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Mass Schedule

Sunday: 8:30 & 11:00am English
 1:30pm Spanish
 Saturday Vigil: 5:30pm
 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: 8:00am
 Thursday: 8:00am *Communion Service*
 Friday: 9:00am

Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction:

Every Friday when school is in session from 10:00am - 12:00 Noon

Rosary: First & Third Monday of every month at 7:00pm, every Wednesday following the 8:00am Mass and every Friday at 8:30am

Reconciliation: Saturday 4:00-5:00pm

WELCOME!!

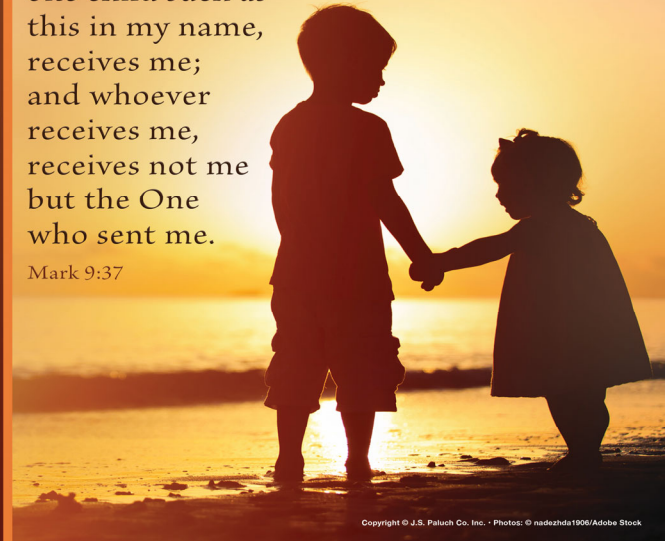
We are glad you are worshipping with us and would like to help you any way we can. Please call or stop by the Parish Office so we may meet and greet you in a personal way. We encourage you to register with us soon. Registration forms can be obtained from the Parish Office or in the Narthex.

**TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY
 IN ORDINARY TIME**

SEPTEMBER 23, 2018

Whoever receives
 one child such as
 this in my name,
 receives me;
 and whoever
 receives me,
 receives not me
 but the One
 who sent me.

Mark 9:37



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What Makes You Happy?

St. James message of peace is as true now as it was two thousand years ago. Where else do wars and terrorism come from, than people holding on to wealth, power, or hatred? But the message James shares, and that of Jesus in the Gospel, is a simple call to be different. Neither of them condemns anyone. They call us to look at what we really want and what truly brings happiness. Jesus' disciples argued about who was greatest. Instead of slapping them down for their selfish pride, he looks at what they could be and calls them to a different attitude. To be truly happy, they must let go of pride and arrogance; they must learn that serving others is the only way to experience love and joy.

We are no different today. We have to learn that having the latest gadget, the most expensive cell-phone, or the latest-model car are at best temporary delights. And that being admired by acquaintances is never as lasting as loving someone for themselves. Jesus offers even more: the joy of being loved by God and helping others to know Him. Think about Jesus' words to the disciples: He is the Son of God, yet He wants to lead us not just to Himself, but to the Father.

Can we learn to be more excited about what God has done for us than what we did to improve our home? Can we share our faith in God's mercy instead of bragging about our golf or bowling scores? Are we more interested in impressing members of the opposite sex, or treating all people with respect?

St. James ends our second reading with a challenging statement: He says we ask but don't receive because we ask wrongly. How often do we desire things that won't really make us happy? Do we pray for things we don't really need? Would we ask God to punish those who hurt us, or to help us forgive them? Let us ask God to show us His love and to help those around us to experience it too.

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Sunday: Wis 2:12, 17-20; Ps 54:3-8; Jas 3:16 -- 4:3; Mk 9:30-37
- Monday: Prv 3:27-34; Ps 15:2-5; Lk 8:16-18
- Tuesday: Prv 21:1-6, 10-13; Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34, 35, 44; Lk 8:19-21
- Wednesday: Prv 30:5-9; Ps 119:29, 72, 89, 101, 104, 163; Lk 9:1-6
- Thursday: Eccl 1:2-11; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17bc; Lk 9:7-9
- Friday: Eccl 3:1-11; Ps 144:1b, 2abc, 3-4; Lk 9:18-22
- Saturday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a; Ps 138:1-5; Jn 1:47-51
- Sunday: Nm 11:25-19; Ps 19:8, 10, 12-14; Jas 5:1-6; Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like to dedicate a Mass for someone, it may be scheduled either by stopping by the parish office or calling. Since a Mass Stipend is truly an offering, the amount is entirely up to the individual scheduling the intention. The only insight we can offer is that the average stipend is approximately \$10.00 per scheduled Mass. The offering is truly up to you. Consideration: A Mass stipend is not required, rather it is a customary offering to the Priest. The spiritual value is in the Mass itself. The inability to offer a stipend should never deter someone from scheduling a Mass.

SACRAMENTS OF BAPTISM AND MARRIAGE

Because of the important community nature of the celebrations of Baptism and Marriage in the church, interested parties are expected to make advanced arrangements to allow for appropriate preparation programs to be completed. For Baptism, at least two months and for Marriage, at least six months notice is required. Thank you! Please call Parish Office.

THE WEEK AHEAD

- Saturday, September 22**
4:00pm Reconciliation - RR
5:30pm Mass/Andrew McHugh † - C
5:30pm Spanish Prayer Group - SEYH
7:00pm Grupo de Oracion/ Spanish Praying Group - C
- Sunday, September 23**
8:30am Mass/Evelyn Pereira† - C
9:45am Faith Formation - ASC
10:00am Choir Rehearsal - Rm.1
11:00am Mass/People of St. Eugene - C
1:30pm Misa/ People St. Eugene - C
5:00pm SEY Life Teen - SH,C,K
- Monday, September 24**
8:00am Mass/ People of St. Eugene - ASC
8:30am Pre-School - N
4:00pm St. Vincent de Paul - P
- Tuesday, September 25**
8:00am Mass/People of St. Eugene - ASC
8:30am Pre-School - N
2:00pm Loving Neighbors - Rm.2
6:30pm Aztec Dancers - SH
7:00pm Hispanic Prayer Choir Group - C
- Wednesday, September 26**
8:00am Mass/ O'Brien & William Edward Gibbs † - ASC
8:30am Pre-School - N
8:30am Recitation of the Rosary - C
6:30pm Enriquecimiento Matrimonial - SEYH
7:00pm Choir/Coro - Rm.1,C
- Thursday, September 27**
8:00am Communion Service - ACS
8:30am Pre-School - N
8:30am Faith Sharing - P
6:30pm Hispanic Women's & Men's Cursillos - P, SEYH
7:00pm RCIA in Spanish - Rm.2
- Friday, September 28**
8:30am Pre-School - N
8:30am Rosary - CC
9:00am Mass/O'Brien & William Edward Gibbs † - C
- Saturday, September 29**
10:00am Confirmation Retreat - SH,K,C
12:00pm Quinceanera - C
4:00pm Reconciliation - RR
5:00pm Rosary - C
5:30pm Mass/Rob Robinson † - C
5:30pm Spanish Prayer Group - SEYH
7:00pm Grupo de Oracion/ Spanish Praying Group - C

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ACS-Asheville Catholic School ASC-All Saints Chapel C-Church
CC-Children's Chapel CR-Conference Room GP-Gathering Plaza
GS-Gathering Space K-Kitchen SEY-St. Eugene Youth SEYH-St. Eugene
Youth House N-Nursery P-Parlor RR-Reconciliation Room SH-Social
Hall

BLOOD DRIVE ON OCTOBER 14

Hurricane Florence has devastated North Carolina and there is an urgent need for blood. St Eugene's parishioners and visitors will have an opportunity to donate during the Parish Blood Drive on Sunday, October 14, from 8:30 AM to 1:30 PM. This is a great opportunity to help our neighbors who may be in need of blood. The American Red Cross and the Knights of Columbus thank you in advance for your generosity. Appointments may be made by signing up on the poster displayed in the Narthex, online at <https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/drive-results?zipSponsor=kofc11911>, or by calling Michael Cooney at (828) 575-2776 or Tom Kotz at (828) 645-9857.

GET YOUR FLU SHOTS ON OCTOBER 7

Flu season is approaching and St. Eugene Church and CVS Pharmacy are offering an opportunity to get your flu shots on Sunday, October 7 beginning at 9AM at St. Eugene Church. CVS accepts most insurance plans (except Tricare), as well as Medicaid, Medicare part B and D plans (for those over 65). Insurance cards must be presented at the time of the flu shot. For those without insurance, the cost is \$28.63, check or credit cards are accepted. CVS Pharmacy will have 3 types of vaccine, the quadrivalent vaccines: Afluria and Flucelvax (for those under 65) and Fluzone High Dose (for 65 and older). For those without insurance, CVS Pharmacy will have coupons to help lower the prices: \$28.63 for the regular dose and \$58.88 for the high dose. Checks or credit cards are accepted. So we can let CVS Pharmacy know an approximate count for flu shots, please complete a sign-up sheet after Mass.

WORDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

The fruit of righteousness is sown in peace for those who cultivate peace. Find peace in your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend on Nov 9-11, 2018 in ATLANTIC BEACH, NC and Mar 1-3, 2019 in Hickory, NC. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: <https://NCMarriageDiscovery.org> or contact us at applications@NCMarriageDiscovery.org or 704-315-2144.

25TH AND 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

If you are celebrating your Silver or Golden Wedding Anniversary this year, this is the last week to contact our church office if you wish to be included in the celebration. The Mass will be held on Sunday, November 4, 2018 at St. John Neumann Catholic Church. Mass begins at 2:30pm and will be followed by a reception. Names must be in this week, so don't delay, call today!



Welcome to the following people who recently registered:

James & Erin Secretarski

ALTAR SERVER

Are you interested in becoming an altar server? We are currently recruiting new servers to assist Fr. Pat at Mass. Children interested in becoming altar servers should be in at least third grade and MUST have made their First Communion. Contact Ray Kull at 645-6039 or cubfanray@frontier.com if you are interested.

READY FOR NOVEMBER ELECTIONS?

Visit the table with the flag for voter Information and registration. Following all weekend Masses on the weekends of Sept. 29-30 AND October 6-7.

STEWARDSHIP

Christian Stewardship trains us to become aware that God is the ultimate giver of the gifts we have. To give to God should be "from the top" - not what may be left over.

La segunda lectura de hoy nos advierte que un corazón consumido por la avaricia y la envidia conduce a los celos, a la discordia, los conflictos y las disputas. Un corazón generoso, en contraste, puede cantar con el Salmista, "Libremente te ofreceré el sacrificio; alabare su nombre, O Señor, por su bondad."

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Liz Aiello, Tonya Argueillo, Rosemarie Ball, Joan Birmingham, Josh Brown, Brenda Browne, Nathan and Sandy Buchanan, Jim & Jeanne Bucher, Elizabeth Buckley, Gary Collins, Kathie Coltellino, Karen Corbett, Brian Delta-Bianca, Bob Dettlebach, Olga Deubel, Dennis Delaney, Eleanor Eason, Maureen Emory, Jennifer Faulstich, Austen Faulstich, Anne Fitzgerald-Smith, Michael Fleming, Barbara Fry, Elaine Gaines, Jim Gaines, Jeannie Gleason, Michael Grier, James Greene, Mary Hayes, Margaret Irwin, Joyce Ingle, Delores Jacon, John Kampmans, Tommy Knapp, Grace Knutelsky, Allison Kobar, Kristin Kraft, Tonya Kriezel, Bob Krimmer, Jon & Cristy Ledford, Maureen Lewis, Aidan Luckadoo, Lisa Mason, Brigid McCarthy, Leonard & Kathy Moon, Allen Moore, Jan Perrigeaux, Brandon Pruitt, Rick Raube, Joette Reid, Knobby Riedy Jr., Ashliegh Riddle, John Riddle, Jonathon Riddle, Sara Riddle, Kevin Roberts, LJ Rodriguez, Ed Ruppen, Lillie Simons, Jack Smith, Rick Schaffer, Fred Spuhler, Lyn Stoodley, Emily Student, Sue Sweterlitsch, Joshua Townsend, Haley Townsend, Maudeb Vandermeer, Mary Ellen Vare, Phyllis Veilleux, Joyce Vidal-Williams, Jeanne Werth, and Ronnie Williams.

ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY PRAYER LIST 2018

Let us pray for all those who serve our country in the Military at home and abroad, and their families:



Maj – Michael E. Korte – Army – USA
CDR – Dr. Timothy Mattison – USA
LCDR – Dr. Parnell Mattison – USA
LtCol – Jon Christian McDaniel – Camp LeJeune, NC
Midshipman - Krysta Przestrzelski – Naval Academy
SPC – Patrick Seeling – Army – Afghanistan
 Shawn Sinclair – Army – Fort Bragg, NC
LCpl - Jarrod Stoodley - Marine, F-35, Edwards AFB, CA
ENS – Peter Vizzini – Navy
Maj – Chris Wagar – Germany
Capt - Joseph Ryan - Army - Fort Bragg, NC
Capt - Kaitlyn Ryan - Air Force - Rome, NY
 William S. Kwiatkowski – US Military Academy - West Point, NY
SPC - Paul Grillot - Army - Fort Sill, OK
 Angel Daniel Valladares - Marine, South Carolina
 Kenneth Van Vo - Marine, North Carolina
P01 - Christopher Balot - NAVY, USS Carl Vinson (CVN-70)
LTJG - Logan Sullivan - Navy - Yokosuka, Japan

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE



Parroquia de San Eugenio – Información en Español

Tel: 828-254-5193 Fax: 828-254-5797

Horario de Oficina:

9:00 am – 4:00 pm de Lunes a Viernes

Padre Patrick Cahill: Tel: 828-254-5193 ext:15 **Emergencia:** 828-231-8645

Misa en Español: Domingo a la 1:30 pm **Confesiones:** Sábado a las 4:00 pm

Ministerio Hispano del Vicariato de Asheville:

Antonio Garcia ministryhisp@gmail.com
 828-333-5120.

Catecismo y Sacramentos:

Pre-K a Octavo (8) - Elementary & Middle School
 Tracy Jedd 828-254-5193 Ext.21

Noveno (9) a Dozavo (12)
 Andrea Robles 828-254-5193 Ext.30

Bautismos & Clases de Adultos Mayores de 18 Años
 Marta Gonzalez 828-450-7835

Eventos Especiales: Bodas o Quinceañeras hable a la oficina o visítenos con 6 meses de anticipación.

Otros Ministerios: Ministros de Eucaristía, Lectores, Hospitalidad, Coro en Español, Sonido, Grupo de Oración, Cursillistas (Mujeres & Hombres), Protegiendo los Niños de Dios, Enriquecimiento Matrimonial, y Eventos Especiales.

Si le gustaría pertenecer a alguno de estos Ministerios de la Parroquia de San Eugenio, preséntese con uno de los miembros de ese Ministerio antes o después de Misa.

**FAITH FORMATION
SUNDAY SCHOOL**

(4yrs - 5th grade)
Sundays, 9:45am-10:45am
at ACS

September 23- Regular Classes

EDGE-Middle School
(Grades 6TH - 8TH)

Sundays, 5:00pm to 7:00pm
September 23- EDGE Night

SEY LIFE TEEN- High School
(Grades 9th-12th)

Sundays, 5:00pm to 7:00pm
September 23- SEY Night

CHOOSING PEACE

The Catholic Church Returns to Gospel Nonviolence
As a follow up to the inspiring presentations at our
Parish Mission last March by Marie Dennis, Co Presi-
dent of Pax Christi International, our parish is excited
to announce an adult education study series focused on
nonviolence and peace.

Our first study group is:

Personal Nonviolence- where it all begins
Sundays October 7 - November 11

12:15-1:15PM Room 2-St. Eugene Church

Required book- Personal Nonviolence: A Practical
Spirituality for Peacemakers by Gerard Vanderhaar
Cost-\$14. Registration will be held after all Masses

Sept. 22/23 and Sept. 29/30. Please see our table in the
gathering space. Contact Terry Hash for details-
theresamhash@gmail.com 901-849-0983

LIFE CHAIN ANNOUNCEMENT

Life Chain 2018 - On the first Sunday of October
(10/7) thousands of people across this nation and Can-
ada will stand alongside city streets holding messages
for life, unified in a silent prayer chain to end abortion.

Hendersonville location: US 25 (Asheville Highway)
at Patton Park on Clairmont Ave at 2-3 pm (contact
Sharon Asbury 697-6188)

Brevard location: Broad St near the courthouse at 2-
3pm (Contact Janice Castevens 273-0275).

Fletcher location: US 25 between Hillcrest Rd and
Alliance Page Rd near Ingle's at 12:30-1:30pm
(Contact Joanne Gregory 329-9787). Sign ups will be
provided. For more information go to
www.lifechain.net. This is a simple and powerful op-
portunity to put into action your beliefs about the sanc-
tity of preborn life.

COME HELL OR HIGH WATER

a timely retrospective of Asheville's great flood of
1916, will be screened by Care of Creation Ministry in
St. Eugene Church Sanctuary on October 4, from 7:00-
8:30 p.m. View the film, join the discussion and mar-
vel at the resilient spirit of those who made this place.
Parishioner and climate scientist, Deke Arndt, will
moderate the discussion. Child care for 1-10 year olds
and Spanish interpretation are available. For carpool-
ing or other information, call (828) 254-2209.

ROSARY PRIOR TO SATURDAY, 5:30 MASS

The Knights of Columbus will lead the Parish in pray-
ing the Rosary next Saturday, September 29 beginning
at 5:00PM. As October is recognized as Respect Life
month we pray for all human life as a gift from God
and is sacred from conception to natural death. The
life and dignity of every person must be respected and
protected at every stage and in every condition. To
that end we offer up this rosary to end abortion, eutha-
nasia and assisted suicides and we pray for United
States and world leaders as they consider issues re-
garding the sanctity of life from conception to natural
death. We will also include Pope Francis' intention
for October for "Evangelization - The Mission of Re-
ligious: that consecrated religious men and women
may bestir themselves, and be present among the poor,
the marginalized, and those who have no voice.

REFUGE UPDATE

The two families have arrived legally through
Catholic Charities, who the government uses through
out the United States. They are with their anchor fam-
ilies until an apartment is found. Everything to set up
a household is needed. Pots and pans, furniture and
tools, just to name a few items. Please go through
your belongings and what you have duplicates, con-
tact: Carol Duin cell 828-337-5228

Flowers in the Church this week are;

In Memory of our Mother and Grandmother,

Suzanne & Neville Gianvito;

By Jane & David Matthews

AND

In Memory of Ken Adams,

By Susan Adams.

2018—REVISED SIGNIFICANT DATES

October 28th - Confirmation Mass (Bi-Lingual)
 November 1st – 9:00am and 7:00pm Mass
 (Holy Day of obligation)
 November 2nd – 9:00am and 7:00pm (Spanish)
 November 22nd – 9:00am Mass of Thanksgiving
 November 28th - 7:00pm St. Eugene hosts Advent
 Ecumenical Service
 December 1st – 10:30am – First Reconciliation
 December 5th - 7:00pm St. Mark's Lutheran Church
 hosts Advent Ecumenical Service
 December 8th – 9:00am Mass
 (Holy Day of obligation)
 December 9th – 1:30pm Our Lady of Guadalupe
 December 12 - St. Mary's Episcopal Church hosts
 Advent Ecumenical Service
 December 19th - St. Paul's United Methodist Church
 hosts Advent Ecumenical Service
 December 22nd – 4:00pm and 6:00pm (Spanish) Vigil
 Masses
 December 23rd – 10:00am Mass (decorate church for
 Christmas after this Mass)
 December 24th – 4:00pm, 8:00pm
 December 25th – 10:00am, 12:00noon (Spanish)
 December 31st – 4:00pm Vigil
 January 1st, 2019 – 10:00am, 12:00noon (Spanish)

DAYS OF REFLECTION

Join Catholic Charities for an opportunity to gather with other seniors from around the diocese to deepen and share one's faith. Days of Reflection provides the chance to experience the inspiring power of God's love and be nourished by His word as one continues a life-long journey of faith.

- Date: Wednesday, October 17th

Location: Catholic Conference Center
 1551 Trinity Lane, Hickory, NC 28602
 Presenter: Fr. Patrick Cahill
 Topic: "How can silence and imagination improve your prayer life?"
 Check-In: 9:45 a.m. – 10:20 a.m.
 Program: 10:20 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.
 Cost: \$18 per person includes light morning refreshment & lunch –
 Make checks payable to Catholic Charities
 Deadline for Registration: Monday, October 8th
 To Register: Contact Sandra Breakfield at 704-370-3220 or email sabreakfield@charlottediocese.org
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JOB OPPORTUNITY

Catholic Charities Director of Development: The Diocesan Office of Development has an opening for a full-time Catholic Charities Director of Development. The candidate must have an undergraduate degree and a minimum of 5 years' experience in fundraising; extensive fundraising experience may be substituted for a completed undergraduate degree. A knowledge of Blackbaud Raiser's Edge or other fundraising database software is preferred. Responsibilities include creating and executing the annual development plan for Catholic Charities; engaging, retaining, nurturing and recognizing current donors; identifying and cultivating new donors. Please submit cover letter and resume by October 3, 2018 to Jim Kelley, Office of Development, jkkelley@charlottediocese.org.

ECO TIP**DID YOU KNOW?****One Earth. One Home**

- 1/3 of all food produced ends up in the landfill?
- Food waste in landfills makes methane gas, a significant contributor to climate change.



Buy and prepare only what you will use. Consider composting or share a compost service with a neighbor. The return is good soil for your own garden.

**HEALING RETREAT**

Are you or a loved one seeking healing from the effects of a past abortion? Rachel's Vineyard Weekend Retreat creates a healing environment of prayer and forgiveness. The retreat works to reconnect individuals to themselves, their friends, and family and to realize God's ever present love. There is an upcoming retreat in our diocese on October 26-28 (English) Please contact Jackie Childers: 980-241-0251 / Jackie.childers1@gmail.com or Jessica Grabowski: 704-370-3229 / jgrabowski@charlottediocese.org

THINKING OF JOINING THE CATHOLIC CHURCH?

Our weekly sessions for R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) have begun. Sessions will take place on Sundays, in the parish parlor, from 9:40 to 10:40am. The journey of faith begins with questions - your questions. What do Catholics believe? How does Catholicism fit in with other faith traditions? The process begins with an "inquiry" period when questions lead to exploration. Please join us for a fun-filled, faith-filled, Spirit-filled gathering. If you would like to begin this journey of faith, please call our parish office and provide your contact information. (Name, phone number, email address, etc.). A member of the RCIA team will contact you with further information. We will look forward to meeting you and answering your questions. Deacon Mike Zboyovski/828-254-5193, ext. #1009

LOST AND FOUND

All items found on our church grounds can be found in our Lost & Found section located at the Coat Rack in the Social Hall not in the church office. You may search this area Monday-Friday 9am-4pm or when the church is open. All items not collected by the end of each month will be donated to Catholic Charities.

NOTE: Please be aware that our bulletin is posted on our website; therefore, any information in the bulletin is out there in cyberspace, accessible to anyone. Please let the office know if this is an issue for you.



ST. EUGENE'S IN THE LOOP!

Yes, our church is now looped! If you have hearing aids with t-coils, please turn them on. If you have a hearing loss, please ask for a Receiver from one of the Greeters/Ushers before you go into the Sanctuary. We want everyone to hear the Word!

HOSPITAL ADMISSION OR EXTENDED STAY AT HOME:

We would encourage you to celebrate the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick prior to your admission or extended convalescence. Please give us a call to arrange a time and date. Also, you may be unaware that hospitals, by law, will not automatically inform us of your presence there - even if you state your religious affiliation as Catholic on an entrance form. Whether you are hospitalized, recuperating, or simply unable to attend parish services, you or your family member is required to inform us as to your desire for visitation and/or reception of Communion. We will be happy to arrange visitations and reception of Communion once the parish office is notified regarding your wishes. It is our most sincere desire to keep our parish family connected and included, especially in times of dealing with health and recovery issues.

A simple call or email is all it takes. Celebration of Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick: 828-254-5193 or to arrange a hospital or home visitation and communion: Deacon Mike - 828-254-5193 ext. 20 or deaconmike@steugene.org