



*Our Lady of the Hills
Catholic Church
Diocese of Charleston
1ST Sunday of Lent
February 10th, 2008*

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.

PRAYER AND WORSHIP

Friday, February 15th, Stations of the Cross at 6 p.m. followed by a soup supper, sponsored by the OLH Women's Group, in the atrium of the Family Life Center. Also, this year following the soup supper the Lenten Study facilitated by Father Droze will be held in the library (see notice below). Providing the soup this week will be members of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Knights of Columbus.

Lent Study Series- the study series on the book Come Be My Light- will be held on Friday evenings after Stations of the Cross and Soup dinner. The study series presented by Father Droze will begin on Friday February 15th at 7:00 pm and conclude at 8:00 pm in the Atrium. You will need to bring your copy of Mother Teresa's book Come Be My Light. You DO NOT need to register ahead of time.

The schedule of area Lenten Communal Penance Services is printed below. All services are scheduled to begin at 7 p.m. unless otherwise indicated.

Thursday, February 28th - St. Martin de Porres @ 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, March 6th - St. Joseph's

Tuesday, March 11th - Transfiguration

Thursday, March 13th - Our Lady of the Hills

Tuesday, March 4th - Our Lady of the Lake

Monday, March 10th, - St. Peter's

Wednesday, March 12th - Corpus Christi

Friday, March 14th - St. John Neumann

Joy in the Spirit Charismatic Prayer Group meets in the church on Tuesdays from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. We are renewed by the Holy Spirit as we praise God through singing, praying, Scripture reading, teaching and sharing. We are a family prayer group and all ages are welcome. Please join us. For more information, call Jack or Sharon Crocker (356-3042) or Deanie Tourville (781-1225).

There will be Vespers on Thursday, February 14th, at 5:00 pm in the church. This is the first Thursday of the month so we will also pray Devotions to the Sacred Heart. Please join us for this special prayer service that will last to approximately 6:30 p.m. All materials are provided.

Centering Prayer Group meets in the church on Monday at 6:00 p.m. each week. For more information, call Jennifer Chandler at 361-6137.

VOCATION REFLECTION: We do not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God. Who will proclaim that word to us? Pray for an increase of vocations to priesthood and religious life. (Matthew 4:1-11)



We extend congratulations and blessings to Matthew Joseph Beagen, IV, son of Matthew & Christine Beagen, who received First Eucharist on Sunday, February 3rd, at the 10:00 a.m. mass

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

MASS INTENTIONS & SCRIPTURE READINGS

Date	Scripture Reading	Time	Intention	Requested by
Sat., Feb. 9	Is 58:9b-14 Lk 5:27-32			
	Gn 2:7-9,1-7 Rom 5:12-19 Mt 4:1-11	5:30PM	George Van Besien +	Jackie
Sun., Feb.10	“ “ “ “	8:00AM	For the Parish	
	“ “ “ “	10:00AM	Jim Eddins +	Bush Family
	“ “ “ “	12Noon	Joann Johnson +	Peggy
	“ “ “ “	2:00PM	Souls in Purgatory	Mark Cotter
Mon., Feb.11	Lv 19:1-2,11-18 Mt 25:31-46	7:30AM	William Finnerty +	Joe Kennedy
Tues., Feb.12	Is 55:10-11 Mt 6: 7-15	6:00PM	James Cornwell +	Bernhagens
Wed., Feb.13	Jon 3:1-10 Lk 11:29-32	12:15PM	Cassie Kiejna +	Virginia Jacobs
			James Cornwell +	Frances Moeller
Thurs., Feb.14	Est C: 12,14-16,23-25 Mt 7: 7-12	12:15PM	Jeff Reiland +	Ted & Sherry Marshall
Fri., Feb. 15	Ez 18:21-28 Mt 5:20-26	12:15PM	Jackie Paradis +	Mary & Bill Ellis
Sat., Feb. 16	Dt 26:16-19 Mt 5:43-48			
	Gn 12:1-4a 2Tm 1:8b-10 Mt 17:1-9	5:30PM	Julie & Kurt Thiel +	Family
Sun., Feb 17	“ “ “ “	8:00AM	St. Elmo Dulin +	Vance Dulin
	“ “ “ “	10:00AM	Ruth Schrank +	J.O.Y. Group
	“ “ “ “	12 Noon	For the Parish	
	“ “ “ “	2:00PM	Special Intentions of Frank Scully Family	Pat & Rosemary

February 16th & 17th

MASS	PRESIDER	MUSIC	LECTOR	ALTAR SERVERS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION*
Sat., 5:30 pm	Father Droze	Joyful Noise	Gil Valena	Andrew Lofurno, Rachel Catalano, Kaitlin Ward	Ron Akins, Janet & Ken Hunt, Eric Longshore, Marsha Sansonetti, Rocky Pizzarello
8:00 am	Father Droze	Organ	Randi Olafson	Jake Wainscott, Paul Melton	Sr. Christina, Vicki Smith, Gary & Linda Jasinski
10:00 am	Father Bernard	Traditional Choir	Donna DeMichael	Matthew Arnold, Louis Biles, Nicole Biles	Kathleen Doran, Fran Dudley, Don Gagnon, Phil and Carly Samek, Chris Stockholm
12Noon	Father Droze	Organ	Andrew Klasnic	Miles Silber, Dylan Silber, Eric Zimovan	Jan Espino, Liz Berg, Dave Brangan, Bonnie Harwick, Mary Ellen rouse, Kathy Zimovan
2 pm	Father Lache	Sp. Choir			

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS



Orlando Alers, Sharon Allen, Kathy Lopiccolo Ammermann, Manuel Ard, Christine Arehart, Edward Arvalo, Bill Baker, John Berg II, Noah Berg, Barbara Berch, Ewald Bernhagen, Cindy Blackman, Robert Blaze, William Bolich, John Boone, Sharon Brown, Julie Burtis, Jack Byars, Debra Bytnar, Ann Campbell, Ellen Campbell, Judy Case, Hayley Chaplain, Bruce Cole, Jim Connelly, Shannon Connolly, Bill & April Conroy, Sonja Corley, Pat Coval, Amy Cox, Cameron Dadger, Stephanie Dannels, Diane Del Tova, Lynne D'Eredita, Susan Dietrich, Dr. Rosita Dizon, Heather Dorn, Kathryn Doucett, Lisa Duda, John Duffy, Natalie & Bill Emerick, Nancy Esposito, Stacy Ewart, Camille Farrell, Wilma Feltus, Rev. Robert Fix, Bernadine Fontaine, Brendan Fontaine, John Freeman, Sandra Gaines, Betsy Gilkeson, Luther Glenn, Pat Goodspeed, Susan

Gorman, Virginia Goslee, Ben Greer, Scottie Hallbick, Sr. Kathleen Halligan, Parker Hebda, Loretta Hebert, Harold Hoffman Jr., Justin Hooks, Margie & Jim Horosko, Daniel Hudacko, James Hughes, Emily Hunt, Dorothy Irwin, Frank Irizarry, Larry Janczak, Lorenzo Johnson, Raymond June, Kevin Kaminsky, Karen Kays, Lynn Keller, Rick Kelly, Hal Kennedy, Miriam Ketcham, Shawn Knox, Edward Kriner, John & Julie Lazur, Antonio Lazaro, Kristin Lesesne, Floyd Lipe, Barbara MacCallum, Louis Martin, Marie Masters, Maria Martinez, Mildred McCormack, Frieda McNinch, Jane Mary Martel, Melissa Martin, Eunice Matthews, Irene McCollam, Kathy McNeal, Regina McKnight, Johnny McManus, Barbara Mathias, Carol Meitus, Ed Martella, Lorraine Mitchell, Donald Montjoy, Madonna Mueke, Jane Obie, Tom O'Brien, Patricia O'Hara, Bailey Oliger, Becky Opachan, Lu Parkinson, Johnny Pellitier, Marguerite Perry, Phyllis Peterson, Eileen Petransky, Charles Petrino, Cathy Pharo, Anthony Portigiana, Paul Potter, Annabelle Price, Margaret Principino, Margaret Reed, Jay Reedy, Lynn Reiland, Edna Reilly, Norbert Rohling, Dorothy Rozof, Stella Ruiz, Joe Schachner, Charles Schaffer, Robert & Helen Schmidt, Jeanette Schmidt, Bernard Schmidt, O.J. Schonhardt, Brigitte Schutzman, Rosemary Scopel, Rosemary Scott, Dan Sease, Daniel Seay, Alan Shealy, Steve Shepard, Connie Slezak, Al Smith, Dawn Smith, Max Snyder, Sam Spade, Sue Spinuzza, Nicholas Sprenkel, Dave Stevenson, Molly Taylor, Diane Thornton, Dr. Peter Tucci, Eva Tyson, Lemar Underdown, Mary VanBrunt, Bob Valwa, Lucille Verhoff, Lynn Wainscott, Juanita Wharten, Leila Will, Michael Williams, Todd Williams, Amanda Wilson, Chris Wilson, Kenneth Witcraft, Paul Womak, Pat Yerema, Michael York 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 before you are admitted by making contact with the parish office.



The Legion of Mary needs you!! We meet every Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. at the the OLH Family Life Center Library. We pray the Rosary and the Legion prayers. We also give our reports on the work we've done during the week. Joining the Legion is a great opportunity to evangelize, as we are all called to do. For more information, call Mary Limpert @ 732-0424 or just come to one of our meetings.

CHRISTIAN FORMATION

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

**Attention Parents - 3rd Grade Classes will meet at the Church
this Wednesday, February 13th.**



**Attention Junior High and High School
Youth! Bible Study will meet on Tuesday,
February 12th, 7:30 pm at the Hudacko's.
Call Amy or Elizabeth at 407-3385 for more information.**

**IT IS NEVER TOO EARLY TO THINK ABOUT A
VACATION.... VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL THAT IS.
THIS YEAR OUR ADVENTURE WILL TAKE US TO THE
RAINFOREST DURING THE WEEK OF JUNE 16TH -
20TH . WATCH THE BULLETIN FOR MORE DETAILS.**

Sacramental People

**As members of this parish community prepare for
Confirmation, we the faithful journey with them.
DO YOU REMEMBER THE SAINT YOU PICKED FOR
YOUR CONFIRMATION? PLEASE READ TODAY'S
INSERT THAT IS WRITTEN BY SOME OF
OUR CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES. PLEASE PRAY
FOR THEM AS THEY PREPARE FOR THE SACRAMENT.**



**THE WEDNESDAY MORNING SCRIPTURE
STUDY - Will meet on Wednesday, February
13th, at 10:00 a.m. in the library of the Family
Life Center. NO EXPERIENCE
NECESSARY.**

COMMUNITY BUILDING

Oh Where, Oh Where can they be??? Missing from the
Family Life Center kitchen are a 20 gallon soup pot and 1 full size
slotted steamer lid. If found, please return to parish office.

Attention! Boys & Girls ages 10-14 - The Knights of
Columbus (Council 6892) is sponsoring our annual Free-throw
Shooting Contest on Sunday, February 10th for 9 a.m. - 1:15 p.m. in
our gym (Family Life Center). The event is open to all boys and
girls in that age range. Membership at this parish is not mandatory--
so, bring your friends. All entrants will receive a certificate of
participation and a patch. Our Council will send 10 winners (5
boys & 5 girls) one from each age group to the regional to be held
on Saturday, February 16th at St. Joseph's in Columbia. So practice
your shooting, eat your carrots for an "eagle" eye and be sure to
come to the OLH gym on Sunday, February 10th. For more info
please call Dante Tomasini @ 798-0926.

**BASKETBALL: The OLH Men's
Basketball Teams will play on Monday,
Feb., 11th - Team #3 will play at 6:30 p.m.,
Team #1 will play at 7:30 p.m. On
Tuesday, Feb., 12th - Team # 2 will play at 6:30 p.m. All
games are played at Crossroads School on St. Andrews
Road.**



**Father Droze and the Pastoral Council of Our Lady of the
Hills are asking parishioners if they would like to serve
the parish as a member of the Council. If you are
interested or need more information please call Father
Droze at the parish office 772-7400 ext. 1.**

Church Interior Update

Due to the fact that our insurance covered the full cost
of the replacement of the church air conditioner (last summer) we
were able to use the money we would have had to put into the
eventual replacement of the air conditioner to have the church
floor marble tiled. A parishioner was kind enough to pay the
\$1000.00 insurance deductible for the new air conditioning unit.
The carpet on the altar was purchased from Church funds that we
have on hand. The color tones in the carpet were chosen to
complement the colors in our Church. The pattern on the carpet is
a Fleur De Les - a Symbol of Mary, the Mother of God and our
parish Patroness. Therefore, no money was used from the Capital
Campaign funds for the interior church improvements. Please pray
for all of our generous benefactors.

ATTENTION!!!!

OLOH is looking for singer/songwriter's to perform for the
Coffeehouse/Kareoke Night
Fundraiser on Friday, May 9, 2008. All interested Parties should
call Beth Ann at the Church office to schedule an audition. Each
artist/group should be ready to perform 3 songs for a FAMILY
FRIENDLY CROWD. Cut off for Auditions will be March 30th.

This Week at our Parish

Monday, February 11

6:00PM - Centering Prayer - Church
6:30PM - T.O.P.S. Mtg - Croghan Center
7:00PM - K of C Mtg - PC Hall
7:00PM - Ladies Auxiliary - PC Library

Tuesday, February 12

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

Wednesday, February 13

10:00AM - Scripture Study - PC Library
6:30PM - Religious Education Grades K5/ 5th - Croghan Center
3rd Grade at Church

6:30PM - Little Rock Scripture Study - Croghan Center
7:00PM - Joyful Noise Folk Group - Library
7:00PM - Legion of Mary - PC Hall

Thursday, February 14

12:45PM - Adoration - Church
5:00PM - Vespers - Church
7:00PM - Traditional Choir
7:00PM - Boy Scouts - Croghan Center

Men's Cursillo Weekend - Family Life Center

Friday, February 15 - Abstinence

10:00AM - Playgroup - Church Nursery
6:00PM - Stations & Soup Supper - Church & PC Atrium
7:00PM - Lenten Study - PC Atrium

Men's Cursillo Weekend - Family Life Center

Saturday, February 16

9:00AM - Legion of Mary Curia - Croghan Center
Men's Cursillo Weekend - Family Life Center
Sunday, February 17

Men's Cursillo Weekend - Family Life Center

9:00AM - Sharing the Scriptures - PC Library
10:15AM - R.C.I.A. - PC Library
12:30PM - Spanish Choir - PC Library
6:30PM - Middle School, Confirmation & Sr. High - Croghan C.
6:30PM - Little Rock Scripture Study - Croghan Center



WATCH BULLETING FOR UPCOMING INFORMATION ABOUT AN OUR LADY OF THE HILLS SPRING GOLF OUTING!



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, **Feb. 10th - Legion of Mary, Feb., 17th - Welcome Committee.**



Practice your best smile! Coming soon! New parish pictorial directory.

SOCIAL OUTREACH



Induced abortion increased the early preterm birth rate {from 24 weeks' to 31 weeks and 6 days' gestation} by 31.5%.

Almost 23, 000 children in the U. S. Are born before 32 weeks as a result of the mother's prior induced abortion. Annually, over 4,000 of these

infants will die and 1,000 will have or develop cerebral palsy. - Calhoun, B. et al., "Cost Consequences of Induced Abortion as an Attributable Risk for Preterm Birth and Impact on Informed Consent," *Journal of Reproductive Medicine*, Oct, 2007, 929-937.

SPECIAL INTERESTS

Pilgrimage to the Eucharistic Congress

Our Lady of the Hills in Irmo is organizing a pilgrimage trip to the International Eucharistic Congress in Quebec City, Canada from June 15th - 22nd ,2008, or the weekend only from June 19th -22nd. There will be week long activities centered on the theme of the Congress, "The Eucharist, Gift of God for the Life of the World." The Congress is a gathering of the universal Church, celebrating Jesus alive and present in the Eucharist. Registration is open for all who would like to attend and celebrate the Eucharist. For additional information please contact Catherine Hood, group leader, at cathycataniahood@mail.com.

St. Peter's Church, 1529 Assembly Street, is offering **LUNCHTIME STATIONS OF THE CROSS**, every Friday in Lent, starting Friday, February 8 at 12:15 p.m. in Church. "Stations of the Cross" is a traditional form of prayer and devotion where participants focus on 14 stations and walk the Way of the Cross with Jesus. St. Peter's Stations, recently repainted by local artist Christian Thee, provide a vivid and beautiful focus during the 30-minute prayer walk. All are welcome.

Knights of Columbus council #724, located at 1623 Marion St., is sponsoring a Lenten Fish Fry every Friday in Lent (except Good Friday). We will begin at 5 pm and end serving at 7:30 pm. The meal will consist of fried catfish, baked Whiting, french fries, hushpuppies, baked beans, coleslaw, desert and a drink. The Cost is \$7 per person or \$17 per family.

The Columbia Inferno Hockey Booster Club members and Inferno Hockey players would like to thank the Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary and men for all their help with our "Pasta n' Pucks" event on January 13th. Our hockey players were able to raise \$1,000 for their charity - The Nancy K. Perry Children's Shelter in Lexington, SC. We would also like to thank all the parishioners who attended and helped make it a success. Thank you all and God Bless.

STEWARDSHIP

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.

PARISH SUPPORT	LAST WEEK	YEAR TO DATE
Budget Amt. Needed	\$14,000.00	\$448,000.00
Amt. Received 2/3	\$14,095.00	\$447,825.00
Variance	\$ 95.00	(\$ 175.00)
Capital Campaign Rec'd	\$ 12,245.00	\$724,560.00

Total Number Registered Households.....1215
 Total Number of Envelopes 2/3.....311
 His Way Ministry.....\$200.00
 Children's Stewardship.....\$0.00

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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

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MARRIAGES - Contact Parish Office 6 months prior to wedding.

BAPTISMS - Contact Parish Office

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.

Lent Regulations

Do you wish your prayer to fly toward God? Give it two wings: fasting and almsgiving.

-- Saint Augustine

The law of abstinence obliges those 14 years of age and older not to eat meat. The law of fast obliges all those from ages 18 through 59 to refrain from eating between meals and to limit their eating to one full meal and two lighter meals for the day. Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of both fast and abstinence. In the United States, all Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence.

