



MARY'S HOMES OF HOPE
PROVIDING HOMES THAT ARE "INNS"
OF FAITH, HOPE & PRAYER

A Franciscan Ministry

Special points of interest:

- Abortion-minded to Life-givers
- MHOH community
- Feast Day of Saint Joseph
- Annunciation of the Lord

"When your heart beats with Christ's heart you see the whole world differently. You look into the womb of every mother and see the image of the Son of God."

--John Cardinal O'Connor

The World Through God's Eyes

Through Mary's Homes of Hope, arms of Our Lady outreach, we can provide supportive resources in many other areas rather than just by providing shelter. In the last three to four months a young pregnant abortion-minded mom connected with MHOH. After a few short weeks another abortion-minded mom connected with MHOH. After a time of much



Celebrating Life-Givers!

prayer and being able to meet with these two mommies individually to let them know how much they are loved and that the help they needed was available both had a change of heart and have

now become **"Life-givers."** First mom gave birth to a beautiful baby girl on January 12, 2023, named Isabell. The second mom is due in July.

Please keep them in prayer.

Celebrate His Mystery!

By Anonymous

See the wind

Feel the breath

Hear the heartbeat

Touch the sky

Taste the rain

Give a smile

Throw a kiss

Offer a hug

Speak a word

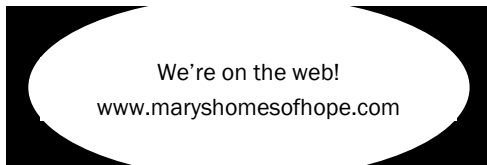
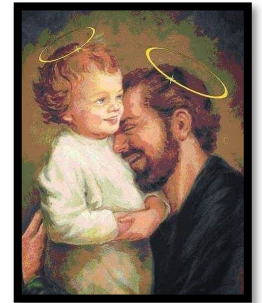
Reach into a heart

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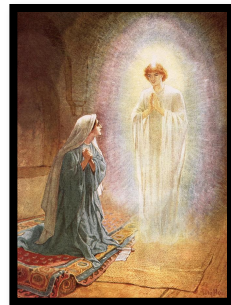
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"For the work we do through God begins when we kneel before our Creator. It comes to fruition when we kneel before those in need, offering them our lives in service. God, thank You for embracing us so that we have the courage to embrace others." –Steve Givens



March 25th – Annunciation of the Lord

Virgin Immaculate Mother of Jesus and our Mother, we invoke you under the title of Our Lady of the Most Blessed Sacrament because you are the Mother of the Savior who lives in the Eucharist. It was from you He took Flesh and Blood which He feeds us in the Sacred Host. We also invoke you under that title because the grace of the Eucharist comes to us through you, since you are the channel through which God's graces reach us. And finally, we call you Our Lady of the Most Blessed Sacrament because you were the first to live the Eucharistic life. Teach us to pray the Mass as you did, to receive holy communion worthily and frequently and to visit devoutly with Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. AMEN!



March 19th – Feast Day of Saint Joseph

O dearest St. Joseph, I consecrate myself to your honor and give myself to you, that you may always be my father, my protector, and my guide in the way of salvation. Obtain for me a greater purity of heart and fervent love of the interior life. After your example may I do all my actions for the greater glory of God, in union with the Divine Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary. O Blessed St. Joseph, pray for me. AMEN!

From the Heart of Mary

On December 31, 2022, Our Lady brought to Her home a family that fills the remaining rooms available. We welcome Mom, who is pregnant and due March 25th (Feast of the Immaculate Conception). Also, with this mom came her 17, and seven-year-old daughters. What blessings! Mom will start RCIA soon and the seven-

year-old is already attending CCD (Confraternity of Christian Doctrine) classes and wants to go to a Catholic school.

Soledad and daughter, **Elizabeth Jayna**, continue to shine Christ's love to all of us by living out their Catholic faith. They are great witnesses of attending daily Mass, most days of

adoration time in our chapel, and joyfully loving God and loving us.

Vicki remains grateful to God for all of you who make it possible for her to have a home where she belongs.

