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ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC CHURCH

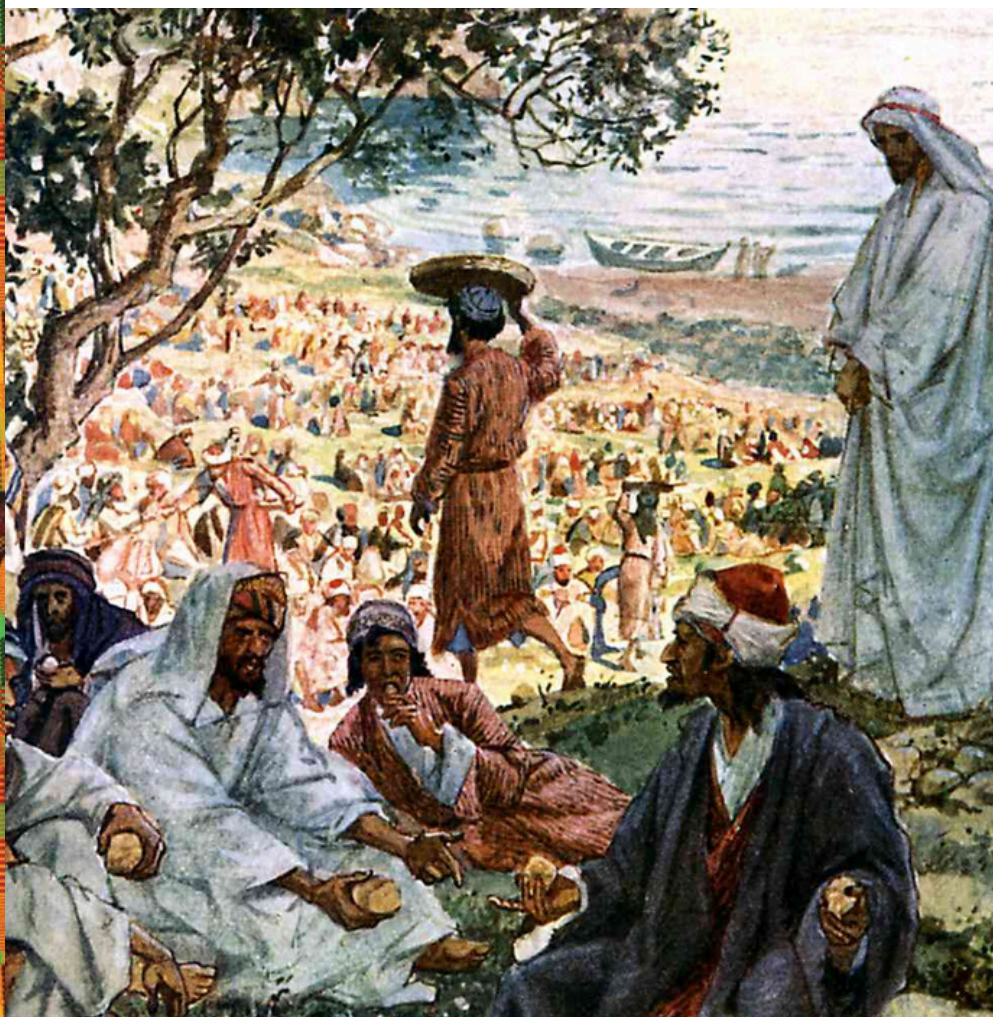
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Parish Office: 864-233-7717

*Welcoming all people to
worship God in the genius of
African American Catholic Spirituality*

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

July 14, 2024



www.stanthonysgvl.org

PARISH INFO

WELCOME TO ST. ANTHONY'S!

We welcome all new members and visitors to our parish. Please email Kyle Hall at kyle.hall@charlestdiocese.org if you would like to register. Please visit www.stanthonysgvl.org for more information.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening: 5 PM

Sunday: 8 AM, 10 AM and 12 PM (Noon)

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION MASS

11 AM & 6 PM

WEEKDAY MASS

Tuesday - Friday: 11 AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Wednesday: 12 PM (Noon) - 1:00 PM

Saturday: 4:00 - 4:45 PM

Or by Appointment

HEARING ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE

Please see an Usher before Mass

PARISH OFFICE

Physical Location: 204 Douthit St.

Monday thru Thursday 9 AM - 4 PM

Friday 9 AM - 12 PM

Phone: (864) 233-7717

Website: www.stanthonysgvl.org

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Phone: (864) 271-0167

Website: www.stanthonysschoolgvl.org

CHILD PROTECTION SERVICES

Diocesan Office: (843) 261-0430

DO YOU NEED HELP?


Financial Assistance: (864) 233-7717 ext. 0

Catholic Charities: (864) 331-2626


Food Pantry: (864) 233-7717

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

SATURDAY, 7/13

- 5 PM J. Bolz 

SUNDAY, 7/14

- 8 AM Mary Clare Conlon 
- 10 AM Mary Clare Conlon 
- 12 PM Dorothy Stack 

TUESDAY, 7/16

- 11 AM

WEDNESDAY 7/17

- 11 AM

THURSDAY, 7/18

- 11 AM


FRIDAY, 7/19

- 11 AM

SATURDAY, 7/20

- 5 PM

SUNDAY, 7/21

- 8 AM
- 10 AM
- 12 PM Helen Marie Shallow 



It is a wonderful Catholic tradition to request a Mass Intention for loved ones; living or deceased. In fact, asking for Mass intention for the deceased is not only Catholic tradition, it is biblical (2 Maccabees 12: 38-46).

Mass intention is also a wonderful gift for any special occasion: birthday, anniversary, in thanksgiving for a prayer answered, etc.

Please call the parish office to schedule a Mass Intention.

TOGETHER WE PRAY FOR:

Individuals

Alec Kubica	Gregory Kuhn	Melvin Armstrong
Alice Rigler	Hazel Hill	Michael Davis
Ann Fournier	Jen Duhe	Olivia Brown
Ann Moore	Jonathan Turner	Rhonda Brown
Ann Nechodom	Joseph Neito	Richard Cortese
Annette Martin	Joyce Croce	Richard Palmer
Anthony Davis	Juliet Roy	Sabrina Walker
Bill Higgins	Julius Pinson Jr.	Sammy Huguet
Carl Sunderlin	Laura Drummond	Sandra McNaughton
Charlene Palmer	Laurie Rappl	Sharon Bryant
Chester Williams	Lillie Davis	Sharon Patton
Clarice Hanly	Lori Cortese	Sherri Hoffman
David Burnett	Lori McGinley	Stephan Pleasant
Dee Dee Dzikowicz	Malik McCauley	Steve Miller
Donna Neeley	Margaret Morris	Stuart McNaughton
Donna Nickels	Marie Therese Isdiore	Tara Cleary
Dorothy Baker	Marilyn Daly	Thelma Williams
Drew Butterfield	Martha Cotel	Tom James
Elaine Greggs	Mary Cormican	Troy Koon
Ellaniose Johnson	Mary Curran	Tyler Daly Korybski
Eric Kuhn	Matthew Bryson	Wilbert Morgan
Erica Hardy	Maureen Lukovic	Willie Davis
Billy Mayes	Megan Counihan	

Families

Barb & Vern Prinzing	Scott Cely Family
Dana Lacher	Michael & Ruth Walters
Duhe Family	Tessa & George Skoniecki
Catherine & Michael Branca	Deacon Richard Murtaugh
Doug, Debbie, & Barbara DeLeu	Deacon Steve & Susan Olson
Karen Randall & Family	Deacon Winston Wright

Our Sick & Shut-Ins

Clenty Fair

Nicole Campbell Little

HELP FOR THOSE IN NEED

If you are sick at home or in the hospital, have a member of your family notify the parish if you are not able to notify us yourself. We care about you and want to help you when you need help from your church family.

If there is someone you would like to be added on the prayer list OR removed, please contact the Parish Office: 864-233-7717 ext 2.

Thank you!

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY



The men and women that serve in the armed forces do so with a form of sacrificial love for our country and the world. Lifting them up in prayer to the Lord must be our humble, and yet great support for them.

Lord, may your love encircle our military as they work across the world to install justice and peace for all. And be their hope through the difficulties and stresses they face each day.

SACRAMENTS & MINISTRY INFO

ACTIVE PARISHIONER

The **criteria for an Active Parishioner** are:

- Weekly participation in worship through attendance at Sunday Mass and on Holy Days of Obligation.
- Volunteer at St. Anthony's on regular basis (**Time**)
- Active involvement in a parish ministry/organization (**Talent**)
- Weekly or monthly use of parish envelopes or online giving (**Treasure**)

PARISH REGISTRATION AND SACRAMENTS

Those seeking to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, First Holy Communion, Confirmation, and Matrimony **must be registered members** for **at least six months** prior to reception of these Sacraments. You must be a registered member of the parish to ask for Godparent or Sponsor's form of eligibility.

Infant Baptism Class for Parents

Parents must be registered and active member of St. Anthony's. Class is offered on the third Thursday of every month. Pre-registration is required. Please call the office to pre-register. Baptisms are not celebrated during the Season of Lent.

First Holy Communion

Preparation begins in the first grade and continues into second grade for a total of two years of preparation. Registration for Religious Education classes takes place in August. The first day of class is the third or fourth week in August.

Confirmation

Preparation begins in the eighth grade and continues into ninth grade for a total of two years of preparation. Registration for Religious Education classes takes place in August. The first day of class is the third or fourth week of August. Adults who have not been confirmed and would like to receive the Sacrament are asked to contact the parish office.

Marriage

You must be registered and active member at least six months prior to preparation of the Sacrament. Couples should call the parish office and speak to the priest/ Deacon for pre-nuptial inquiries. Then the couple will begin formal marriage preparations at least six months prior to the wedding date.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

This is a process through which non-baptized adults known as catechumens or baptized adults who wish to convert from other faith traditions enter in communion with the Catholic Church. Classes begins in September. If you wish to become a Catholic, please call the parish office.



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Will Continue On the First Friday's of each month from 12pm-5pm

Please consider taking time with Jesus this week.

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & MINISTRY DIRECTORY

Parish Pastoral Council

Tony Smith, Chairperson.....803-727-5072
Mary Lee Tierney, Secretary.....864-363-0570

Parish Finance Council

Sandy Thompson, Chairperson.....252-622-1945
Chery O'Malley, Secretary.....864-360-4667

Eucharistic Ministers/Scripture Readers

Paul Herr.....864-907-9356
Kyle Herr.....864-907-9355

Altar Servers

Lawrence Moerke.....404-824-0765

Women's Council

Kathleen Merritt.....864-331-2633

Men's Club

Ralston Moore.....864-386-4852
David Quast.....864-906-2632

Food Pantry

Carol Moeller.....864-380-4155

30's & 40's Group

JJ Reinheart.....607-382-9620
Renee Puckett Smith.....678-409-0408

Elijah Cup Vocations Ministry

Mike Cumby.....864-417-8973

Gala School Fundraiser

Jean Hever.....864-608-5256

Handicap Transportation Ministry

Chuck Milteer.....864-350-9684

Health Ministry

Rita O'Rourke.....864-979-7544

Hiking Ministry

Paul Herr.....864-907-9356

Homebound Ministers

Donna Moerke.....404-374-4019

Housing Ministry

Mike Mathers.....864-483-5477

Knights of Columbus

Jim Tetor.....540-809-7809
Richard Cortese.....864-201-8162

Knights of Peter Claver

Paul Latimore.....864-299-0847

Knights of Peter Claver Ladies Auxiliary

Mary Ann Boyd.....619-517-2191

Living Waters Bible Study

Nicky & Lillie Jones.....864-832-4011 or 864-832-4012

Meal Ministry

Dana Lacher.....864-354-0049

Prayer Card Ministry & Prayer Shawl Ministry

Delores Martinez.....864-201-2204

Prison Ministry

Richard Krainas.....864-360-1098
Gwen Whitner.....864-297-0123

Young Families

Ruth Roberston.....sapfamilies@gmail.com

Children's Liturgy

Anna Vunkin-Chow.....sapchildrensliturgy@gmail.com

Micah Ministry

David Quast.....864-906-2632

SPIRITUAL LIFE

FROM THE DESK OF OUR ADMINISTRATOR *Fr. Emerson Rodriguez Delgado*

This Sunday, we're reminded of Jesus' mission entrusted to his disciples: to spread His message, heal the afflicted, and liberate the oppressed. This mission, rooted in their encounter with Jesus, serves as a reminder from St. Paul that each of us has been chosen for this very purpose. Like Amos, we are encouraged to step beyond our comfort zones and deliver God's message to those on the fringes of society.

This mission is not just about preaching; it's about touching lives in a holistic manner, addressing the deepest needs of the human spirit, and guiding people towards a life of purpose and meaning. Our mission is to invite others to encounter Christ in their own unique way. To achieve this, we must embody certain values: selflessness, patience, humility, simplicity, and perseverance. These qualities are essential for building meaningful relationships with others and creating an authentic witness to Christ.

As the Brazilian bishop Dom Helder Camara so wisely reminded us, "Your lives may be the only Gospel your listeners will ever read." In a world grappling with crises of the soul, our lives and actions become the beacon of hope and faith and a source of spiritual nourishment. Our genuine commitment and authentic witness can bring solace to those who hunger for transcendence and a deeper connection with God.

As we reflect on our own lives and the life of our church, we must question ourselves: Is our church functioning as a "field hospital," ready to embrace and care for those in need and wounded? Are we living up to the commission of Jesus? Have we strayed from our path? Are we failing to support people in their struggles? The call for conversion is more urgent than ever.

Our world yearns for a Church that listens and welcomes, especially to those who feel disconnected from faith. We must open our hearts to their doubts, questions, and struggles. By doing so, we can create a safe haven where people can find solace, understanding, and a sense of belonging.

The Church, recognizing these needs, has initiated the ongoing Synod. This process of listening and consulting is a step towards evangelization. Through genuine dialogue and compassionate accompaniment, we can demonstrate how the Church actively lives out its mission of embracing and supporting those who are marginalized.

In wrapping up, while it is God's grace that ultimately brings people back to faith, we all bear the responsibility to do everything within our power to guide people back to Him. As we conclude today's liturgy and are strengthened by the Eucharist, we are sent forth to share the Gospel. Let us go forth with courage and determination and letting nothing hold us back. May God set our hearts ablaze with His love and compassion for others. Peace and every good to Y'all.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

July 14, FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Am 7:12-15; Eph 1:3-14 or 1:3-10; Mk 6:7-13

July 15, Saint Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Is 1:10-17; Mt 10:34-11:1

July 16, Tuesday of the Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time
Is 7:1-9; Mt 11:20-24

July 17, Wednesday of the Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time
Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Mt 11:25-27

July 18, Thursday of the Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time
Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Mt 11:28-30

July 19, Friday of the Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time
Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Mt 12:1-8

July 20, Saturday of the Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time
Mi 2:1-5; Mt 12:14-21

July 21, SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Jer 23:1-6/Eph 2:13-18/Mk 6:30-34

Scripture online at <https://bible.usccb.org/>



BULLETIN CONTENT SUBMISSION

Anyone parish group/organization wishing to submit items for publishing in the weekly bulletin should send the content to Kyle Hall (kyle.hall@charlestondiocese.org) **by end of day Tuesday** for the coming weekend's bulletin. Submissions may have to be edited due to space constraints.

WEEKLY OFFERTORY PARTICIPATION Collections for June 29-30 Masses

Envelopes/Cash	\$9,205.50
Online Giving	\$16,401.46
Total	<u>\$25,606.90</u>


Giving Online makes it easier and more convenient to contribute to St. Anthony's Church. Scan the QR code to the right by opening your camera app to start giving online.

Stewardship is not only about the needs of the Church, rather it is about our desire to give back to God in thanksgiving, by sharing with others the blessings the Lord has bestowed on us.

The true spirit of Stewardship is
"Equal Sacrifice and not Equal Giving."



PARISH LIFE



Our Church Office will be under going renovations and there will be limited access to all offices starting July 8th - July 22.

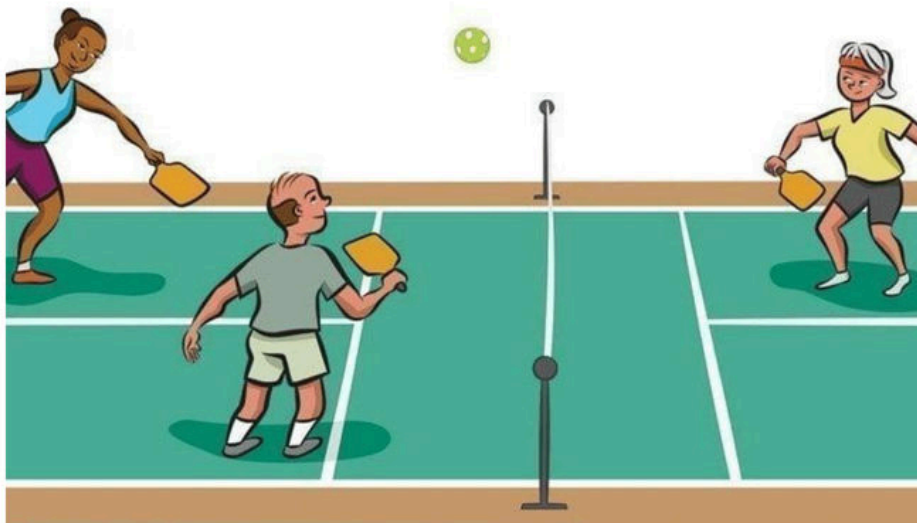
If you need any assistance for parish needs please visit us in Classrooms A, C, and D during this set time frame.

If you have any other questions, please contact our Director of Administration, Kyle Hall at kyle.hall@charlestdiocese.org.

We appreciate your patience during this time.

PLAY PICKLEBALL

***Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. until 12:00 Noon
in the St. Anthony Gymnasium***



PARISH LIFE



MICAH

ACT JUSTLY, LOVE MERCY,
WALK HUMBLY WITH YOUR GOD

The MICAH Program is seeking to grow our funds through grants.

We are seeking help from someone familiar with writing grants for charities.

If you would like to assist us in this important initiative, please contact Jim Stavrakas at Jimistav@icloud.com, 864.325.4028

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

JULY 14TH- JULY 21ST

<u>Sunday, July 14th</u>	<u>Monday, July 15th</u>	<u>Tuesday, July 16th</u>	<u>Wednesday, July 17th</u>
		6:15 PM- Unity Choir Practice 6:30 PM: Living Waters Bible Study ZOOM	

PARISH LIFE

FOOD PANTRY UPDATE

The food pantry is very busy this summer. In June we gave out 2235 bags of food. Needless to say your donations are greatly appreciated. Food can be left in the lobby of the church, brought to us, delivered to us from Walmart or monetary donations. We also are in need of more volunteers. We have men and women volunteers who assist in the pantry and we have men who volunteer to pick up meat at Publix and bring to the pantry. We are in need of volunteers for both pantry and pickup. If you can help out, please call me at (864) 380-4155.

Please come and visit our new location, next to the Gallivan Office.

Pantry Needs:

Canned Vegetables, Fruit, Beans, Family Size Cereal Boxes, Big Jars of Pasta Sauce, Noodles, and Jelly.

MINISTRIES IN ACTION

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF: July 20-21, 2024

SATURDAY, 7/20: 5PM	SUNDAY, 7/21: 8AM	SUNDAY, 7/21: 10AM	SUNDAY, 7/21: 12 PM
ALTAR SERVERS Diane Hemmert Maria Paula	ALTAR SERVERS J'Carey Cade Larry Moerke	ALTAR SERVERS Cindy Caudill James Filchak Rita Galley	ALTAR SERVERS Adrian Drummond Adriana Drummond David Mitchell-Dela Cruz
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST Barbara Prinzing (Host) Tony Smith (Cup 1) Jane Kirckpatrick (Cup 2) Erena Allen (Cup 3)	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST Donna Moerke (Host) Stephanie Rosso (Cup 1) Sr. Gertrude Bassey (Cup 2) Bonnie Carfolite (Cup 3)	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST Mary Morris Williams (Host) Camilla Hertwig (Cup 1) Ronnie Hudson (Cup 2) Frank Palombo (Cup 3)	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST Jessie Bowens (Host) Emir Ramirez (Cup 1) Carol Moeller (Cup 2) Dawn Davis (Cup 3)
SCRIPTURE READERS Bobbie Cancelliere (Lector 1) Ingrid Smith (Lector 2)	SCRIPTURE READERS Kathleen Bitsura (Lector 1) Mamie Hopkins-Boyd (Lector 2)	SCRIPTURE READERS Mary Ann Turner (Lector 1) Delores Martinez (Lector 2)	SCRIPTURE READERS Leanne Ram (Lector 1) Yvonne Reynolds (Lector 2)
USHERS Ken O'Malley Mark Combs Beth Holcombe Bill Kirkpatrick Kathy Peot	USHERS Mike Ayers Lynn Sholl Robert McDowell Lillie Jones Nicky Jones Jeff Sholl	USHERS Bob Dastou Mike Connor Dan Krick Jim Stavakas Armando Krick	USHERS Tom Moeller Mariel Hunkeler Bryant Boyd Charity Meacham Ray Lecuyer Cynthia Riley

JULY 14TH- JULY 21ST

<u>Thursday, July 18th</u>	<u>Friday, July 19th</u>	<u>Saturday, July 20th</u>	<u>Sunday, July 21st</u>
6:30 PM-Adult Faith Formation Salvation Social Hall		10:00 AM- Pickle Ball Gymnasium	2nd Collection: Infirm Priests

NEWS FROM OUR SCHOOL



Saturday, September 7, 2024

6-11:30pm

TD Convention Center | 1 Exposition Dr. Greenville SC

Tickets \$100/each and includes dinner, beer, wine, dancing, live and silent auctions

Tickets will be on sale during August at all Masses and online.

Sponsorship opportunities now available!

DONATE

Would you like to donate to the Gala again this year?

We are accepting themed baskets of items valued at \$100 or more. Use a basket or container of any kind to assemble your donation. If you have a single item valued at \$150 or more, please bring them so we can include them in the auction.

Theme baskets (Just some ideas):

Pet Treat Basket	Garden Basket	Kids Travel Basket
Hiking Basket	Spa Basket	TV Time Basket
Wine Basket	Game Basket	Care Care Basket
Cooking Basket	Make-up Basket	Golf Basket
Craft Basket	Sports Theme Basket	
Outdoor Adventure Basket	Musical Theme Basket	

Gift Certificates and item ideas: Restaurants, music & entertainment venues, sporting events, jewelry, trips, overnight stays, winery trip, new computer items, autographed items, wonderful bottles of wine, sporting event packages, beach rentals, dinners at special restaurants, events for the family... Get creative and see what you and your friends can put together.

We ask that you keep all items at your home until end of July. Baskets will be collected after all masses in the Social Hall beginning the last week of July thru August.



Summer Academy is off to a fantastic start! We are continuing our learning by daily tutoring, math activities, language arts, and reading. Our afternoons and Fridays are for fun! We need your help by providing us with Tie-Dye Kits. We would like to tie-dye shirts for the last week of the Academy. Our last day of Summer Academy will be on July 26th.

St. Anthony of Padua Catholic School is requesting your assistance with school supplies for our students. The items are listed below:

Backpacks, Markers, Folders, Scotch Tape, Jumbo Pencils, Sharpies (all colors), Tissue paper, Crayons, Staples, Popsicle sticks, Pink Erasers, Pens, Washable paint, Playdough, 60 Black binders, etc.

For more information be contact
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For more information please call Jean Hever 864-608-5256
Or Bonnie Megan at 412-370-3552