



CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS

Court Ave Maria #832
59 Church Street, Kings Park, NY 11754

MISSION STATEMENT

Catholic Daughters of the Americas strives to embrace the principle of faith working through love in the promotion of justice, equality and the advancement of human rights and human dignity for all.

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OUR NEXT REGULAR MEETING: JANUARY 27, 2020

Upcoming Dates to Remember:

Jan 24: March for Life, Washington DC

Jan 27: Our next meeting.

Soup Supper to be announced

Feb 24: Red Auction

St. Patrick's Day Parade to be announced

LIST OF SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR VETERANS

NEW AND USED (CLEAN) CLOTHING ALL SIZES
SOCKS, TEES AND UNDERWEAR
CLOTHES FOR JOB INTERVIEWS
WARMER CLOTHING FOR WINTER
BASIC TOILETRIES AND SHOWER SHOES (FLIP FLOPS)
APPROPRIATE READING MATERIAL
WRITING MATERIAL, CARDS AND GAMES
ROSARY BOOKLETS
GIFT CARDS TO MOVIES
GIFT CARDS TO APPLEBEES
GASOLINE GIFT CARDS
SNACKS

2020 New Year's Prayer

"God, as I begin a brand new year, I choose to find my joy and strength in you. I choose to walk in love. I choose to set my eyes on you and off all the struggles and chaos of this world. I choose your peace over worry. I choose kindness over hurry. I choose forgiveness over disunity and resentments. I choose your Spirit-filled power over relying on my own strength and ability. I know that my life is far from perfect, and the enemy would want nothing more than to take me straight down before I even get out the door. But I believe in your truth, and I have Jesus in my life, and because of that, I have all that I need to live free and abundantly for this very day.

Lord, open my eyes to see the power in your Word. Open my ears to know what you are saying. Fill me with your Holy Spirit and draw me close into your Presence. Speak to me and show me your ways, oh Lord. Help me to know your voice above all else."

~REMINDER~
2020 Dues are due!

You can pay by check or cash at the meeting
or by mailing your \$30 payment made out
to: Court Ave Maria #832:
Marge Duryea
P.O. Box 116
Kings Park, NY 11754

⬆️ **Did you know you can listen to**
Fr. Peter's homilies online? ⬆️

It is called: Catholicism on the Web
Go to: <http://www.dugandzic.us>
And listen for yourself.

****PLEASE NOTE****
EXTRA COPIES OF THE NEWSLETTER
WILL BE LEFT ON THE TABLE IN THE
PARISH CENTER EACH MONTH

A Very Special thank you!
Thanks to Lisa McDermott and her
husband, John, our annual Christmas
luncheon was a big success!

A Call to National Convention!
Ladies this year our CDA National
Convention will be held in Dallas, Texas
from July 15-19.
If you are interested in attending,
please let Louise Daconta know ASAP.

HELP WANTED

We are looking for **4** ladies to Chair our Spring Tea in April. Please see Louise if you are interested. You will be given detailed instructions and much help from former chairladies, so please help out our Court and get involved...our Court needs you!**



Prayers



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Our Holy Father, Pope Francis, Our Bishops and Priests, especially Our Parish Priests, Clergy and Staff.

For continued healing for our members and loved ones.

“Dear Lord, wrap Your arms around our members who are hurting today, and let them feel how much You love them.”

If you know of anyone in need of our support and prayers, please contact any of our board members

Or email prayer requests to:

Pat Ziegler: pziegler@optonline.net

***HAVE YOU GIVEN US YOUR BIRTHDAY?**

If you would like to have your birthday announced too, I need to have it first. If you haven't given it to me yet, please send me an e-mail, text or phone call and I'll Include you in our Birthday Club.

Happy January Birthday!

- 1 Regina Kempster
- 2 Laura DeLaRosa
- 2 Rose Sciacchitano
- 3 Carol Calvello
- 10 Joann Bergin
- 10 Carol Cravotta
- 10 Theresa Heubner
- 11 Eileen Nessler
- 14 Hilary Reilly
- 15 Kathleen Borgess
- 17 Esther Maria Boccio
- 18 Kerianne Meehan
- 21 Linda Carey
- 28 Pat Ziegler

REMEMBER TO WEAR YOUR NAME TAG AT EACH MEETING & PRINT YOUR NAME CLEARLY IN THE "SIGN IN" BOOK.

IF YOU DON'T HAVE A NAME TAG, PLEASE GO TO THE MEMBERSHIP TABLE AND REQUEST ONE.

RIDES NEEDED? *If you would like to come to a meeting, but are unable to drive for any reason, please contact any board member. We would love to see you, and share some time with you. If you are able to offer a ride for another member please contact us also!*

HAVE YOU MOVED OR CHANGED YOUR PHONE #?
Please contact Cindy Gonatas, recording secretary ASAP! cgbenz55@optonline.net or 516-428-6120

****Get Involved with a Committee****
It is very rewarding!!**

Ave Maria Visitors

Contact Mary Herbert 631 269-1118

Nursing Home Teas

Contact: Pat Ziegler 631 724-0413

Peggie Moss 631-724-0178

Valerie Terracciano 631-360-7846

Ladies interested in joining other CDA members already servings, socializing and bringing happiness to those in St. Catherine's & St. Johnland's Nursing homes. (Only 4 times a year) You will receive more pleasure than you could ever imagine by doing this.

Women Helping Women & Quality Of Life

CONTACT: Margie Connick (631) 724-9068

Movie "Unplanned": The DVD donated to our Court by member, Joanne Leonardi. If you wish to borrow it, please sign it out and return it when done.

<u>Our Court Committees</u>		
Adopt a Family	Joanne Leonardi	631-379-1585
Ave Maria Visitors	Mary Herbert	631-269-1118
	Pat Magnan	631-292-2355
Welcome Angels	Adrienne Gatto	631-544-0905
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	Pat Ziegler	631-724-0413
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	Veronica Vivolo	631-265-7003
	Pat Ziegler	631-724-0413

Upcoming Events:

Jan 17 Deadline for Education Contest

Applications

Jan 24 March for Life, Washington DC

Jan 27 CDA Meeting in Travis Hall 7:30pm

Rosary, 6:45 pm in upstairs chapel

Hospitality starts at **6:30 pm**

Feb 1 Local Education Contest Applications

Feb 24 CDA Meeting in Travis Hall 7:30pm

Rosary, 6:45 pm in upstairs chapel

Hospitality starts at **6:30 pm**

****RED AUCTION****

Feb 26 Ash Wednesday

Mar 1 State Education Contest Apps

Mar 23 CDA Meeting in Travis Hall 7:30pm

Rosary, 6:45 pm in upstairs chapel

Hospitality starts at **6:30 pm**

April 1 (must be postmarked by)

Applications for:

-Scholarship Apps

-JCDA Scholarship Apps

-Nat'l Education Apps

April 12 Easter Sunday

Apr 20 CDA Meeting in Travis Hall 7:30pm

Rosary, 6:45 pm in upstairs chapel

Hospitality starts at **6:30 pm**

Apr 26 Spring Tea

May 3 May Crowning

May 25 Memorial Day Parade

May 27 WEDNESDAY CDA Meeting

in Travis Hall 7:30pm

Rosary, 6:45 pm in upstairs chapel

Hospitality starts at **6:30 pm**

June 10 Priest Appreciation Day

June 15 CDA Installation Mass of New Board

and Reception of New Members in Church

7:00PM followed by CDA Hospitality and

Meeting

