



HOPE in Lancaster pantry needs: grits, beef stew, jiffy, spaghetti noodles and sauce, jelly, and mac 'n cheese. Please, no family sizes or glass jars allowed. Contact 803-286-4673 or <https://hopeinlancaster.org> for information.

If you are looking for a meaningful way to serve and make a difference in our community, HOPE needs you. Contact the Volunteer Coordinator, Tim Howard, at 803-577-5466 or thoward@hopeinlancaster.org or visit [HOPEinlancaster.org](https://www.volgstics.com/appform/1318157734). The Volunteer Application Link is <https://www.volgstics.com/appform/1318157734>. Thank you.

La despensa **HOPE en Lancaster** necesita: sémola de maíz, estofado de carne, jiffy, fideos espaguetis con salsa, gelatina y macarrones con queso. Por favor, no se permiten tamaños familiares ni frascos de vidrio. Comuníquese al 803-286-4673 o <https://hopeinlancaster.org> para obtener información.

Dear Friends,

Welcome to this sacred place. Holy Mass is the highest form of prayer in the Catholic Church. “The Eucharist is the source and summit of the Christian life.” (Catechism 1324) In the Most Blessed Sacrament of the Eucharist “the body and blood, together with the soul and divinity, of our Lord Jesus Christ and, therefore, the whole Christ is truly, really, and substantially contained” (Catechism 1374) Therefore, out of respect for the Real Presence of Our Lord, please allow yourself plenty of time to arrive early to Mass. Use this time to prayerfully offer The Lord your entire being; clear your mind, offer Him even your distractions, so you can fully participate in the Great Mystery of Our Faith. Please consider also showing the great respect and reverence you have for this sacred liturgy by always wearing your “Sunday best” with modesty. Thank you also for observing other common signs of reverence and respect, such as not chewing gum and silencing your phones.

The Reception of Holy Communion: We welcome to Holy Communion those who are in full communion with the Catholic Faith. We are encouraged to receive Communion devoutly and frequently. In order to be properly disposed to receive Communion, participants should not be conscious of grave sin (1 Cor 11:27-29) and normally should have fasted for one hour (Canon Law 919 §1). Elderly people, those who are ill, and their caretakers are excused from the Eucharistic fast (Canon Law 191 §3). We invite those who are not receiving Holy Communion to remain seated during the communion procession and join us in spirit of prayer for the peace and unity of the entire human family.

Thanks for joining us in this Sacred Liturgy.

Fr. Javier Heredia



Lancaster Area Coalition for the Homeless (LACH) Cooling Center this summer will need the following items: paper products towels, napkins, plates, toilet paper), plastic spoons and forks, first-aid kit/items, laundry detergent, fabric softener, ziploc storage bags (all sizes), garbage bags, 10 and 18 gallon storage tubs, toilet plunger, toilet cleaner, multipurpose clener, mop, broom/dustpan, laxtex gloves, indiviually packaged foods (nutrian bars, fruit cups, cookies, chips, nuts, etc.), and bottled water. LACH continues to need travel-size hygiene items such as soap, shampoo, toothpaste, wipes, tissues, combs, washcloths, mouthwash, etc. Please bring all donated items to the parish office during normal hours. *Thank you for your generosity. Volunteers are needed:* intake specialists, meal servers, meal preparers, and laundry attendants. Contact Emily Price, LACH Volunteer Coordinator at 803-659-5801 or lachhouse@uwaylsc.org.

Este verano, el Centro de enfriamiento de la Coalición del Área de Lancaster para las Personas sin Hogar (LACH) necesitará los siguientes artículos: productos de papel (toallas, servilletas, platos, papel higiénico), cucharas y tenedores de plástico, botiquín de primeros auxilios, detergente para ropa, suavizante de telas, bolsas de almacenamiento ziploc (todos los tamaños), bolsas de basura, tinas de almacenamiento de 10 y 18 galones, destapador de inodoro, limpiador de inodoro, limpiador multiuso, trapeador, escoba/recogedor, guantes laxtex, alimentos envasados individualmente (barritas nutritivas, vasos de fruta, galletas, papas fritas, nueces, etc.) y agua embotellada. LACH sigue necesitando artículos de higiene de tamaño de viaje, como jabón, champú, pasta de dientes, toallitas, pañuelos de papel, peines, paños, enjuague bucal, etc. Traiga todos los artículos donados a la oficina parroquial durante el horario normal. *Gracias por su generosidad. Se necesitan voluntarios:* especialistas en admisión, servidores de comidas, preparadores de comidas y asistentes de lavandería. Comuníquese con Emily Price, coordinadora de voluntarios de LACH, al 803-659-5801 o lachhouse@uwaylsc.org, en inglés.

El Grupo de Oración se reúne **los viernes a las 7 pm** para una hora de alabanzas, catequesis y Adoración al Santísimo Sacramento.

Virtual Prayer Group: To join or submit your prayer request, email stcstm@charlestandiocese.org.

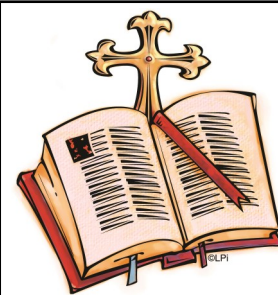
Prayer requests are emailed on Mondays.

Grupo Virtual de Oración: Para unirse o enviar su solicitud de oración, envíe un correo electrónico a stcstm@charlestandiocese.org. Las solicitudes de oración se envían por correo electrónico los lunes.

Visit stcatherinestmichael.flocknote.com to sign up for email and/or text communication. **Make sure you whitelist: mail@flocknote.com in order to receive our emails.**

Visite stcatherinestmichael.flocknote.com para registrarse para recibir comunicaciones por correo electrónico y / o mensajes de texto. **Si despues de suscribirse no recibe correos, revise su spam folder. Si ni asi los recibe entonces envíe un email a: mail@flocknote.com.**

¿Desea celebrar boda, bautizo o quinceañera? En la entrada del Templo se encuentra las hojas con los requisitos. Cuando tenga todo lo que se indica, favor de llamar a la oficina para hacer una cita con el padre. Al menos seis meses antes de la fecha deseada para la celebración de la boda; un año para las quinceañeras y lo más pronto posible para bautizos.



“esten siempre listos a dar razon de su esperanza.” (1 Pe 3:15) **Tenemos Catecismos de la Iglesia Catolica en venta a \$25.** Ya sea para usted o como regalo, por favor considere comprar uno para que crezcan en su conocimiento y devoción a la Verdad que Dios ha revelado.

“always be ready to give reason for your hope.” (1 Pe 3:15)

We have Catechisms of the Catholic Church for sale for \$25. Whether for yourself or as a gift, please consider purchasing one so that they may grow in their knowledge and devotion to the Truth that God has revealed.

Consagración a María.

Siguiendo el modelo de Los Heraldos del Evangelio, como enseña San Luis de Montfort en la Verdadera Devoción, y a través de una serie de clases en línea de un

mes de duración, se promueve y enseña esta importante devoción a los fieles para poderse consagrar a Nuestro Señor Jesucristo por las manos de María. Coordinadoras: Nadia Roman y Loreli Jimenez

Consecration to Mary. Following the model of the Heralds of the Gospel, as taught by St. Louis de Montfort in the True Devotion, and through a month-long series of online classes, this important devotion is promoted and explained to the faithful, so they can consecrate themselves to Our Lord Jesus Christ through the hands of Mary. Ministry coordinators: contact the parish office for information.

Did you know the following Ministries & Groups are active in our parish?

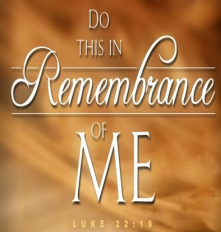
¿Sabía que los siguientes Ministerios y Grupos están activos en nuestra parroquia?

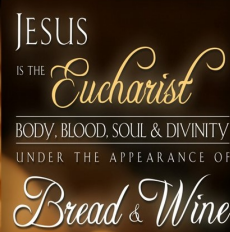
Altar Linens | Mantales de Altar, Altar Servers | Monaguillos, Baptismal Classes | Clases bautismales, Blessed Beginnings, Consagración a María | Consecration to Mary, Coros, Emaús (hombres y mujeres), Faith Formation Program | Programa de Formación de Fe, Finance Council | Consejo de finanzas, Grupo de Oración, Homebound Ministry | Visitas a los enfermos, Juan XXIII, Ladies Guild, Lectors | Lectores, Limpieza y mantenimiento, Parish Pastoral Council | Consejo Pastoral Parroquial, Prayer Shawl Ministry, OCIA | RCIA, Sacristans, Social Needs Ministry | Ministerio de Necesidades Sociales, Ushers | Ujieres, Virtual Prayer Group | Grupo Virtual de Oración, Women’s Bible Study.

Please contact the parish office or Fr. Javier to join.

Por favor comuníquese con la oficina parroquial o con el P. Javier para unirse.

13th Marian Eucharistic Conference / Greenville Convention Center
Friday, Oct. 24 - Saturday, Oct. 25, 2025





Do THIS IN
Remembrance
OF
ME

JESUS
IS THE
Eucharist
BODY, BLOOD, SOUL & DIVINITY
UNDER THE APPEARANCE OF
Bread & Wine

Fr. Joseph Wolfe
EWTH Chaplain &
EWTH Chapel Dean

Fr. Chris Alar
MTC
Provincial Superior

Russ Breault
President & founder of
Shroud of Encounter

Fr. Donald Calloway
MTC, STB, STL
Vicar Provincial

Daniel Cellucci
CEO
Catholic Leadership Institute

John Martignoni
President
Bible Christian Society








For more information, please go to www.meconferencesc.net

RETIRO DE PAREJAS

YMCA Camp Thunderbird
One Thunderbird Lane
Lake Wylie, SC 29710

Gracia de Dios

DIÓCESIS DE CHARLESTON

TEMAS

- El Noviazgo / Autoconocimiento
- La Comunicación
- Planificación Familiar Natural (PFN)
- El Sacramento del Matrimonio
- Lazos Familiares/Cordones Umbilicales
- Un Lazo de Tres

NOV 1-2

Sábado 9:00 AM hasta Domingo 3:00 pm

Hospedaje y comidas incluidas
Costo: \$300 por pareja.



Registaciones cierran 10/27 o cuando el cupo máx. se alcance.
<https://charlestdiocese.flocknote.com/signup/220004>

Come to Christ: A Retreat for Parents of Children and Adults with Special Needs

"But if you can do anything, have compassion on us and help us." (Mark 9:22)

NOVEMBER 8 | SAT
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

PARISH CENTER
ST. PHILIP NEERI CHURCH
292 MUNN RD E, FORT MILL, SC

"Rediscovering the Gifts God Sent Me Through His Extraordinary Children" by Kristen McGuire

20\$/individual | 30\$/couple
Childcare available upon request

Facilitated Group Discussions
Holy Mass | Rosary | Confession | Adoration

REGISTER in advance: <https://tinyurl.com/ComeToChristRetreat25>
For more info: contact familylife@charlestdiocese.org

HelpOurMarriage.org

RETRouvaille
A LIFELINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES

Retrouvaille Marriage Help offers a welcoming and loving space to couples who have been living with the misery of a failing marriage. Retrouvaille offers hope: hope that it is not too late, hope of a different and better marriage. Retrouvaille helps couples to show each other mercy through the opportunities it provides to listen, to forgive, to be reconciled and to move into their futures believing that God loves them and with His help and their efforts, their marriages can be healed and restored. For information about the next program, contact Bill and Lyn Folsom at 727-343-6701 or email: 3062ac@helpourmarriage.org or visit the web site at www.HelpOurMarriage.org.



Love is in the air! No matter how long you have been married, you can still have romance in your marriage. The Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience gives you the tools to keep your marriage alive and vibrant. Join us and see how your relationship can grow.

Sign up today to attend one of the upcoming **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on October 24-26, 2025 in Emerald Isle, NC; and November 14-16, 2025 in North Myrtle Beach, SC.** Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: <https://SCMarriageMatters.org> or contact us at applications@scmarriagematters.org or 803-810-9602.

Travelling? Wherever your vacation destination, plan ahead to observe your Sunday obligation by attending Mass Saturday evening or Sunday at your place of arrival. Locate the times of Masses at your destination at: discovermass.com.

¿De viaje? Sea cual sea su destino de vacaciones, planifique con anticipación la observancia del día del Señor asistiendo a misa el sábado por la noche o el domingo en su lugar de lalegada. Localice los horarios de las misas en su destino en: discovermass.com.

The church is not available for private devotion Fridays from 4:30-6:30 pm for cleaning and maintenance.

La iglesia no estara disponible para devociones privadas los viernes de 4:30-6:30 pm debido a limpieza y mantenimiento.

CONFERENCIA DIOCESANA | MINISTERIO HISPANO

LEVÁNTATE Y ANDA ES TIEMPO DE Esperanza

Jubileo

8:30am a 6pm | 11 de OCTUBRE

Entradas \$10

CONTACTE A SU PARROQUIA PARA OBTENER

CENTRO DE EVENTOS "PLAZA RODEO"
1524 BOILING SPRINGS HWY | GAFFNEY, SC 29341

Celebración diocesana del año jubilar "Peregrinos de la esperanza"

Se invita a la comunidad hispana a celebrar con el obispo este evento el 11 de octubre del 2025 de 8:30 am-6 pm. La dirección es 1524 Boiling Springs Highway, Gafney SC 29341 (Centro de eventos Plaza Rodeo). El costo del boleto es de \$10 dólares. Niños menores de 5 años no pagan entrada. Pueden comprar los boletos en la oficina. Se sugiere que lleven camiseta o blusa roja.

HOPE and Healing Retreat

for infertility and child loss to miscarriage, stillbirth and early infant loss

SATURDAY • SEPT 27 • 10AM
ST ANNE & ST JUDE CHURCH
1855 BECKWOOD RD, SUMTER, SC 29153

Seven Sorrows Rosary Meditation and Reflection
Intro to HOPE Infertility Ministry
Saint Padre Pio Mass and Healing Service

Register: <https://tinyurl.com/HOPERetreat25>
For more info: contact jfflorendo@charlestdiocese.org



As the Church celebrates the **Jubilee Year of Hope** this year, **Bishop Fabre announced that our diocese has four (4) parishes designated as pilgrimage sites. They are:**

Cathedral of St. John the Baptist – 120 Broad St., Charleston

Basilica of St. Peter – 1529 Assembly St., Columbia

Old St. Mary Help of Christians – 125 Park Ave. SE, Aiken

St. Mary – 111 Hampton Ave., Greenville

Pilgrims can receive a plenary indulgence by visiting one of these churches in addition to the normative requirements for obtaining such an indulgence. For more information, visit charlestdiocese.org/jubilee2025/sc-pilgrimage-sites and usccb.org/jubilee2025.

“Be kind to your servant that I may live, that I may keep your word. Open my eyes to see clearly the wonders of your law. I am a sojourner in the land; do not hide your commandments from me” (Ps 119:17-19).