coyne, Jaxon Hartung

FROM BOWDLE: Nursing Home Residents, Bernice Dewald, Elaine Geier, Rose Schmaltz, Terri Daniels, Lila Bachman, Vir-



OTHER: Pope Francis I, Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI †, 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, Brecken Kaup, Cindy Baus, Brad Helget, Lynette Singleton, Roy

Bechard, Traci Karst, Mindy Greenfield, Jerry Lacher, Katie Tuff, Kevin Holt, Dan Kaiser, Dan Hawkinson, Chad Gutenkauf, Jack Mills, Sheila Robeck, Diane Colombe (mother of Sara), Krista Seurer, Amy Cordell, Fr Roger Geditz, AJ Scionta, David Allen, Paul Luke, Jeanne Glatt, Diane Rausch, Larry Vetch, Rodney Dikoff, Brandee Karlin, Krystal Norris, Ukraine refugees, Jake & Katrina Lunders, Erma Meier, Adam Anderson, Carolyn Spilde, Bill Rausch, Trish Schmidt,

Please contact the Rectory Office to help this prayer list keep up to date.

# **Holy Eucharist**

Sat Jan 7	5:00 PM Hoven	For the People
Sun Jan 8	8:00 AM Hoven 10:00 AM Bowdle 2:00 PM Hoven Latin	Mike Niemiller † Ann Thomsen † Sebastian & Marian Scherr
Mon Jan 9	5:15 PM Hoven	Derek & Allison Rausch & Family
Tues Jan 10	5:15 PM Hoven	All Medical Personnel
Wed Jan 11	5:15 PM Hoven	Bishop Paul Swain †
Thurs Jan 12	9:00 AM Bowdle	Erv & LaVerne Gross †
Fri Jan 13	9:00 AM Bowdle	Henry Schroeder Family L&D
Sat Jan 14	9:00 AM Bowdle (Latin) 5:00 PM Hoven	Pope Benedict XVI † Steve & Lena Simon Family L&D
Sun Jan 15	8:00 AM Hoven 10:00 AM Bowdle	For the People Joe A & Annie Dewald †



Mat St. Anthony's Church near the Blessed Virgin's altar. If you can make the time, please drop by and join the group.

2:00 PM Hoven Latin Justin Blasius

#### This Week's Events:

Mon Jan 9 Roscoe - 7:30 PM CDA Meeting

Tues Jan 10 Hoven - 10:00 AM Adult Catechesis Class

# Coming Events:

Mon Jan 16 Bowdle - 7:00 PM St Augustine Altar Society Meeting (new date)

Tues Jan 17 Hoven - 10:00 AM Adult Catechesis Class

Mon Jan 23 Hoven - 7:00 PM St Anthony Altar Society Meeting

Sat Jun 10 Hoven - Confirmation w/ Bishop DeGrood for St Anthony & St Augustine

If you would like to have a meeting or other event put in here. Please email 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.

Fr Smith Weekday Mass Intentions @ Bowdle @ Noon.

Mon Jan 9 - Pope Francis

Tue Jan 10 - Pro Life

Wed Jan 11 - Loretta Dvlla +

Thur Jan 12 - End to Surrogacy

St Augustine Altar Society Meeting has been rescheduled from Mon Jan 9 to the following Mon Jan 16 @ 7:00 PM. All are welcome to attend.



St Anthony Altar Society Meeting Monday Jan 23 @ 7:00 PM. This meeting will have installation of new officers. All new Circle leaders are asked to attend.

> St Anthony **Electronic Giving** December 2022

> > **CFSA \$ 100** C Support \$ 160 Total \$ 260

# Word of Life

"Through the Incarnation and birth of Christ, God reveals to us the dignity of all human life. Human life, as a gift of God, is sacred and inviolable. The Son of God has united himself with every human being and desires for us to share eternal life with him... Each of us is made in the image and likeness of God, and we reflect his glory in the world."

> USSCB secretariat of Pro-Life Activities "The Gospel of Life: A Brief Summary"

Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the unborn, pray for us. St. Joseph, patron of the unborn, pray for us.

# Church Support Dec 31 - Jan 1

#### St Anthony St Augustine Envelopes \$3,310 Envelopes \$ 3,370 Loose \$ 673 Loose \$ 234 Mass Stip \$ 100 Christmas Env \$ 200 Christmas Flwrs \$ 10 Easter Flwrs \$ 25 CFSA 2022 \$ 2,000 CFSA 2022 \$ 225 \$6,093 CFSA 2023 \$ 100 \$ 4.154

Thank you for your generous church support!

# Just a bit from Fr. Schmidt

#### **God in Man Made Manifest**

A number of years ago, I first came across the custom of blessing chalk on the Solemnity of the Epiphany. I had never seen or heard of it in my first decade of life. For those not familiar, the custom is for each family to gather at the entrance of their home and pray for God's blessings upon them and upon all who enter under their roof during the new year. The head of the household takes chalk blessed on the Day of Epiphany and writes on the lintel over the main entrance to the house and perhaps over other entrances or doorways, "20+C+M+B+23" while pronouncing (if possible) in his best Latin, "Christus Mansiónem Benedícat," meaning, "May Christ bless the house." The letters "CMB" also stand for the traditional names of the three wise men: Sts. Caspar, Melchior, and Balthazar. The digits at each end are for the current year.

In many Eastern churches, the Feast of the Epiphany is celebrated with even more festivity than Christmas. The **Epiphany**, from the Greek word for "unveiling, revelation, manifestation," recalls the visit of the **three** magi and the first revelation of the Christ Child to non-Jewish nations, whom the magi represent. Many Christians still exchange gifts on the Feast of the Epiphany since that's when the magi brought their gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.

Besides the visit of the magi, there are two other moments from the life of Jesus connected to this Great Feast: the **Baptism of the Lord** and the Wedding Feast at Cana. Jesus being baptized by John in the River Jordan is often considered the first clear revelation of God as a Trinity of Persons: the Father manifested in

the voice from heaven, the Son Jesus standing in the river, and the Holy Spirit descending upon Him bodily like a dove. Unlike most other baptisms where the water is used by God to make the one being baptized holy, when Jesus was baptized, He actually made the waters holy. Some Christians still practice the Epiphany tradition of taking a dip in a freezing lake to recall the Lord's Baptism and one's own baptism. I wouldn't necessarily recommend trying it around here.

The changing of water into wine at **Cana** is regarded as Christ's first public miracle, the manifestation of His divine power. By the grace of the Lord's Epiphany, may we always make Christ more manifest, better known throughout the world by our own words and actions.

When there is inclement weather and a no travel advisory, Melissa and Judy will not be in the office on those days. We will alter our work days in the office accordingly to get our work completed.

## **Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for January** For educators

We pray that educators may be credible witnesses, teaching fraternity rather than competition and helping the youngest and most vulnerable above all

**Treasure Hut (Hoven)** Monday's - Friday's 9-11:30 AM & 1-4 PM Saturday's Open 9AM - 11:30AM

Gospel for January 8, 2023 Matthew 2:1-12

Following is a word search based on the Gospel reading for the feast of Epiphany, Cycle A: The Magi visit the Holy Land. The words can be found in all directions in the puzzle.

**HEROD** HOMAGE JUDEA **LEAST** DILIGENTLY STOPPED MARY

STAR CHIEF PRIESTS PROPHET SHEPHERD CHILD **ENTERING GIFTS** 

RISING PEOPLE JUDAH SECRETLY **FOUND HIM** HOUSE A DREAM

# A SEARCH

NAGW TANL S 0 E Ε C R ASTE н Р

© 2023 TRI-C-A Publications: tri-c-a-publications.com