



Saint Rose of Lima Catholic Church

Hill City, South Dakota

Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Keystone, South Dakota

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The Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord, January 5th, 2025

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Reconciliation

Hill City, Saint Rose of Lima:

Tuesday 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Thursday 10 -11:00 a.m. &
6:30- 9:00 p.m.

Saturday 3:30- 4:30 p.m.

Mass Schedule & Intentions

(†) indicates deceased

Monday, January 6th,

(No Mass)

Tuesday, January 7th,

(Hill City) 6:00 p.m. : Peace in the World

Wednesday, January 8th,

(Keystone) 8:00 a.m.: Doug Siesonsma

Thursday, January 9th,

(Hill City) - 8:00 a.m. :(†) Tim Miller

Friday, January 10th,

(Hill City) 7:30 a.m. : Bradley Zettl

Saturday January 11th,

(Hill City) 6:00 pm: Bilingual Mass: (†) Pearl Johnson

Sunday January 12th,

(Keystone) 8 am: Pro Popolo

(Hill City) 10 am: (†) Pearl Johnson

Mass Intention Envelopes can be found at the back of the church. Mass is a great gift for those we love, it is our most powerful prayer.



Readings:

Isaiah 60:1-6

Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13

Ephesians 3:2-3, 5-6

Matthew 2:1-12

An "epiphany" is an appearance. In today's readings, with their rising stars, splendid lights, and mysteries revealed, the face of the child born on Christmas day appears.

Herod, in today's Gospel, asks the chief priests and scribes where the Messiah is to be born. The answer Matthew puts on their lips says much more, combining two strands of Old Testament promise—one revealing the Messiah to be from the line of David (see 2 Samuel 2:5), the

other predicting "a ruler of Israel" who will "shepherd his flock" and whose "greatness shall reach to the ends of the earth" (see Micah 5:1-3).

Those promises of Israel's king ruling the nations resound also in today's Psalm. The psalm celebrates David's son, Solomon. His kingdom, we sing, will stretch "to the ends of the earth," and the world's kings will pay him homage. That's the scene too in today's First Reading, as nations stream from the East, bearing "gold and frankincense" for Israel's king.

The Magi's pilgrimage in today's Gospel marks the fulfillment of God's promises. The Magi, probably Persian astrologers, are following the star that Balaam predicted would rise along with the ruler's staff over the house of Jacob (see Numbers 24:17). Laden with gold and spices, their journey evokes those made to Solomon by the Queen of Sheba and the "kings of the earth" (see 1 Kings 10:2, 25; 2 Chronicles 9:24). Interestingly, the only other places where frankincense and myrrh are mentioned together are in songs about Solomon (see Song of Songs 3:6; 4:6, 14).

One greater than Solomon is here (see Luke 11:31). He has come to reveal that all peoples are "coheirs" of the royal family of Israel, as today's Epistle teaches. His manifestation forces us to choose: will we follow the signs that lead to Him as the wise Magi did? Or will we be like those priests and scribes who let God's words of promise become dead letters on an ancient page? **A Scott Hahn Reflection**

Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday 6:30 –8:00 p.m.

Thursday 8:30 a.m.–12:00 noon &

6:30p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Adoracion Eucaristica

Martes 6:30–8:00 p.m.

Jueves 8:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

6:30 a 9:00 p.m.



Bless the Lord, O my soul, and let all that is within me praise His holy name. (Psalm 102:1)

Mass Schedule/ Community Events

Regular Faith Formation: Wednesdays: Elementary 3:00—5:00 p.m., Mass for Elementary students @ 3:15 p.m. parishioners and Parents welcome, Middle and High School 5:30—7:30 p.m. (Dinner and Lesson) (Volunteers to provide meals needed!)

Birthday Breakfast: Sunday January 5th after 10:00 a.m. Mass in the Parish Hall. (Breakfast Burritos will be served: del Valle, Willard, and Zettl families will be serving)

Generations of Faith: Wednesday January 8th @ 5:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. (Dinner, prize drawings, talk and prayer) Done by 7:30 p.m.

Regular Faith Formation begins again for 2025! Wednesday January 15th!

Bishop Scott Bullock visit to OLMC & St. Rose of Lima Church on Sunday January 19th, 2025 for Sunday Masses. Coffee and treats to follow.

Generations of Faith

Wednesday January 8th @ 5:30 p.m.

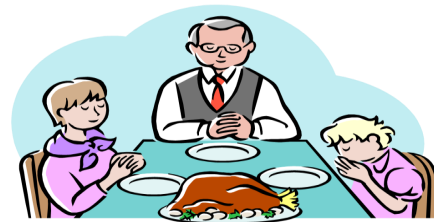
A parish and family-based form of passing on our cherished Catholic faith from one generation to the next. We desire that our entire families, together with the entire parish family, know Jesus Christ and His love for us. When that happens, we want to share that with everyone we know, beginning in our homes. Come join us this **January 8th** The theme will be Apologetics, informing others of the truth of our faith. This month's topic: The Sacraments

5:30 - 6:00 p.m.: Meal at Parish Hall

6:30 p.m. : Lesson on Apologetics

7:15–7:30p.m. : Eucharistic Adoration as a Parish

Everyone goes home, with stomachs full of food, souls full of Christ, and no need to cook or wash dishes!



Birthday Breakfast

Join us for Birthday Breakfast after 10:00 a.m. Mass, this week in the Parish Hall. Breakfast Burritos will be served by the del Valle, Willard and Zettl families.



Confessions at St. Rose this week: Tuesday 6:30-8:00 p.m., Thursday 10-11:00 a.m., & 6:30-9:00 p.m. Saturday 3:30- 4:30 p.m.

DEANERY DAYS

Inspiration. Collaboration + Formation
DELIVERED RIGHT TO YOUR DOORSTEP!

These regional days of formation and reflection will include presentations on evangelization and catechesis, inspiration to grow your own spiritual life, Eucharistic Adoration, Mass, food, and fellowship. These days are for all parish staff, ministers, volunteers, and religious educators.

Sept. 11: Lemmon

Nov. 23: Winner

Dec. 14: Sturgis

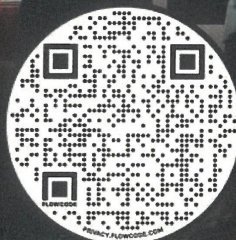
Feb. 8: Hill City

March 22: Kyle

Visit our website to register for each date - don't delay!

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2024/2025 THEME:



A PLAN OF SHEER
Goodness

"God, infinitely perfect and blessed in himself, in a plan of sheer goodness freely created man to make him share in his own blessed life" (CCC 1). Join us as we examine His plan, our participation in it, and how we are called to invite others into communion with the One for whom we were created. We will unpack the general principles of our new Diocesan Religion Curriculum Standards, in light of the pillars of the Catechism of the Catholic Church. Participants will come to understand more deeply who they are as a son or daughter of God, the relationship they are called to with Jesus Christ, and the mission they have to help others also enter into this life-giving relationship with Jesus.

Love INC. The Linen Ministry has a BIG need for comforters, quilts, blankets for queen, full and twin size beds. Kitchen: new toasters, can openers, peelers, dishracks, coffee pots, cake pans, cookie sheets and muffin tins. Furniture Ministry is seeking additional volunteers to assist with pick up and/or delivery of furniture. RISE furniture & home decor is looking for Christmas decorations. Did you know.....Love INC. Hill City-Keystone has office hours in Hill City on Monday's from 9 a.m. to noon. Call 605-574-1023 for an appointment and/or to confidentially speak with someone.

Donations for Kitchen Ministry and Linen Ministry may be dropped off 24-hours a day in the weather-proof tote located at Lighthouse Assembly of God Church in Hill City. Thank you for your heartfelt donations!



St Rose of Lima Prayer Ministry

Please consider joining one of our St. Rose of Lima Prayer Ministry teams of faithful praying members. You can **contact Marie Askew at 605-872-1519** and choose how you would like to receive the requests for prayer: text, email, or direct calls.

UPDATES on your prayer requests are greatly appreciated. Thanks friends... what a team! Please contact Marie.

PRAYER INTENTIONS

- ♥Fr. Andrzej
- ♥ Doug Siemonsma
- ♥Marsha Hoff
- ♥Tina Schiefer
- ♥Don Cates
- ♥Gloria Shippy
- ♥Cyndi Winfield
- (†)Alton Bertschinger
- (†)Fr. Dan Juelfs
- (†)Bishop Peter Muhich



All the sick and shut-ins of our parish and community

For the revival of peoples' devotion to the Eucharist in our country and the world.

(†)indicates deceased

Confessions at Our Lady of Mt Carmel: 30 minutes prior to Mass

HILL CITY PARISH SUPPORT
For December 25th & 29th, 2024

Envelopes:	\$622.00
	\$1137.00
Plate:	\$400.00
	\$314.00
Seminarian	\$50.00
Building Fund:	\$25.00
Retreat Fundraiser Youth	\$175.00
TOTAL:	\$2,723.00

KEYSTONE WEEKLY PARISH SUPPORT
For December 25th & 29th, 2024

Envelopes:	\$220.00
	\$370.00
Plate:	\$848.00
	\$169.00
TOTAL:	\$1,607.00

To place an event in the Event Calendar, please email Bradley Zettl with all the pertinent details: Time, Date, Place. Office email: bulletin.k.hc@gmail.com

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Thank you!!!



FINANCIAL FREEDOM

Hosted by
Love INC, Little White Church
Sponsored by: Heart of the Hills Exxon.

TUESDAY, JAN 14, 2025
@ HILL CITY CENTER

You're invited! *Join us!!*

5:45 DINNER (NO COST) 6:15 CLASS
CHILD CARE PROVIDED

Financial challenges can hinder us from enjoying a life of financial freedom.

Do you struggle with financial burdens like:

- overspending
- poor credit
- lack of financial knowledge
- strained relationships?

This is an introductory, one-night class designed to help you embark on your journey toward better financial management and achieving financial freedom.

SIGN UP BY TEXTING "HILL CITY CLASS" TO 605.547.1023

OR SCAN THE QR CODE →

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ST ROSE PRAYER MINISTRY PARTNER WITH US for your prayer concerns. Be a part of a number of friends who will ask healing, peace and comfort from our Lord Jesus, for those loved ones you desire to help. Collectively we'll seek the powerful intercession of our Blessed Mother for the needs in all requests. SEND REQUESTS to Marie Askew 605-872-1519. Marie sends your requests to: Julie Gray "text" team #1; 8 members, Peg Noem "text" team #2; 9 members Mary Larson "call" team #1; 4 members, Marie A. email"team#1; 7 members You decide what way to receive the requests for your prayer time: texts, calls OR email...JOIN US THERE'S POWER IN NUMBERS!