5 june 2022 pentecost sunday (OF & EF)

congratulations to our K5 graduates and a tremendous thank you to Karen Lodise who retires as our longest serving staff member

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To share the fullness of the Gospel to all we encounter in our lives by equipping disciples to create and strengthen a personal relationship with Christ. By the grace of God, we are called to strive for personal holiness, participate fully in the vibrant life of the Church's Tradition and transform the world.

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Are you new? Welcome! We are grateful that you have come to our parish and hope that you will soon call this faith community your home!



Letter from our Pastor

An Extraordinary Parish for Ordinary People

Dear Friends in Christ,

June is traditionally the month dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. In 1956, Pope Pius XII issued an encyclical letter called *Haurietis aquas*, which detailed the meaning of the devotion to the Sacred Heart, which is, in some season, as old as devotion to the Sacred Humanity itself:

Once this essential truth has been established we understand that the Heart of Jesus is the heart of a divine Person, the Word Incarnate, and by it is represented and, as it were, placed before our gaze all the love with which He has embraced and even now embraces us. Consequently, the honor to be paid to the Sacred Heart is such as to raise it to the rank - so far as external practice is concerned of the highest expression of Christian piety. For this is the religion of Jesus which



is centered on the Mediator who is man and God, and in such a way that we cannot reach the Heart of God save through the Heart of Christ, as He Himself says: "I am the Way, the Truth and the Life. No one cometh to the Father save by Me." And so we can easily understand that the devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, of its very nature, is a worship of the love with which God, through Jesus, loved us, and at the same time, an exercise of our own love by which we are related to God and to other men. Or to express it in another way, devotion of this kind is directed towards the love of God for us in order to adore it, give thanks for it, and live so as to imitate it; it has this in view, as the end to be attained, that we bring that love by which we are bound to God to the rest of men to perfect fulfillment by carrying out daily more eagerly the new commandment which the divine Master gave to His Apostles as a sacred legacy when He said: "A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another as I have loved you. . . This is My commandment that you love one another as I have loved you."

June is a perfect month to add the Litany of the Sacred Heart to your private devotions and visit the image of the Sacred Heart which welcomes people into our church in the narthex. Light a candle before the statue and remember the love the heart of an infinitely loving God has for you. If you can, come to church on the Feast of the Sacred Heart, which is Friday, 24 June. At 71 days after Easter, it may see far removed from the glories of the Resurrection, but in many ways reflects the fact that the stupendous feast of the Resurrection is not just a cosmic event, it is an intimate bond of love between each of us and a God whose love conquers death in us too. And that is very much something to celebrate.

In Christ,

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Our Map—A Smoke, Vape & Tobacco Free Campus



I Church

2 Christ the King Adoration Chapel

3 PAC (Parish Activity Center) & PAC Classroom

4 Guadalupe Hall

- 5 School & School Offices (Lourdes Hall)
- 6 & 7 Parish House, under the protection of Our Lady of Fatima
- 8 Blessed McGivney Community Center & Library
- 9 Pope Francis House

10 Walsingham Hall

Parking Lots 11, 12, 13 and 14



Parish Calendar

sunday, 5 pentecost sunday (OF year C & EF)	monday, 6 june the blessed virgin mary, mother of the church (OF) pentecost monday (EF)	tuesday, 7 june weekday (OF) pentecost tuesday (EF)	
8a Mass Trinidad Atienza+(FCS) 10a Mass Fred Adams+(FCS) 12p EF Mass For the People of the Parish (FCS) 5p Second Vespers & Benediction		8.15a Office of Readings & Lauds 9a Mass Austin Rauch-L (FCS) 5.30p Vespers (Evening Prayer)	
1.15p potluck 7p basketball svdp in narthex	10.30a svdp pope francis house 6.30p legion of mary lourdes hall 6.45p young adults mcgivney hall		
wednesday, 8 june weekday (OF) ember wednesday in the octave of pentecost (EF)	thursday, 9 june st ephrem (OF & EF) pentecost thursday (EF)	friday, 10 june weekday (OF) ember friday in the octave of pentecost (EF)	
8.15a Office of Readings & Lauds 9a Mass Peter Nguyen+(FCS)	8.15a Office of Readings & Lauds 9a Mass Matt & Denise Mannino-L (FCS)	8.15a Office of Readings & Lauds 9a Mass Matt & Denise Mannino-L (FCS) 5.30p Vespers (Evening Prayer)	
5p confession	<i>6.30p baptism class parish house 7p kofc mcgivney hall 7p rosary for priests (<u>online</u>)</i>	7p men's recollection	
saturday, 11 june st barnabas (OF) ember saturday in the octave of pentecost (EF)	sunday, I 2 june the most holy trinity (OF year C & EF)	prayer requests All those serving our country, Gena Cunninghan Julie Mallory, Bridgitte Gunnells, Wrenn Calcutt	
5p Mass For the People of the Parish (FCS)	8a Mass Corazon Carandang+(FCS) 10a Mass John T Lavelle+(FRT) 12p EF Mass John Russian+(FRT)	Jim Bannister, Stephen Wiltberger, Lillie Nesbitt Kevin Stanton, Doris Pratt, Sarah Williams, Ke neth Price, Jackie Andrejack, Deacon Bob Smith Lois Smith, Christy Smith, Shannon Harkins, Glo	
9a women's recollection 3.30-4.40p confession	7p basketball	Dussich, Rose Schillaci, Kristina Murphy, Laurie Taylor, Carl Jones, Luigina Warga, Marlene C. Eugenia Kolinko, Susan Subrizi, Mary Jean Heap, Stella Boris, Rosemary Craig, Janine Moore, Jean Casey, Thomas Dorsey, Jennifer Gregory, Kathlee & Dan Mottl, Peter McPherson, Lola Hartman, Annmarie Egas, Tammy Lopez, Frank Cespedes, Joanne P, Dottie Sanda, Mary Ann Egan, Julia Chatignyblais, Connie Meiners, Joe Valitchka, Jua & Laura Pachur, James & Elizabeth Nowlan, Bet Baker, Deborah Baker, Drew Butterfield, Andrew Frisari, and Madelina Mello, Ed Matthews, Yanin	



homebound ministry

If you are homebound and wish to receive Holy Communion, please contact Deacon Mark Thompson at <u>mark.thompson@princeofpeacetaylors.org</u>

widows and widowers-"bounce"

Be comforted by those who have experienced the grief of the loss of a spouse on the first Saturday of the month in the Pope Francis House. Call Jean Casey at 864.423.7010 to learn more.

weekly children's holy hour

Every Thursday between 10-11a, all parents are invited to bring their children to the Adoration Chapel. In this hour, it is understood that there will be some noise in the Chapel. Contact Adrienne Haverland at jahaverland@gmail.com with questions.

help needed: ushers and greeters

Greeters and ushers are greatly needed across all Mass times! Contact Marco De Maria at 864.631.7713 or at mad4jen@msn.com!

mom's group meeting

Join a group of moms who meet the first Friday of each month between 9.30-11.30a in parish house for a rosary, reading the Gospel, coffee and socializing. Contact Adrienne Haverland at jahaverland@gmail.com with questions.

memorial mass-st josemaria escriva

Our memorial Mass for St Josemaria Escriva has been scheduled for 9a Saturday, 18 June with Fr Tomlinson. A reception will follow in the PAC.

Prayerfully consider donating the following:



sanctuary lamp \$20 donated by John & Joseph Family in honor of Joseph & Tessy family

flowers \$220 donated by John & Joseph Family in honor of Joseph & Tessy family



bread & wine \$20 donated by John & Joseph Family in honor of Joseph & Tessy family

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music \$300 donated by John & Joseph Family in honor of Joseph & Tessy family

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perpetual eucharistic adoration

"Behold, I am with you always, to the close of the age." Matthew 28:20

Please consider adopting an hour or become a substitute. Contact Lisa Buss at 864.508.7123 or adoration@princeofpeacetaylors.org with questions!

- Adorers must receive the code from Lisa Buss.
- Hours in need of adorers (urgent*):
 - I2a Tuesdays
 - 2a* Thursdays
 - IOa Saturdays

baptism class

Parents desiring Baptism for their children must attend a Baptism Class. The next class will be held on Thursday, 9 June at 6.30p in the Parish House Conference Room. Contact Deacon Gus to join at 864. 420.0497 or by email at

baptisms@princeofpeacetaylors.org

⇒ Baptisms cannot be scheduled until the class is completed. Only Deacons can schedule Baptisms.

catholic trivia night

Thomas Wilson will lead an evening of Catholicthemed trivia in the Parish House on 24 June. Doors open at 6.30p and trivia begin at 7p. Tickets are \$5 in advance (purchase at the office) or \$10 at the door. Children under 10 are free. Pizza and beverages provided. Cash prizes will be awarded. Come as an individual or bring a team of up to 8 people. Email thomaswilson146@gmail.com to learn more.

celebrating our graduates

Congratulations to our parishioners who have celebrated a graduation:

- Adonis Baez, University of South Carolina
- Caroline Capelle, St Joseph Catholic High School
- Jacob Costner, Eastside High School
- Alexandra Drake, Riverside High
- Kevin Garces, Christian International University
- Michelle Grabiec, University of South Carolina
- Kassandra Hernandez-Zuñiga, Wade Hampton High School
- Isabel Howard, Riverside High School
- Ethan McMahan, Blue Ridge High School
- David Charles Heenen Mershon, Homeschool
- Jonathan Panasko, Wren High School
- Ella Penny, Eastside High School
- Mia Romano, Furman University

men's bible study

Deacon Michael Thompson will lead a Men's Bible Study meeting Tuesdays at 7p beginning 16 August studying the Book of Mark and Book of Luke! Contact Deacon Thompson at 864.365.8178.

urgent need—seven sisters apostolate

The Seven Sisters Apostolate is a ministry in which seven women each pray in adoration for one hour every week for their priest. Each woman is assigned a different day of the week, so that our priests are specifically prayed for each day for one hour. The Seven Sisters Apostolate at our parish is currently in urgent need of a few new sisters. The commitment will begin on the Feast of the Sacred Heart (24 June) 2022 and will last for one year. If interested, contact Katie Sandifer at <u>twosandifers@gmail.com</u>

latin mass community news

The Latin Mass community hosts a community-wide potluck each month! Two families are needed to setup at I Ia and three families are needed to help with cleanup. Contact Tracey Mershon at <u>traceymer-</u> <u>shon63@gmail.com</u> if you're available!

discounted attraction books

Attraction Books are offered by the Columbiettes for \$15. Available in church and school offices.

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fraternus & fidelis ministries

Fraternus & Fidelis are mentoring programs for 6th-12th graders—fraternus is for boys & fidelis is for girls. Mentors form a brotherhood/sisterhood of virtue and invite the teens into it.

Weekly gatherings have ended. It's time to register for 2022-23. Learn more:

- families of 6th-12th grade boys should contact Billy at <u>upstatefraternus@gmail.com</u>
- families of 6th-12th grade ladies should contact Kelly at <u>upstatefidelis@gmail.com</u>

prayer shawl ministry

The prayer shawl ministry meets on the third Friday of the month at 10a. They crochet/knit shawls/lap robes which they donate to nursing homes, cancer and dialyses centers. They welcome more volunteers and donations of yarn is always welcome. For information call Paulette at 864.434.0278.

welcome committee

Interested in helping new folks feel at home at our parish? From emails to phone calls to welcoming events, there's a way to pitch in! Contact Maria at <u>maria.rauch@princeofpeacetaylors.org</u> to learn about the Guild of St Benedict Welcome Committee.

friends of st josemaria recollections

The purpose of a recollection is to help participants sanctify their ordinary life in and through their work, family, and recreational activities. In the spirit of Opus Dei, the next Recollections are: **Men:** Friday, 10 June at 7p, reception to follow **Women:** Saturday, 11 June at 9a in the church

abortion healing

If you or someone you love has experienced an abortion, healing is available. Learn about anonymous support offered virtually or in person options by calling Support After Abortion at 844.289.HOPE. Healing is offered to men and woman, grandparents, friends and other loved ones.

leadership volunteers needed with svdp

Volunteers desiring to serve as leadership are greatly needed. Without people stepping forward, SVDP will close by end of the year. Contact Simone at 270.317.9550 or <u>imber.simone@gmail.com</u>.



get to know the knights of columbus 9184

A FATHER IS a protector, involved, a loving husband, and so much more! As we near Father's Day month, we share our **Father's for Good initiative**. Whether you are a seasoned dad, a new dad, a dad to



be, or a single guy wanting to know more about fatherhood, this website is for you. There is a role only a father can fill and gifts only a father can give. In a culture that often does not favor fatherhood or masculine virtue, we wish to highlight the unique contributions of men, husbands and fathers. The world would be lacking without them.

Thank you, fathers. Find out

more <u>fathersforgood.org</u> and contact John Olson, Grand Knight at 864.354.5680 to be part of building a strong united Brotherhood of men in support of faith, family and vocations. St. Joseph, pray for us.

ladies lunch bunch

The Ladies Lunch Bunch will meet at Basilico, 1175 Woods Crossing Rd. #10, on Tuesday, 14 June at 11.30a. Please RSVP to Dorothea Jones at 864.268.3354.

advent market committee forming

Prince of Peace host an Advent Market this year. Join the committee to help plan this event. If you are interested please contact Maria Rauch or Michael Sandifer in the parish office.

triune mercy kitchen—feed the hungry

Make a **corporal work of mercy by feeding the hungry** of Triune Mercy Kitchen on the first Sunday monthly. Please <u>sign up here</u>. Contact Phillip & Hannah with questions at 805.750.5663 or community.kofc9184@gmail.com.

library hours

The online catalogue is <u>here</u>. Summer hours are:

• Sundays after the 8a Mass (9-10a), after the 10a Mass (11a-12n), and after the noon Mass (1-2p, except on potluck Sundays).

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st clare's home-volunteer needs

St. Clare's Home is an upstate maternity home for expectant mothers who choose life and are in need of shelter, safety, and security. We are in need of more volunteers who support our mission! Please email stclaresvolunteer@charlestondiocese.org for the many ways you can get involved.

ember days

In the Extraordinary Form, every season – spring, summer, winter and fall – has three days on a Wednesday, Friday and Saturday called Ember Days, days of special fasting, penance and prayer. Fr Smith has written a short book on the Ember Days to explain their significance and spirituality available below: For a free digital copy: <u>Ember & Rogation Days, a</u> book by Fr Christopher Smith

• To purchase a bound paperback: <u>click here</u>

new spotify channel for sacred music

St Augustine said, "He who sings, prays

twice." Sacred music is an integral part of the divine liturgy, not just a nice add on. The active participation of the faithful in the Mass and other offices of the Church means that we all sing as part of what we offer to God. We have a lot of English and Latin that we sing here at Prince of Peace. In an effort to encourage everyone to learn as much of the repertoire as possible that we sing here, we now have our own playlist on Spotify. This is a great way to get this music and the texts in your ear as you are doing things around the house or even driving around!

 Go to Playlists on Spotify and type in Sacred Music at Prince of Peace and like it (or, <u>follow this direct</u> <u>link</u>)

become a catechist

We are in need of lead catechists, classroom assistants, and substitute catechists. Student volunteers grades 9th-12th are always needed as assistants and can earn community service hours for high school by filling these positions. We will have our Annual Catechist Training session on 30 July from 9a-12p. Classes for 2022-2023 are scheduled to begin on Sunday 21 August 2022 at 8.50-9.50a.

2nd annual charity golf tournament

The 2nd annual Charity Golf Outing benefitting Prince of Peace Catholic Church & School and St Rafka Maronite Church is Monday, 19 September 2022 at the Cherokee Valley Golf Club in Travelers Rest!

- The Cause: The first annual event raised \$48,790 in donations from 24 sponsors and 84 golfers benefitting a Phase I security upgrade on the Prince of Peace Catholic Church & School campus and a General Building Fund for St Rafka Maronite Church. Money raised this year will be used to continue these important security and building projects on both campuses.
- About the Club: This thoughtfully sculpted course gives golfers a masterfully designed layout with dramatic drops and rises, and incredible views of Glassy Mountain. The 18-hole, 6,728-yard, par 72 course was designed by P.B. Dye and delights golfers with scenic water features, championship greens, and meandering fairways that grant new challenges with every round. Best of all, this is a course that lets you have fun no matter what your age or level of play.
- Event Details: 11a Registration, 12n Tee Off, and 5p Buffet Dinner with Silent Auction and Prizes.
 - Join for the entire day or come just for dinner!
- Cost: \$125/golfer or \$500 for a team of four includes golf, cart, balls, dinner and gift. Dinner only is \$25/person.
 - Registration for golf and/or dinner is now open on our website.



- **Sponsorship Levels:** Levels range from a "Hole Sponsor" at \$1,000 to a "Master Sponsor" at \$4,000 with associated benefits.
 - Sponsorship is only available by contacting event organizers.

For tickets or sponsorship information, visit <u>charitygolfgreenville.com</u> or email Brian Mackenzie at <u>info@charitygreenville.com</u>

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the priest prepares for mass (cont. from last week)

The next outer vestment is the stole, which comes from a Roman symbol of authority. The stole is the symbol of the fact that the priest receives authority from the Church to celebrate the sacraments, and is, in fact, worn in the celebration of all of the sacraments. Traditionally, a priest would wear his stole crossed in front, and a bishop would wear his stole straight down, as a sign that only the bishop has the fullness of the priesthood, and that the ministry of the priest is limited by his obedience to the bishop. Roman judges used the stole as a sign of the authority, but the Church employs it as a sign that the True Law is that of Grace and lived in obedience to the Word of God. The priest kisses the cross embroidered on it, and prays, Lord, restore the stole of immortality, which I lost through the collusion of our first parents, and as unworthy as I am to approach these sacred mysteries, may I yet gain eternal joy.

The priest immediately then puts on the largest and most conspicuous of the vestments: the chasuble. The Latin word casula means "little house", and is like a shelter that covers the priest. The chasuble covers up the stole, and symbolized charity, which must cover all things, even authority. *O Lord, who has said, My yoke is easy and My burden light, grant that I may so carry it as to merit Thy grace.*

The priest then covers his head with the biretta, the scholars' cap of old, which from its soft form has now hardened into three peaks symbolizing the Most Holy Trinity: Father, Son and Holy Spirit, in whose Name the Mass is true and perfect worship. When the People of God have been gathered in the church for Mass, and the acceptable time has drawn near, we leave behind *chronos*, the changing time of this world, and enter into *Kairos*, the timeless expanse of eternity whose veil is drawn back just a little bit at every Holy Mass. He bows to the Cross in the sacristy, and the server

rings the bell, the joyful signal to the faith to rise and greet the Lord who comes in their midst to renew the Paschal Mystery in the heart of the Church. Mass has finally once again begun.

Watch the complete explanation on our YouTube channel.



parish school open enrollment

Prince of Peace Catholic School is the primary apostolate of Prince of Peace Catholic Church serving families from K4 through 8th grade. We are a National Blue Ribbon School of Academic Excellence, a Cardinal Newman Society Catholic Education Honor Roll School, and a National BETA Club School of Distinction and Merit.

Open Enrollment for the 2022-23 School Year has begun with space reserved first come, first served. Take a tour of the school with your family by calling Liz Burgdorf at 864.331.2145. Private school can be affordable. Learn about our scholarships!

summer mass schedule

Our Summer Schedule last until 13 August:

- 9a Mass on Tuesday-Friday
- 9a First Saturday EF Mass in July & August
- Confessions on Wednesdays from 5-6p & Saturdays from 3.30-4.40p
- normal Sunday Mass schedule

congratulations to kevin & erin lewis

Congratulations to Sir Kevin and Dame Erin Lewis, who were received into the Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulchre, a papal order of knighthood. Here they are pictured with Sir Gary and Dame Gaile Hediger at their investiture in New Orleans. Members are invited to join the order by means of a papal honor and are committed to the defense of Christians in the Holy Land. We are blessed to have them at Prince of Peace. Please say a prayer for their important work!



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fr smith mission work in turkey

With the support & encouragement of Bishop Guglielmone and Bishop-Elect Fabre, Fr Smith will complete mission work and Turkish studies in Istanbul starting 17 June and returning on 1 August.

- Fr Smith is not leaving his position as pastor and will return on I August to our parish.
- Mission work is not to be confused with a sabbatical or vacation.
- Fr Smith asks for your prayers that he may continue to discern the Lord's will to be a man of communion and encounter in a land blessed by God.

congratulations to david and peter mershon

Congratulations to David and Peter Mershon whose team, Eastside High School, won the SCHSL Baseball State Championships!



parish offertory | april

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	As of April 30, 2022					
Offertory	Actual		Budget		Surplus / (Deficit)	
Month	\$	172,554	\$	136,750	\$35,804	
Year-To-Date	\$	1,347,201	\$	1,249,750	\$97,451	

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The Liturgy of the Hours is the public prayer of the Church that corresponds to the command of the Lord, Pray without ceasing. The hours of the divine office sanctify every day just as Mass sanctifies Sunday. The great thing about the Liturgy of the Hours is that it can be celebrated by anyone, and with everything from no ceremonies at all just by prayerful reading of it to solemnly with lots of ministers with singing. At Prince of Peace, we have a mix of different styles in which we pray the Divine Office. Many of our people choose to



pray the Liturgy of the Hours from a breviary, a collection of psalms, hymns and spiritual canticles, privately. Some pray from a book, an edition approved for that prayer, or from the IBreviary app on their smart device. Bishop Robert Barron's Word on Fire Apostolate now has a subscription service where you can get a monthly book which makes the praying of the more important hours of the Office easier: <u>Go to this website</u> to learn more.

In the parish, our laypeople lead Office of Readings and Morning Prayer (also known as Lauds, the Latin word for Praise) or Evening Prayer (also known as Vespers, after the Vesper star in the sky which is the first star appearing in the evening) several days a week, in English, according to the Ordinary Form of the Liturgy of the Hours. You can find the schedule for that in our bulletin each week. On Sundays, during most of the Sundays in Ordinary Time after Pentecost (while school is in session) and Epiphany, the priests and deacons lead a solemn celebration of sung Vespers with chant in English according to the Extraordinary Form of the Roman Rite followed by Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Latin. We do the same for Night Prayer (also known as Compline, after the Latin word for fulfillment, since we have reached the end of the day) during Advent and Lent. During Eastertide, our Sunday celebration is simplified: Vespers is read in English with a deacon presiding, and is followed by Benediction.

On Sundays and Solemnities, the liturgical day begins on the evening of the day before, just as it did for the Sabbath in Jesus' time. Evening Prayer of that first celebration is called First Vespers. Evening Prayer of the day itself is called Second Vespers. In the English speaking world, the Church of England popularized native terms Mattins for Morning Prayer and Evensong for Evening Prayer.

In ancient times, many of the Christian faithful joined their clergy for the hours of the Divine Office they could attend. As Mass began to be celebrated every day and not just on Sundays, and the Office became longer and more elaborate, the faithful began to substitute private devotions for the Liturgy of the Hours. The 150 Hail Marys of the Rosary, for example, were a substitute for the 150 Psalms that make up



the bulk of the Office. The Office began to be prayed by priests and religious in communities. Vatican II desired to restore this prayer to everyone, and instructed pastors to ensure that the divine office was prayed publicly in the church. The liturgical reform simplified the Liturgy of the Hours from eight offices to five, and drastically shortened it. Before 1974, we prayed the entire psalter in a week; now it is done over a month, and some psalms and some verses of other psalms are omitted. Many lay people have started to pray Morning and Evening Prayer as part of their spiritual discipline. We encourage our people to privilege this public prayer of the Church over even other worthy devotions.





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