



# *Journey of Hope*

## **85<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**

HANDMAIDS OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS, USA PROVINCE

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PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA

Today, the Handmaids of the Sacred Heart of Jesus celebrate 85 years of Hope...



... We Celebrate 38  
Handmaids serving  
ministries

in Athens,  
Atlanta, Haverford, Miami,  
Philadelphia, Wyncote and  
El Salvador.



Handmaids  
share our core  
values of  
Joy  
Humility  
Simplicity  
Hospitality  
and  
Compassion



Our Joy

inspires hope.


# Our Humility

calls forth hope.





Through Hospitality,  
we share hope.

A man with grey hair and glasses, wearing a white long-sleeved shirt, is leaning into the open rear hatch of a dark-colored van. He is carefully placing or adjusting several stacks of white egg cartons. The van's interior is visible, showing the back seat and the floor. In the background, a grey metal cabinet with a 'Carrier' logo and 'AQUASUP' text is visible, along with a brick building and a white house in the distance. The scene is brightly lit, suggesting it is daytime.

With  
Simplicity,

we bring hope.



Our Compassion

offers hope.





With hope,

we educate.

# We teach hope in Wyncote.

Since 1945, the Handmaids in Wyncote, PA have educated students “with love and for love.” Today, they conduct Ancillae-Assumpta Academy, a private co-educational school for students in pre-school through grade 8.





With  
hope,

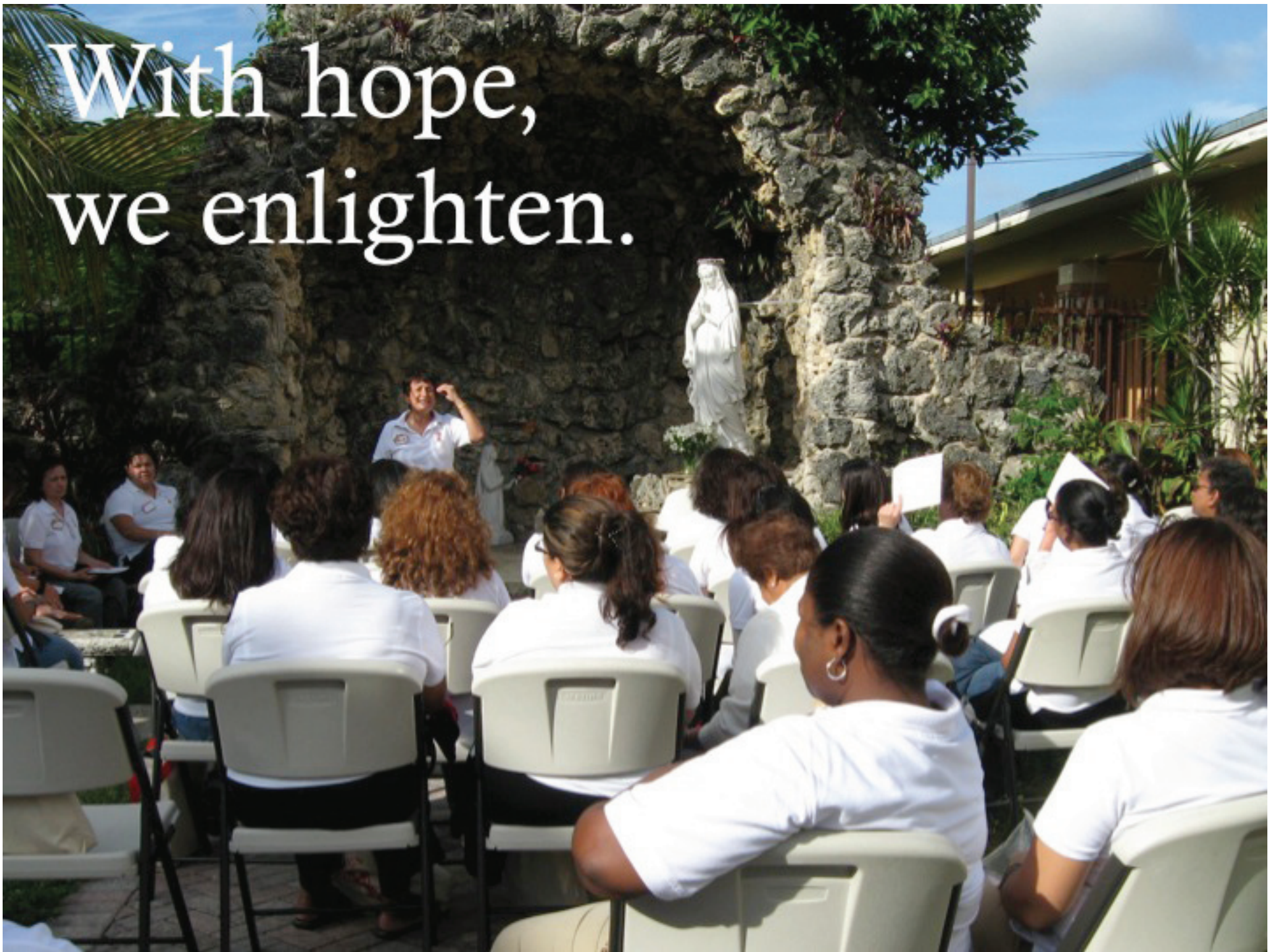
we pray.

# We seek hope in Haverford.

The Handmaids in Haverford, PA continue to provide spiritual nourishment through retreats and spiritual direction at St. Raphaela Center.




With hope,  
we enlighten.



# We deliver hope in Miami.

Since 1975, the Handmaids in Miami, FL have reached out to the community, serving in various pastoral ministries.





With hope,  
we offer  
understanding

# We bring hope to Athens.

The  
Handmaids in  
Athens, GA,  
among other  
things,  
continue to  
stock food  
cupboards for  
families in  
times of crisis.





With hope, we grow.



# We share hope in Atlanta.

The Handmaids in Atlanta, GA continue to promote the ACJ Associates and Hispanic ministry in the parish, something they began there in 1985.



With hope, we mentor.



# We spread hope in Philadelphia.

Our sisters in Philadelphia, PA continue to provide advocacy and support for minorities and other marginalized groups.





With  
hope,

we build.

# We promise hope to El Salvador.

Our Project  
FIAT  
continues to  
offer the  
basic  
necessities of  
life to the  
people of El  
Salvador.



With hope,

we advocate.



A large group of people, mostly women, are seated in a room, looking towards the front. They are sitting in light-colored chairs. The room has large windows in the background. The text "With hope," is overlaid in white on the left side of the image.

With  
hope,

we contemplate.



With hope, we  
are fed.



With hope,

we open doors.





With hope,

we achieve.

See what hope is.



Hope is life-giving.

Hope allows  
our Senior  
sisters to  
continue to  
stay as active  
as possible in  
their  
ministries and  
daily life.





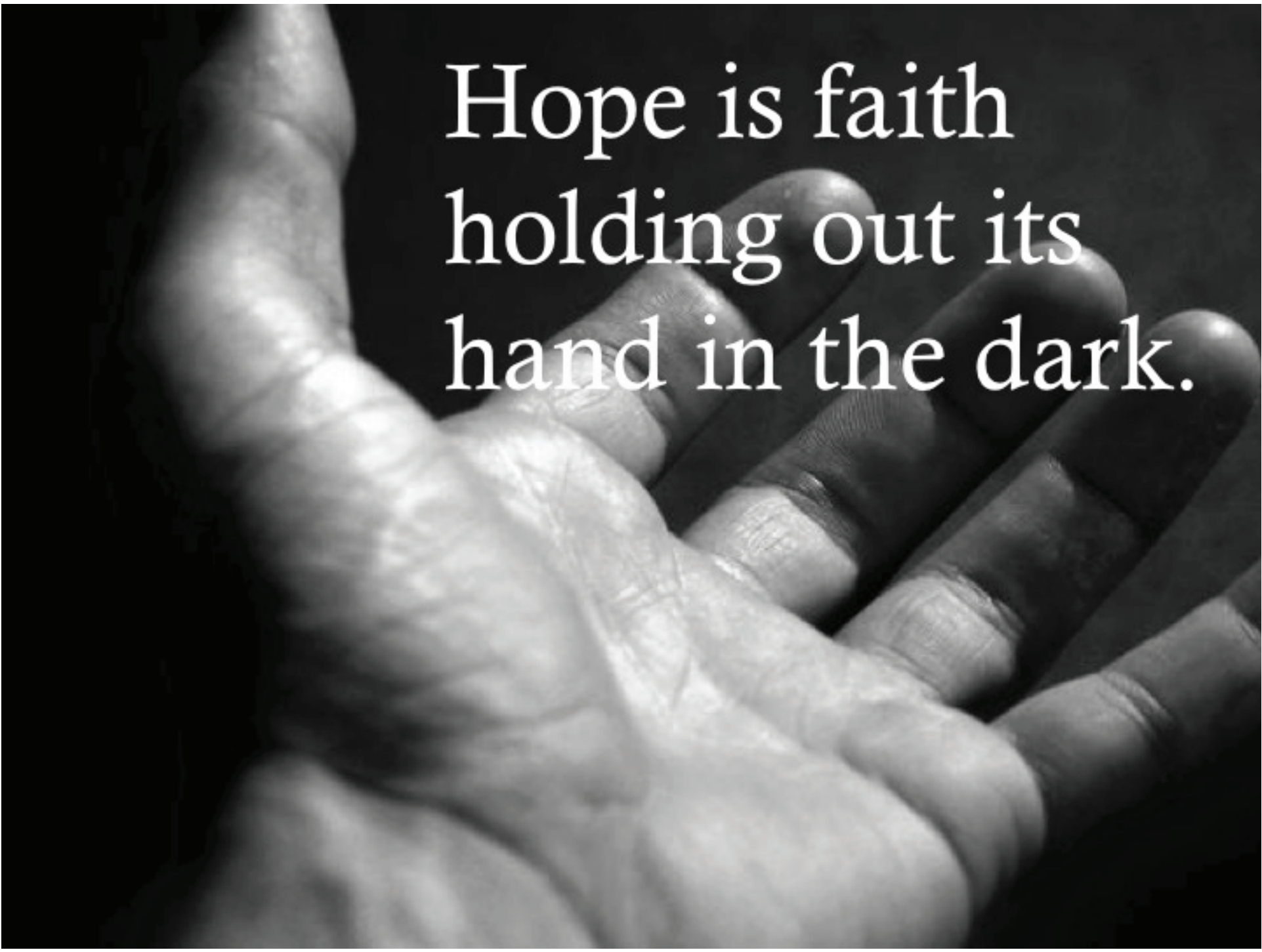
See what  
hope does.

Hope  
sustains us.





Hope allows us to know that our ministries will move forward through our sisters in formation.

A black and white photograph of a hand held out in the dark, with the text "Hope is faith holding out its hand in the dark." overlaid in white. The hand is the central focus, with fingers slightly spread, reaching towards the viewer. The lighting is dramatic, highlighting the texture of the skin and the ridges on the fingers against a deep black background. The text is centered over the hand in a clean, white, serif font.

Hope is faith  
holding out its  
hand in the dark.



We invite you to walk with us...



...as our *Journey of Hope* shapes our future.