

Confraternity of Christian Mothers And Women's Guild April 2018

Dear Confraternity of Christian Mothers and Women's Guild:

I am looking forward to seeing you on **Sunday April 8 at 11::00 am** after mass! A vote was taken at our meeting in March to change the meeting time to 11:00 am after the 10:00 am Mass to coincide with the Mass time change.

As you know, this will be our **Reciprocity Meeting** which we host annually. Local Confraternity of Christian Mothers board members have been invited. I am hoping for a good turnout from our group. If you were not at our last meeting it was decided that last names beginning with A-M should bring a **side dish** to share and last names beginning with N-Z should bring a **desert** to share. The main dish will be roast beef with gravy.

Some members recently enjoyed a Day of Recollection with our sisters from St. Frances Cabrini. It was a beautiful, spiritual day.

Thank you all for your food donations to the St. Vincent DePaul for their Easter ham baskets for those less fortunate than ourselves.

The **May Crowning** will be held on Sunday May 6 at 2 pm in the church. Dinner will follow in the church hall at 3 pm. Please join us in honoring our May Queen and participating in this beautiful devotion to Our Blessed Mother.

I am wishing you and yours a most blessed Easter!

The Christian Mother's and Women's Guild will be co-sponsoring the bus for the Seven Church Visit on Holy Thursday. The bus will leave from in front of the church.

Yours in the name of our Blessed Mother,

Kathy Matejka 724-378-4383

"This is the day the Lord has made, we will rejoice and be glad in it." Psalm 118:24

Correspondence

If you know of any members who are ill, or passed away, or have reached a milestone please contact Mary Ann Isaac at 724.375.7979. A card will be sent on behalf of our organization.

Ill Members

Remember in your prayers all of our members who are sick or recovering from illness or injury.

Deceased Members

Please remember in your prayers all deceased Christian Mothers and Women's Guild members and their families.

Sympathy Cards were sent to: Family of Yolanda Dinello and Family of Adele Ferris.

Mark Your Calendar

The following meeting dates have been scheduled: April 8th, May 5th, September 9th, October 14th, November 4th, and December 2nd. Please note that not all meetings are on the 1st Sunday of the month due to scheduling conflicts.

The Angelus

Call: The angel spoke God's message to Mary, **Response:** and she conceived of the Holy Spirit. *Hail Mary...*

Call: "I am the lowly servant of the Lord: **Response:** let it be done to me according to your word." *Hail Mary...*

Call: And the Word became flesh **Response:** and lived among us. *Hail Mary...*

Call: Pray for us, holy Mother of God, **Response:** that we may become worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray.

Lord,

fill our hearts with your grace; once, through the message of an angel you revealed to us the incarnation of your Son; now, through his suffering and death lead us to the glory of his resurrection.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.