

# St. Mary - OUR LADY OF HOPE

## Diocese of Charleston

### MANNING SC



**Sixth Sunday in  
Ordinary Time  
February 12, 2023**

**Our Mission:** Drawn by faith, we join in fellowship to form our parish family at St. Mary - Our Lady of Hope. We are committed to serve our community in God's name by offering helping hands, talents, and means to those in need around us.

*No matter what your present status in the Catholic Church. No matter what your current family or marital situation. No matter what your past or present religious affiliation. No matter what your personal history, age, background, race, or color. No matter what your self image or esteem, You are invited, welcomed, accepted and respected at **St. Mary- Our Lady of Hope.***



Our Lady of hope Catholic Church  
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### Parish Staff

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## Parish News

**Lenten Mission:** Mark your calendar for our parish Lenten Mission by Rev. Patrick Tuttle OFM on March 6,7,8 (Mon—Wed) at 6.00pm at Our Lady of Hope, Manning.

**ATTENTION ALL WOMEN!** Today after the 9:00am Mass is the Women's Club Meeting..

## Diocesan News

**Calling All Women!** The Belonging Conference for Women is coming soon. Saturday, February 25 at St. Joseph's Catholic School in Greenville. Open to all women, this event will not only be a great time of fellowship and laughter, but also a time of prayer, inspiration and encouragement. The keynote speaker is the funny, grace-filled and glamorous Rachel Balducci. And this year we will have more workshops to attend, more vendors and artisans, and more opportunities for prayer (Mass, Confession, Adoration, and Live Worship Music). Don't miss it. One price covers everything including a delicious buffet catered lunch. Bring a friend, sister, daughter, mother. Sign up now at [www.HeartRidgeMinistries.com/Belonging](http://www.HeartRidgeMinistries.com/Belonging).

**Rachel's Vineyard Retreat** is a weekend for women and men who have had or participated in an abortion and are seeking peace and a deeper relationship with God. Our next retreats in SC are Greenville, English, April 14-16, 2023, and Charleston, Spanish, April 28-30, 2023. For more information, please call Christy 803 554 6088 or Kathy 803 546 6010 or [grace4healing@gmail.com](mailto:grace4healing@gmail.com)

## Mass Intentions

### This Week

Sat	02/11	6 pm	OLOH	†Phyllis Quelette †
Sun	02/12	7 am	St. Mary	
Sun	02/12	9 am	OLOH	†Jack & Pat Schmitt†
Tues	02/14	9am	St. Mary	
Weds	02/15	Noon	OLOH	
Thus	02/16	9.am	St, Mary	

### Next Week

Sat	02/18	6 pm	OLOH	† Laura, Jean & Erin Walsh†
Sun	02/19	7 am	St. Mary	
Sun	02/19	9 am	OLOH	† Paulette Hickson †
Tues	02/21	9 am	St. Mary	
Weds	02/22	Noon	OLOH	† Metzner Family members †
Thus	02/13	9 am	St. Mary	

## WEEKLY OFFERING

	02/05/23	YTD
Offering:	\$1,917.00	\$69,601.00
Budget:	\$2,600.00	\$83,200.00
Difference:	-\$603.00	-\$13,599.00

## PARISH CONTACTS

Pastoral Council:	Marie Land	803-435-2314
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Organist:	Nora Biering	803-857-9574
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## PRAY FOR SERVICE PEOPLE:

Aldridge, Corbin/Maj. Elms, Carter/Capt. Beckett, Keith/  
Pvt. Elms, Cassidy Ley-Han/2nd Lt. Camut, Samuel K./  
Capt. Elms, Savannah/Capt. Carter, Cameron/Cadet  
Manning, Justyn/Sgt. DelRio, Peter/L/Cpl McCormick,  
Hasannah/1 st Lt. Dunn, Jr. Alfred/CMDR McNeill,  
Curtis/2ndLt. Dunn, James/SES Merton, Trevor/OPR  
Elms, Caleb/1stLt. Parrish, Victor/Sgt. Rectenwald, An-  
thony/Capt.

## **Diocesan Offices:**

Child Protection Services: 843-853-2130 (ext) 209  
Diocese Victim Asst. Minister 800-921-8122  
Bishop Jacques E. Fabre-Joune CS 843-261-0420

## **MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEKEND FEB 11 – 12**

Day/Date	Time	Place	Lector	Cantor	Eucharistic Minister
Sat. 02/11/23	6.00 pm	OLOH	Joyce Lenz		Ellen Rossoni
Sun. 02/12/23	7.00 am	St. Mary	Larry Shontere		
Sun. 02/12/23	9.00 am	OLOH	Mary Ann Lindner	Frank Leone	Mary Druding

## **NEXT WEEKEND FEB 18– 19**

Sat. 02/11/23	6.00pm	OLOH	Mary Druding		Ellen Rossoni
Sun. 02/12/23	7.00am	St. Mary	Larry Shontere		
Sun. 02/12/23	9.00 am	OLOH	Ginny Mack	Ron Madrid	jacquie

## **OUR PRAYER LIST**

Mary Alice Hoyt; Kathy Bonet; Joe & Lena Cardella; Margaret Markel; Norma Jeffcoat; Hilda Ethridge; Jennie Lynn Duffie; Sonny Solich; Barbara Ellis; Sally & Larry Jean; Cliff & Colleen Snyder; John & Becky Hunsinger; Carl & Jon Fredriksson; Maria Daves; Cynthia Dozier; Dobby Gallagher; Bill Lenz; Guy Cafiero; Chris Walsh;; Walter Kendall; Deacon Walsh; Bill Buyck; Jeanine McBride; Patrick Cherry; Eleanor Hunter; Toni Caporicci ; Lynn Barth; Martin & Sandy Brozik, Mary Lou Carter, Sally Woods; Ann Cutter; Paula & John Hauprich; Gayle McKenney; William Locklair; Lew Grabowski; Gary Schaffer; Martin Madrid; Erin O'Donnell; John Hines; Pedro Del Rio; Victor Rios; Susan Connerly; Esperanza Silguero; Christy Richardson; Sandra F Richardson; Susan Marvin; Caesar Kyger; Katie Ley; Carolyn Brewer; Janet Johnson; Mike Guilfoyle; Sean Gallagher; Lynda Nguyen.

## SUNDAY REFLECTION

Two weeks ago, in the gospel, Jesus began to instruct his disciples. While the instructing is said to be to his disciples, there is a sense that others are also hearing Jesus' instruction—but it is addressed to his disciples. The instruction began with Matthew's beatitudes, Matt 5:1-12a. The teaching continued last Sunday with Jesus using very common elements of salt and light to tell the disciples that they are the salt of the earth and light of the world. Today's gospel continues his instruction by focusing on important values of the day, and how they are stated in the law. Jesus desires that his disciples live their lives in a way that goes beyond the standards set by the scribes and Pharisees, who relay their understanding of the law. Jesus comments on three experiences from daily life: hostility or anger toward another, respecting one another, and maintaining an honest and authentic relationship with God. In a culture where anger can easily escalate to the shedding of blood, Jesus urges his disciples to confront hostility within themselves as soon as it begins to manifest itself.

Jesus' teaching about divorce is difficult because it comes out of a culture very different than what most of us live in. In Jesus' day, wives were the property of their husbands. In this culture, the concern with adultery was more about the shame and embarrassing the husband of the woman, than the harm brought to the woman herself. We certainly live by a much greater awareness and sense of disgust at such attitudes now, but that was not the awareness of the day. Jesus' comments about divorce represent the culture of the day, and again they focus on extinguishing the desire to embarrass another from the very beginning.

Lastly, Jesus turns to how one lives one's relationship with God. He asks his disciples to be forthright. When they make a promise to God, they need to live up to that promise, to be faithful. You may recall the questions Jesus addressed to the Pharisees concerning the two sons who the father asked to go work in the field. The one said he would not go, and later regretted it and went, and the other said he would go, but did not. Jesus asked not who honored their father, but who did what the father asked.

Jesus has raised the bar on what is expected of the disciples. They are not like the scribes or the Pharisees, they are being called to a higher standard.

### Reflection Questions:

Who are your heroes?

When have you been really proud of an accomplishment?

Has there been a time when you did just enough to get by? How did you feel about your accomplishment at that point?

Have you ever had a teacher, boss, or mentor who really challenged you to be the best you could be? What do you think of that person now?

How are you hearing Jesus' challenges in today's gospel?

We will begin the season of Lent in about ten days. Is there something you want to take from this gospel as you begin to think about Lent?

Can you take some time now to talk with Jesus about how you are hearing this gospel today? Is it coming at a good time for you?

HAPPY SUNDAY

## INFORMATIONS

Requests for **Mass Intentions** and Sanctuary Lamps may be made by placing Mass Intention Envelopes found in back of Church, into the collection baskets or by calling **Ellen Rossoni** at (803) 433-0066

For **Alter Flower** information call **Marie Land**, (803) 435-2314

**CCD:** Classes are held Sundays after 9am Mass For more information call- Sonya DeIRio at 803-255-0268

**Baptism:** Call Rectory at least one month prior to date. Parents must be registered and active members for at least 3 months prior to Baptism.

**Matrimony:** If you are a Catholic and wish to be married, schedule with the Rectory 6 months prior to proposed date.

**Reconciliation:** Sat 5:30-5:50am OLOH Manning. Every Saturday 3:30-3:50pm St. Ann Santee or by appointment.

**Sacrament of the Sick:** In Case of Emergency, Sickness or Death, please call Rectory 803-485-2677

### Know this week

<u>12 Sunday</u>	<u>13 Monday</u>	<u>14 Tuesday</u>	<u>15 Wednesday</u>	<u>16 Thursday</u>	<u>17 Friday</u>	<u>18 Saturday</u>
Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Monday of the Sixth week in OT	Tuesday of the Sixth Week in OT	Wednesday of the Six Week in OT	Feast of the Presentation of the Lord	Friday of the Sixth Week in OT	Saturday of the Sixth Week in OT