



Our Lady of Good Counsel

St. Isidore Council of Catholic Women

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CCW Officers:

President: Ann Gazda

Vice President: Marisol Glaser

Rec. Secretary: Gloria Hagedorn

Corr. Secretary: Lucy Zilch

Treasurer: Liz Freund

Mission Statement: ...may out labors of love on earth enhance the reign of GOD and may GOD's gifts of faith and loving hope Prepare us for the fullness of the world to come.

Letter from the President



Dear Ladies,

I am so very proud to be your new CCW President for the coming year.

I have never met so many caring, smart and generous women. You should be proud of what all of you have accomplished in the last year. Your volunteering of

time, talents and great cooking, have allowed funds to be raised to carry out the work of the various charities we support.

I look forward to the coming year knowing what a supportive group of women I can depend on. We will have fun and enjoy each other's company, as well as make new friends, as we use our talents to do the Lord's work here on earth.

Have a great Summer and see you at Trifesta!

Ann Gazda



TRIFESTA! This year our parish trifesta is Friday, Saturday, and Sunday August 21st thru the 23rd. Friday is Golf at Indian Lakes. Many fun things planned throughout the course: Mad Hatter, Beat the Pro and helicopter drop to mention a few... If your looking for a FUN outing, THIS IS IT. Saturday AM is the 5K run/walk which is a great way to get some exercise, and support the church at the same time. Sunday, the Fest starts immediately after the 1PM outdoor mass. There will be multi cultural entertainment, food, BINGO, games and rides for the kids and ending with Eleventh Hour (band)

This year CCW with again man the WINE/SANGRIA BOOTH (tough job ;)). Thanks to everyone who signed up to help. We should have a great time as always!

(wear your name tag and your sunscreen because we are praying fort sunny weather)



Calendar of Events

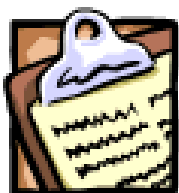
August 21-23	Trifesta
August 27	Board Meeting
September 12-13	CCW Sign Up Weekend
September 17	Welcome Dinner

June Birthdays: Marisol Glaser (1st), Michele Miller (1st), Mary Ellen Graf (8th), Laura Urso (10th), Dorothy Zywoit (11th), Carie Berger (12th), Normalinda Cabuso (13th), Kathleen Willhoit (13th), Toni Sakellaris (16th), Kerry Tripp (20th), Corrine DuBois (25th), Deacon John (27th), and Ginny Bircher (30th)



July Birthdays: Father Jerry (1st), Gloria Hagedorn (2nd), Cathy Jarvis (2nd), Lisa Salemi (2nd), Marie Kowalski (7th), Joyce Hoover (11th), Lucille Fuschillo (12th), Mary Jo Staszak (15th), Helen Koszczyk (21st), Geri Beyer (25th), Andrea Coutu (25th), Carmen Villarreal (28th), and Deacon Terry (19th).

August Birthdays: Elsa Benavides (1st), Cathy Medearis (3rd), Madeline Spinello (11th), Marie Fuschillo (15th), Josephine Kaleba (15th), Ivy Scherman (26th), Lynn Kane (30th), Pam Mitchell (30th), Karen Ziemek (30th), and Deacon Lupe (18th)



BOARD MEETING NOTES/REMINDERS

♣ *At our Instillation Dinner we voted how to divide monies from St. Joseph's Table. The final tally was 50/50 for PADS and DuPage Walk-in-Ministry*

♣ **End of Year Report:** *The last page of this newsletter will show how much we brought in this year and how the monies were spent. WELL DONE LADIES – WELL DONE! We distributed more than \$10,000 this year!*

♣ **Sign Up Weekend:** *September 12th & 13th we will be in the back of church recruiting new members. Please contact Cathy Jarvis if you can help out after your usual Sat/Sun Mass. A good showing of members would be great.*

Congratulations to our Woman of the Year MARIE KOWALSKI! You are an example of what a CCW woman strives to be and a model for all of us. Thanks for being you. XOXO



As this is the last newsletter I will be doing, I wanted to take the opportunity to say thank-you to all the wonderful women who have made this task (for the last 4 years) easier. You know who you are – THANKS! Kerry Tripp has agreed to assume the position of “editor” and I ask everyone to help her out on what you want to see in the future. She will certainly have her own “style” and that is a good thing!

DID YOU MISS IT?

Our Instillation Dinner at Vangelo's was OUTSTANDING! We got good feedback on the food (many like the family style service) and of course the company was THE BEST! Thank you Fathers Tri and Mark for joining us and a special thanks to Deacon John for conducting the ceremony and always being there for us.

CCW BOARD 2008-2009



Rec. Sec. Joan Lowe, Corr. Sec. Dorothy Jaskey, VP Marisol Glaser, Treasurer Liz Freund and President Mary Ellen Graf.

CCW BOARD 2009-2010



Treasurer Liz Freund, Corr. Sec. Lucy Zilch, VP Marisol Glaser, President Ann Gazda and Recording Sec. Gloria Hagedorn



Once again it is June and once again we find ourselves saying Good-Bye to someone we have grown to love and respect. Last year at this time we had hoped for more time with you Thank-you for always supporting will be a GREAT pastor! We just what a "winner" they are getting.



to say it to Fr. Tony and Fr. Felipe. We had Father Tri, but that is not to be. CCW and coming to our functions. You hope your new parish in Park Forest realizes

So it is with a heavy heart that we say: chào ông and God Bless. Please keep us in your prayers.

This weekend, June 20 -21, there is a special Baby Bottle fundraiser for Project Gabriel and the Women's Choice Services. Baby bottles will be available at all masses. Please pick up a bottle and fill with "loose change" and return it. What an easy way to help a great cause!

Please Pray For...



The soul of Jim Becker, husband of former long time member Theresa Becker
The soul of Gerri Wolf, St Isidore Staff member
The soul of Cesar “Chico” Velazquez, neighbor of Michele Miller

The health of Pat Baker’s (member) sister, Kathleen Vaid
The health of Marie Bilotti’s (member) cousin, John Lombardo
The health of Ginny Bircher (member)
The health of Rose Boyer (member) who had surgery May 4th
The health of Lynda Brauer’s (member) cousin, 3 yr/old Aiden Hanley who had a cancerous kidney removed
The health of Sally Calabrese (member)
The health of Mary Christopher (member) and her father
The health of Judi Cole (member) and her daughter who has Huntington’s disease and 3 small children
The health of Jo Dabrowski’s (member) sister, Rose Cortese and her family
The health of Nancy Engerski’s Mother-in-law, Lois Engerski and her husband, and Grandmother-in-law Berg
The health of Liz Freund’s (member) brother-in-law, Patrick Freund (brother of Deacon John) and his wife Vicky Freund
The health of Marisol Glaser’s (member) great uncle, Faustino Reyna and Baby Charlie Halas Hall – born with a heart condition and Downs Syndrome
The health of Gloria Hagedorn’s (member) great nephew, 3y/o Josh Bond who underwent heart surgery
The health of Lynn Kane’s (member) mother, Kay Nolan.
The health of Ann Keas (member) and mother of Joan Lowe also a member.
The health of Joan Lowe’s (member) daughter, Jackie Taylor
The health of Marie Kowalski (member) and her granddaughter Mackenzie
The health of Marianne Melecha
The health of Dolores Murphy, aunt of Michele Miller (member) recently diagnosed with breast cancer, and the family of Cesar Velazquez, widow 38, daughter 5 and son 19 as they grieve his loss.
The health of Pam Mitchell’s (member) father, Howard Mitchell and sister Jennifer Mitchell
The health of Cathy Scilabra’s (member) son Philip Scilabra and daughter Cathy Scilabra
The health of Madeline Spinello’s (member) step-granddaughter, Brianna Sharp
The health of Dorothy Zywot (member)
The health of Fr. Jerry’s Dad
The health of Maintenance man Stan also diagnosed with a brain tumor
For all of our CCW members and their families

Your prayer requests are important to us, so if you would like one added, please let Kerry Tripp (Email ktripp0620@comcast.net) or someone on the board know WHO and why. We would also appreciate knowing when the names can be removed. We will be starting a NEW list with the next issue in September.

A SUMMER PRAYER

Blessed are you, O God of life. You created the season of Summer that fills us with the warmth of your radiant love. You give us this season of joy to refresh us with leisure and to give us long days to dream dreams that will inspire us to better serve your people. Praise to you, O God of love, for the gift of Summer.

Have a safe and wonderful summer!



2008 -2009 CCW Charity & Gifts

Bishop Blanchette Fund	120
Deacons and Priests	300
CCW scholarship	500
Mission trip Honduras (Emily)	300
Marklund Home	180
Back to School Fair (Catholic Charities)	300
Education Endowment Fund	100
Youth Group (Washington D.C.)	200
St. Isidore school (Springfield trip)	150
African orphanage	1800
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Lamb's Fold	1000
Women's Choice	1000
Pads/ Feed DuPage	4085
TOTAL	10,035
Craft Fair	4044
Trivia night	1102
St. Joseph Table	4085
Cookies for Kids	1782
TOTAL	11,013