

Jesus said, "Little girl, arise"
and she stood up
and walked around



Our Lady of the Hills Catholic Church

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, June 28th, 2009

Mission Statement

Our Lady of the Hills Roman Catholic Church is inspired by the Holy Spirit and formed by the Gospel, under the patronage of Mary, the Mother of Jesus. As one family under God, the Father, we welcome all who come to us and are particularly mindful of those in need.



Our Lady of the Hills Capital Campaign Prayer

Almighty God, Our Heritage, Our Hope. with grateful hearts, we place all that we have and all that we are, at the service of your will. May the offering of our time, talent, and treasure, be guided by the generous out pouring of the Holy Spirit. Bring to perfection what we have begun in faith. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen. Our Lady of the Hills ...pray for us.

EVANGELIZATION



Do you know of someone who might be interested in learning about the Catholic faith? An invitation to learn more about the Catholic faith through the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is extended, without obligation, to any interested person. This process seeks to foster and support conversion to Christ and to assist in:

- Learning Catholic Teachings - Accepting Christian values and morality
- Developing a prayer life - Becoming a fully initiated and active member of the Catholic Community

R.C.I.A. is also an excellent opportunity to learn more about your faith tradition. For more information please call the parish office@ 772-7400.

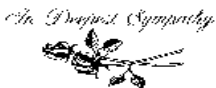
The First Step to the RCIA: Inquiry

There are four Steps in RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults). At the end of each step of these four steps those in the class decide if they wish to continue. The last step of the process includes coming into the Church. The RCIA journey begins with the Inquiry Phase. For some, the journey or inquiry began perhaps with discussions held with a Catholic friend or spouse. Some began their journey in the Catholic Church within their own home with their parents, but for some reason never got Baptized or Confirmed. In addition to these, others on their Faith journey within the Church just want to know more about their faith and get their questions answered!

In the Inquiry phase, basic information about Christianity and Catholic beliefs are discussed. At OLH this phase has 6 sessions. The first took place on May 31st and goes through to the end of July. The end of this phase takes place at the Rite of Welcome-to is held in early August. Then the second phase---the Catechumenate Phase begins.

RCIA Classes are held at 10 AM in the Library in the Family Life Center. The dates for the 2009 Inquiry Phase of RCIA are: July 12, 19, and 26. For more information call Deacon Burdick at 798-8296 or the Parish at 772-7400.

PRAYER AND WORSHIP



Our prayers and sympathies are extended to Jim and Marsha Sansonetti on the death of Jim's brother-in-law, Joe Cioffi. We also extend sympathies to Pat Cioffi and family. The Cioffis are former parishioners. May he rest in God's peace.

On Thursday, July 2nd, there will be Vespers beginning at 5 pm in the church. This is the first Thursday of the month so we will also pray Sacred Heart Devotions. Please join us for this special prayer service that will last to approximately 6:15pm.

Joy in the Spirit Charismatic Prayer Group meets in the church on Tuesdays from 7:00-8:30 p.m. Please join us for prayer, praise, and worship. We seek a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ and the power of the Holy Spirit to transform our lives in service to Him. For questions or more information, please call Deannie Tourville (781-1225) or Ginny Riga (772-9115). To learn more about renewal in the Catholic Church, go to www.chariscenterusa.org

VOCATION REFLECTION: The world needs the healing touch of Jesus. Who will reach out in Jesus' name? Consider becoming a priest, deacon, brother, or sister. (Mark 5:21-43)

MASS INTENTIONS & SCRIPTURE READINGS

	Date	Scripture Reading	Time	Requested by	Intention
Sat., June 27	Gn 18: 1-15 Mt 8: 5-17				
	Wis 1: 13-15, 2: 23-24 2 Cor 8: 7,9, 13-15 Mk 5: 21-43	5:30PM	Kathryn Kunz +		Sherri Willenborg
Sun., June 28	" " " "	8:00AM	Deceased Reiland Family Members +		Reiland's
	" " " "	10:00AM	Jack Moran +		The Sookikian's
	" " " "	12Noon	Francis Galano +		Mary Moran
	" " " "	2:00PM	For the Parish		
Mon., June 29	Acts 12: 1-11 2 Tm 4: 6-8, 17-18 Mt 16: 13-19	7:30AM	Fred J. Krauss, Jr.+		Madeline Gorman Cobb
Tues., June 30	Gn 19: 15-29 Mt 8: 23-27	6:00PM	Fran Moeller +		Sylvia Zeeff
Wed., July 1	Gn 21: 5, 8-20a Mt 8: 28-34	12:15PM	Julie Arcury +		Maggie Mackaben
	" " " "		Deceased Members of Sison Families +		Gil & Bella Valena
Thurs, July 2	Gn 22: 1b-19 Mt 9:1-8	12:15PM	Gene Sekula. +		Herb & Barb Hunt
Fri., July 3	Eph 2: 19-22 Jn 20:24-29	12:15PM	Ruth Monard +		Fr. Droze
Sat., July 4	Gn 27:1-5, 15-29 Mt 9: 14-17	9:00AM	Layton Morris +		Theresa Morris
	Ez 2:2-5 2 Cor 12:7-10 Mk 6:1-6a	5:30PM	Fran Moeller +		Pat Reiland
Sun., July 5	" " " "	8:00AM	Richard Ballard +		Lien
	" " " "	10:00AM	For the Parish		
	" " " "	12 Noon	Stephen "Butchie" Paskowich, III. +		Great Grandmother - Maria Hoffman
	" " " "	2:00PM	Deceased Klouse Brothers +		Gloria

JULY 4th & 5th

MASS	PRESIDER	MUSIC	LECTOR	ALTAR SERVERS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION*
Sat., 5:30PM	Father Droze	Joyful Noise	Gil Valena	Daniel Adkins, Jarred Lowe, Rachel Catalano	Deacon Charles DiRusso, Ron Akins, Mark Gray, Sam Allen, Charles Hood, Ina King, Nydia Burdick
Sun., 8AM	Father Droze	Organ	Randi Olafson	Jake Waincott, Paul Melton	Deacon Steve Burdick, Linda Schmidt, Bill Baker, John Volmer, Chris Stockholm
10 AM	Father Droze	Morning Star Choir	Sean McLaughlin	Jennifer Wilkins, Evan Devine, Michael Naso	Deacon Dennis Jones, Fran Dudley, Suzanne Gooch, Amy & Paul Hudacko, Steve Lee, Rachel Edmunds
12 Noon	Father Droze	Organ	Robert Menhart	Carol Ann Leeman, Cameron Taylor	Dennis Jones, Sue Darlington, John Bender, Jan Espino, Bonnie Harwick, Annie Gibson, Jeannie Butler
2 PM	Father Lache	Spanish Choir			

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS



Orlando Alers, Sharon Allen, Kathy Lopiccolo Ammermann, Manuel Ard, Christine Arehart, Edward Arvalo, JoAnn Austen, Monique Beddengfield, John Berg II, Noah Berg, Barbara Berch, Ewald Bernhagen, Robert Blaze, John Boone, Susan Bowers, Lorena Bradshaw, Jerry Broughton, Sharon Brown, Gary Brucker, Julie Burtis, Jack Byars, Debra Bytnar, Ann Campbell, Ellen Campbell, Judy Case, Laura Church, Kathryn Clark, Bruce Cole, Jim Connelly, Shannon Connolly, Bill & April Conroy, Andy Corbett, Sonja Corley, Pat Coval, Amy Cox, David Cunningham, Connie Curtis, Cameron Dadger, Paula Dannels, Diane Del Tova, Lynne D'Eredita, Susan Dietrich, William Dillon III, Dr. Rosita Dizon, Heather Dorn, Kathryn Doucett, John Duffy, Larry Echerer, Natalie & Bill Emerick, Nancy Esposito, B. Evans, Stacy Ewart, Camille Farrell, Wilma Feltus, Marie Ferreri, Bette Fine, Rev. Robert Fix, Bernadine Fontaine, Brendan Fontaine, John Freeman, Sandra Gaines, John Gandolfo, Betsy Gilkeson, Barbara Glenn, Ben Greer, Martha Hale, Scottie Hallbick, Sr. Kathleen Halligan, Tim Hancock, Pat Hartley, Loretta Hebert, Harold Hoffman Jr., Justin Hooks, Margie & Jim Horosko, Daniel Hudacko, James Hughes, Emily Hunt, Dorothy Irwin, Larry Janczak, Lorenzo Johnson, Raymond June, Father Filemon Juya, Kevin Kaminsky, Lynn Keller, Rick Kelly, Hal Kennedy, Miriam Ketcham, Charles King, Leah Klevgard, Bill Knipper, Shawn Knox, Edward Kriner, John Lazur, Antonio Lazaro, Kristin Lesesne, Floyd Lipe, George Lusk, Barbara MacCallum, Louis Martin, Marie Masters, Maria Martinez, Mildred McCormack, Frieda McNinch, Melissa Martin, Eunice Matthews, Irene McCarty, Irene McCollam, Kathy McNeal, Johnny McManus, Ed Martella, Carol Meitus, Buddy Meyers, Joan Miller, Lorraine Mitchell, Donald Montjoy, Kim Munch, Sherri Nilsson, Jane Obie, Tom O'Brien, Patricia O'Hara, Becky Opachan, Lu Parkinson, Johnny Pellitier, Marguerite Perry, Phyllis Peterson, Eileen Petrinsky, Charles Petrino, Cathy Pharo, Nicola D. Pizzuti, Rocky Pocock, Anthony Portigiana, John Post, Paul Potter, Annabelle Price, Margaret Principino, Sally & Placido Prujillo, John Ravita, Margaret Reed, Lynn Reiland, Norbert Rohling, Ernest Rouse, Jr., Dorothy Rozof, Stella Ruiz, Joseph Schachner, Charles Schaffer, Helen Schmidt, O.J. Schonhardt, Greg Schoning, Brigette Schutzman, Rosemary Scopel, Rosemary Scott, Dan Sease, Daniel Seay, Alan Shealy, Steve Shepard, Lauren Shunkwiler, Courtney Singleton, Dennis Skraba, Connie Slezak, Dawn Smith, Max Snyder, Kathy Solkofske, Sam Spade, Sue Spinuzza, Nicholas Sprekel, Delores Stevens, Dave Stevenson, Molly Taylor, Rita Thoennes, Diane Thornton, Virgil Treece, Janis Tribble, Eva Tyson, Lemar Underdown, Bob Valwa, Lucille Verhoff, Ann Weaver, Juanita Wharten, Michael Williams, Todd Williams, Amanda Wilson, Chris Wilson, Kenneth Witcraft, Paul Womak, Pat Yerema and all men & women serving in the military.

If you find yourself or a loved one as a patient in a hospital and are in need of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, please call the office during business hours as soon as possible. Please do not wait until your loved one is in critical condition. There can be unavoidable delays in a priest getting to the hospital immediately. Also, if you plan on entering the hospital for a particular procedure, you may receive the Sacrament of the Anointing, prior to admission, by making contact with the parish office.

Our Lady of the Hills Catholic Church
Committed to Safety

All employees and volunteers who work with children attend a Safe Environment Seminar, undergo a background check by law enforcement, read & accept the Sex Abuse Policy and Procedures of the Diocese of Charleston, and read and accept the Diocesan Code of Conduct. By law many who work with children are mandatory reporters for alleged abuse; however, in the interest of a safe environment, all adults should consider themselves mandatory reporters of any alleged abuse. The Sexual Abuse Policy and procedures of the Diocese is available in the church office for your convenience or it can be accessed from the Diocesan website @ www.catholic-doc.org. The following numbers are provided for your information.

DIOCESAN VICTIM ASSISTANCE MINISTER ~ 800-921-8122
DIOCESAN OFFICE OF CHILD PROTECTION SERVICES ~ 843-853-2130 ext. 209

ALL MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST and MINISTERS OF CARE-please pick up your identification card in the sacristy. If you are both a Minister of Care and Minister of the Eucharist-you will have two cards. These cards do not have an expiration date.

CHRISTIAN FORMATION

PHONE NUMBER FOR THE
OFFICE OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION IS 772-7759

ATTENTION ALL CHILDREN WHO RECEIVED THEIR FIRST COMMUNION: FIRST COMMUNION BANNERS ARE IN THE NARTHEX READY FOR PICK UP.

Registration Forms for Religious Education are in the Narthex. All children in grades kindergarten through grade 12 need to fill out this form. **REGISTER NOW TO AVOID THE PRICE INCREASE ON JULY 15, 2009. ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CALL JACKIE BRACE @ 772-7759.**



Attention Junior High and High School Youth! Bible Study will meet on Tuesday, June 30th, at 7:30 pm at the Hudacko's. Please call Elizabeth or Amy at 407- 3385 for more information.

Paper Goods Drive

OLH youth Ministry will be sponsoring a paper goods drive this summer on behalf of Christ Central ministries. CCM is a ministry to the homeless located in down town Columbia. In order to help them keep some of their costs down we will be collecting paper goods through out the summer. Some of the requested items are paper towels and napkins, paper plates(those that close or sturdy round ones)8 & 16 Oz cups plastic and Styrofoam, plastic silverware, paper bowls, toilet paper, sugar, coffee and lawn size trash bags. A box will be in the narthex to collect any donations. Thank you in advance for al your kindness. Any questions contact Elizabeth Hudacko 407-3385.

Summer is finally here but before we know it will be time to head back to the classroom. Our Junior High Religious Education program is in need of teachers for next school year. We need 7th & 8th grade teachers. Won't you prayerfully consider this ministry as you take some time to recharge your battery this summer? We would love to have our teachers all lined up before August. If you have any questions please contact Elizabeth Hudacko 407-3385. Thank you for your prayerful consideration of this very important ministry.

TIME TO GET FIRED UP!

Once again, the Diocese of Charleston is sponsoring its biennial Fire at the Beach Conference. This year's event will take place on Friday, September 18th and Saturday, September 19th, at St. Francis by the Sea, Hilton Head Island. Keynote addresses will be offered by Marcus Grodi, well-known author, founder of the Coming Home Network, and weekly host of "The Journey Home" on EWTN, and Janet Smith, professor, author, consultant to the Pontifical council on the Family, and internationally known defender and explicator of "Humanae Vitae" (the encyclical by Pope Paul VI, "On Human Life") and "Veritatis Splendor" speakers will be joined by a number of small group and workshop presenters who will touch on a wide variety of topics appealing to adults seeking to grow in an appreciation of our Catholic faith. More information about the conference, lodging, and early bird registration available at the conference website:

www.fireatthebeach.org.

OPEN GYM - RISING 7TH - 12 GRADERS,
WEDNESDAY, JULY, 7 - 9:30 PM , FAMILY LIFE
CENTER GYM JOIN US FOR BASKETBALL,
DODGEBALL, GAMES, AND FUN!



The Wednesday morning Scripture Study will meet this Wednesday, July 1st , at 10 am in the library of the Family Life Center. Please join us as we share the Sunday readings. NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY.

COMMUNITY BUILDING

The Tuesday Pinochle Group is looking for card players. If you are interested and need more info please contact Jim Assemany @ 407-6455.



June 28th - OLH Men's Group, July 5th - Knights of Columbus. Families and/or church ministries who would like to host the coffee and Donuts social after the 10:00 Mass once a month or more, please call Fran Dudley, 781- 0706 or the parish office.

THE LOST AND FOUND CABINET IN THE ATRIUM IS FILLING UP!!!! IF YOU ARE MISSING ITEMS, PLEASE CHECK THE CABINET. ITEMS NOT CLAIMED IN A REASONABLE AMOUNT OF TIME WILL BE DONATED.

This Week at OLH

Monday, June 29

7:00PM -State Fair Catholic Booth Meeting - Library

7:00PM - Boy Scouts - Croghan Center

Tuesday, June 30

7:00PM - Joy in the Spirit Prayer Group - Church

Wednesday, July 1

10:00AM - Scripture Study - PC Library

7:00PM - Open Gym / Rising 7th - 12th Graders - PC Gym

7:00PM - Legion of Mary - PC Library

Thursday, July 2

12:45PM - 23 Hour Adoration - Church Nursery

5:00PM - Vespers & Sacred Heart Devotion - Church

7:00PM - Morning Star Choir - Church

Friday, July 3

Parish Office Closed

Adoration Continues until 12 Noon

Saturday, July 4

Sunday, July 5

9:00AM - Sunday Scripture Study - PC Library

10:00AM - Inquiry - PC Library

12:30PM - Spanish Choir - PC Library

SOCIAL OUTREACH



At 9 weeks after conception unborn children begin thumb-sucking. Between 12 and 16 weeks they often touch their mouths, up to 50 times an hour. Teeth start to grow by 13 weeks. Beginning at 14 weeks developmental differences between boys and girls begin to appear: female fetuses move their mouths much more frequently than males. --The Endowment for Human Development, www.ehd.org



Home Works of America is sponsoring week long summer sessions in Charleston, July 12-19, and Covington, LA, July 12-19. Youth and adults are needed to make repairs to the homes of the elderly and disadvantaged. No skill level required, your mere presence conveys hope. For more info or to help in any manner contact Hank Chardos 781-4536 or email h.chardos@homeworksusa.net.

Thanks to those who continue to support the homeless and less fortunate in the Columbia area. We are particularly in need of: Blankets, clothing, personal hygiene products, tote or book bags. All items may be placed in the white chest in the Narthex. Monetary donations may be made to Christ Central Missions, 2401 Main St, Columbia, 29201.

Christ Central a local mission that assists the homeless and less fortunate in the Columbia area, is in need of part time volunteer to answer the phone. Also needed, are volunteers to serve in the kitchen, do light office work, sort clothes, or serve as a receptionist. No experience required. Please call Sister Sylvia @ 765-1998.

In these times of economic stress, we want to remind everyone that our St. Vincent de Paul Society, maintains a food pantry. Any parishioner needing assistance please call the crisis line 803-465-1644. All calls are confidential.

Our SVDP pantry is in need of laundry detergent, toilet paper and paper towels at the present time.

Midlands Deanery Prison Ministry: St. Martin de Porres Parish in Columbia, will host the Midlands Deanery Prison Ministry Workshop by the Diocesan Office of Jail and Prison on August 8, 2009 from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. All who are interested in becoming a Parish Prison Minister should attend this workshop (no commitment is required). Anyone who is experienced and can share their ministry with those who are attending is also welcome. Bi-lingual (English/Spanish) speakers are encouraged to attend. Coffee and light refreshments will be provided. To register go to www.supportcatholiccharities.org and click on the prison ministry site or email Deacon Jim Hyland at jhyland@catholic-doc.org or phone 843-522-6518. There is no cost.

The memory of an abortion can happen years after the abortion experience. It may be triggered by a wanted pregnancy or someone else's pregnancy and/or childbirth. Flashbacks, depression, eating disorders, and drug or alcohol abuse can occur. Rachel's Vineyard Retreats offer a chance to heal from an abortion experience. For more information about our next retreat, August 14-16, 2009, please contact Christy 803 554 6088 or Kathy 803 546 6010 or grace4healing@gmail.com or 877 HOPE 4 ME Everything is kept confidential.

STEWARDSHIP

PARISH SUPPORT	LAST WEEK	YEAR TO DATE
Budget Amt. Needed	\$14,000.00	\$ 714,000.00
Amt. Received 6/21	\$12,424.00	\$ 739,645.00
Variance	(\$ 1,576.00)	\$ 25,645.00
Capital Campaign Rec'd	\$ 2,333.00	\$1,161,645.00

Total Number of registered households.....1389
 Total Number of Envelopes 6/21242
 Children's Stewardship.....\$0.00
 Providence Home for Men.....\$200.00

One of the simplest ways to make a future gift to Our Lady of the Hills is through your will. Please call the Parish Office for details on how to make arrangements.

OUR LADY OF THE HILLS CHURCH

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, (Vigil) 5:30 PM

Sunday, 8AM, 10AM & 12NOON

Spanish Mass -2 P.M.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday, 4pm or by appointment

ST.VINCENT DE PAUL Crisis Line 465-1644

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Marriages - Contact Parish Office at least 6 months prior to wedding

Baptism - Pre-registration required. Contact Parish Office.

THERE IS A NURSERY AVAILABLE DURING THE 10AM LITURGY.
 ALSO AVAILABLE, ARE AIDS FOR THE HEARING
 IMPAIRED. PLEASE ASK AN USHER FOR ASSISTANCE.

We extend a warm welcome to all who are visiting or are here for the first time. If you attend Our Lady of the Hills regularly and consider this your parish, please take the time to register by asking an usher at Mass or calling the Parish Office. Please use the envelope system to practice Good Stewardship of the many gifts God has given to you and your family and to help support your Parish, Diocese, and the worldwide Church.

SPECIAL INTERESTS

Sometimes the joy in our marriage can feel "dead". Jesus can bring life into our marriage and the joy that we desire in our relationship. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is planned for September 25-27, 2009, in Myrtle Beach. For more information visit our South Carolina website at <http://sc.wwme.org/> or contact Bart & Laurie Huffman at 864-575-4951/lahuffman@prtcnet.com or our registration couple Steve & Nydia Burdick 803-798-8296/scwwme@gmail.com.

NEED A "WEEK" IDEA FOR THE SUMMER FOR KIDS?

The Oratory Religion Camp is being held July 12th-18th or July 19th-25th. This camp is for children 6-12 yrs old and is at a low cost of \$125.00 for the week. This includes food, room, and all activities and snacks. We have religion in the morning and then in the afternoon we have sports, arts and crafts and swimming with a certified lifeguard. We serve three meals a day along with an afternoon snack. Evenings are spent with different activities. Need more information about the camp, you can access our website www.oratorycamp.com or call Fr. William Pentis at The Oratory at 803-327-3236. This is the 39th year of the camp. Join in the fun as we pray, play and praise the Lord. Applications for campers and counselors may also be downloaded from our website.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES ADOPTION REUNION REGISTRY
Catholic Charities handled adoptions for many years until the 1990's. During that time, thousands of adoptions took place. Catholic Charities has available a reunion registry. This registry is available to those who were adopted through Catholic Charities and their biological parent. If you were involved in an adoption through Catholic Charities and are interested in learning more about the reunion registry, please contact Catholic Charities at 843-402-9115 x 15.

THE ORATORY SUMMER BIBLE INSTITUTE JULY 19TH - JULY 24TH, 2009

FACILITATORS:

FR. DANIEL HARRINGTON, S. J. - "Paul and Christian Life:

A Virtue Ethics Approach" What is often called Paul's ethical teaching is mainly Christian character formation. Who am I? What is my goal, or what do I want to be? And How do I get there?

SR. JOAN COOK, S.C. - "I will be with you and bless you!"

We will read the book of Genesis through the eyes of modern scholarship, to learn how archaeologists, anthropologists, geographers, historians, storytellers and pastors can enrich our understanding of the Bible's first book

For more information call The Oratory @ 803-327-2097.

Can you open your home to a Hispanic Young Adult for one night?



The Diocese of Charleston Hispanic community will be hosting an annual regional workshop. Hispanic young adults from the South East USA region will be attending from the 14 regional dioceses. This workshop will be held on September 12 and 13 at this Our Lady of the Hills Church. We need families to offer their home for the one night for about 250 members.

Br. Carlos L. Parrilla, CSC, whose office is at our parish, will be appealing for Christian hospitality during our Masses on June 27 and 28.

Summer Fun Fridays at St Francis Catholic shop! On alternate Fridays at 4PM: Catholic Bible game hour (learn as you play, no previous knowledge necessary) for ages 9-12 or 1/2 hour story time (our fourth annual) for ages 5-8. Game Fridays: 7/10, 7/24 Story time: 7/17, 7/31. NO DROP OFFS! Parents must remain in the store. For more information call 561-9733 or e-mail stfrancissshop@bellsouth.net

The UNDERTONES a 7 member all vocal sub-group of the Notre Dame Glee Club will be performing in NE Columbia on Friday, July 3rd at St. John Neumann Church, 100 Polo Road, from 7 - 9 pm. This concert will follow our usual practice of being open to the public with FREE admission. We do ask you for food donations to Harvest Hope Food Bank if you can. For additional information contact Steven Rudnicki srudnicki@sc.rr.com or 736-4307.

Are you looking for a life-changing experience? Do you want to deepen your faith? Would you like to understand more about God's gift of sexuality, love, marriage, parenting and family - and be able to explain it to others? If you answered yes to any of these questions, then please prayerfully consider taking a new online course offered by Family Honor, **The Truth and Meaning of Sexuality, Love and Family: Cultural Implications**

You'll learn about a wide range of topics that impact your life, whether you are a single adult, experienced parent, youth ministry leader, catechist, teacher or clergy. Subjects include; Theology of the Body, Child Development, male-female complementarity, fertility appreciation, the history of sex education and much more. Visit Family Honor's website:

www.familyhonor.org for an application and more info or call our office in Columbia 803-929-0858. For the Fall, 2009 semester, Family Honor must receive your completed application by July 15, 2009. The online course begin on August 15. Family Honor, Inc. is a national Catholic non-profit organization, base in Columbia whose mission is to create opportunities and provide tools for parent and children to connect on important life issues, with a special focus on chastity and God's gift of sexuality.
