



CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS

Court St. Pius X #1866

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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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Current Events.

May 30, Saturday,

10:30am. Installation of New members. Holy Spirit Retreat House. Mass starts at 10:30 am, and brunch afterwards. This is an important event for our court. Cost for those who gave their RSVP is \$15.00 for members and guests. New Members are Free.

June 10, monthly meeting, Raffle drawing, Wine and Cheese Party.

Join us for our meeting. We will have our raffle drawing and than share wine or punch and cheese. Bring something to share if you wish.

There will not be any meetings July and Aug.

We still have some books to sell. call Arlene at 337-1343. Did you turn in the ones that was mailed to you, sold or unsold. Buy the lucky ticket now.

June 13, Saturday

Alaska Run for Women Race Event!

CDA HAS A TEAM REGISTERED

SIGN UP AS A CDA TEAM LISTED UNDER TEAMS
YOU CAN RUN/WALK OR STROLL AS YOU WISH.

MORE INFORMATION IS ON THE RUN FOR WOMEN WEBSITE.

SEVERAL WOMEN OF OUR COURT HAS PARTICIPATED IN THE PAST AND HAD A WONDERFUL TIME .

PRAY FOR A BEAUTIFUL DAY!!!

www.akrfw.org
PASS IT ON

Welcome new members at the

Formal installation

Mickey Boozell

Gina Martz

Debra Vea

Minerva Hernandex

Karen Sobolesky

Theresa Austin

Sr. Loretta Luecke

Kristin Combs

Carol Blazka

Sonja Ellis

Shay Pesta

Leona Romer

Patricia Taylor

READ it. FEEL it. PASS IT ON. Check the book **WE Empower. Inspirational Wisdom for Women.**

---I believe the secret to life is show up, do your best, and then let go of the rest. --

LEEZA GIBBONS

June Regent Message

We are nearing the summer break for CDA. It has been a busy and productive time. Whether we were doing bazaar crafts, baking, baby shower for CSS, or fundraising YOU made it happen. We welcome our new members and look forward to learning more about each of you. Our June 10th meeting will be fun and we expect a big crowd. The raffle committee has done a fabulous job putting prizes together and with the ticket sales. The winning tickets will be drawn that night! Have a happy safe summer. God Bless. -Linda-

Did you pay your dues?

Remember your dues are from July to June of each year. They are due in July of each year Thank you to those who have already paid your dues. Some are paid ahead. Check the date on your label

Highlight means it is due.

\$20.00 a year and call Dona Boschee if you have any questions about your dues 646-4626.

Are you having a Birthday this Month?

On behalf of all the members, we wish you a very Happy Birthday.

JUNE Birthdays that we know of are:

Angela Moran
Beth VanCouwenbe
Cyndy Schoendaller
Sr. Arlene boyd
Melissas Lindman
Judith Christianson
diana Rybezynski
Leila Nelson
Sr. Kathleen O'Hara
Adeline Mongeau



JULY Birthdays that we know of are:

Georgine Winn
Deone Mischlig
Rita Droege
Helen thompson

AUGUST Birthdays that we know of are:

Melinda Dewey
Betty Johnson
Dacia Vanantwerp
Helen vik
Martha shields
Rita Montella

Birthday's are a Gift from God! Open your Present and receive all the blessings!!

Help us update our birthdays. If me missed your birthday, let us know or if you know of someone's birthday also.

PRAYER AND MASS CARDS

Pray in thanksgiving for all our answered prayers. (prayers are listed on our website during the month and when prayers are requested. see top of our newsletter for our website)

Please keep Leila Nelson's son in your prayers. He was flown into Providence for a heart procedure and there are some complications involved.

Please pray that Renee Habel, a friend Of Rosalie in Florida, may her health improve enough to be able to undergo a liver transplant and that her husband and family have the strength to help her make it through this difficult time.

Pray for:

Mary & Gabriella Ruebelmann - Personal family issues
Connor Daugherty - A young man who is a friend of my niece who was recently In a car accident and is in a coma.

Susan Trusket, prayers for her family.

Continue praying for:

Joann White, Providence Horizon House, 4140 Folker St., Anchorage, AK 99508
Debra Vea's husband, Ron, 1508 Vassar Drive, Anchorage, AK 99508

Mary Monaghan, 2401 Telequana Dr., Anchorage, AK 99517

Folks who are confined, especially in this nice weather, really appreciate cards, just saying "Thinking of You."

Duane Hrubes, son of Elsie Hrubes,
Leila Nelson and her son, John Strauss.

Pat Nightingale , Sheila Burgh,
Kathy Jellich's sister Janice Jusala.

Continue praying for all our members who are confined to their homes with illness or injuries.

Pray for our troops for their dedication and protection. And to help bring our troops safely Home.

Pray for our new adopted child in India Seema Vishwanath

Please pray for all the souls of the faithful departed in your prayers. Continue praying for the victims of disasters of the world



Touched by Angels



A great thank you again for all those who helped at the Bishop's Attic dinner and at the reception for the Ordination of the Deacons.


Thank YOU, for all the work in preparation, serving, clean up and of course all those delicious salads and desserts.

A JOB WILL DONE, AGAIN!



Dear sisters in Catholic Daughters ,

I would like to thank each of you for your kind cards and calls regarding both of my sons. John is in advanced stages of MS and not doing well and Bob was medivaced to Anch. and has both heart and kidney surgeries coming due to high B/P. The first heart surgery had to be stopped as the procedure was shutting down the kidneys and they will re-try after the kidney tumor is removed. I have placed both of them in the hands of our loving Father, Blessed Mary and 4 wonderful doctors; and know that they will be okey.

Thank you again, Leila Nelson 



Recipe of the Month

Rhubarb cake recipe

1 1/2 cups brown sugar
1/2 cup shortening
1 egg
1 tsp vanilla
1 tsp soda
1 tsp baking powder
1 cup sour milk
2 1/2 cups flour
3 cups finely chopped rhubarb
pinch of salt



Beat all of the above ingredients together. Put in 9 x13 cake. (I grease it lightly with Pam).

Topping: 1/2 cup granulated sugar
1 tsp cinnamon

Sprinkle topping on top of cake before baking.

Bake 350 degree for 35-40 minutes.

NOTE: This recipe is from Morrison County. The same county that John Czech grew up in. The recipe is from the Duncan family who were well established people in the town of Pierz, Minnesota.

-Dona Boschee

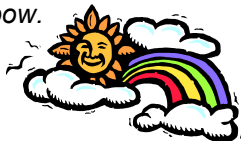


Reminder: No meetings during July and August Board Meeting will be August 19th at Linda Fleeners.

1st Meeting in September will be Sept. 9th.

HAVE A WONDERFUL SUMMER.... SEE THE BEAUTY AND SUNSHINE
--from *God Is Always With You*,
a Promise Journal.

when it rains... watch for the rainbow.



However you choose to enjoy your summer, try to set aside some casual time to spend with a friend or loved one for no other reason than to relax, enjoy a laugh, rekindle intimacy, help soothe each other's jangled nerves, or just to let your minds wander together among uncharted dreams.

- from
Quiet Moments with God for Women.



With Father's Day approaching, our thoughts turn to Saint Joseph. He responded freely to God's call to be the foster father of Jesus. The gospels show Saint Joseph to be a good and prayerful man, a faithful husband, a protector of his family, and a loving, concerned parent. He is the ideal role model for all fathers.

Remember all Father's On Father's Day, June 21st. and Remember our Great Father in Heaven.

NATIONAL NEWS

Check out the National Catholic Daughters Website on Top of our Newsletter.

**Things that you can find on the website:*

**National Regent's Welcome Message.*

**Important Dates left in 2009:*

June

June 18th CDA instituted

July

July 9-12th State Officer's Conference in Belleville, IL at Our Lady of the Snows

October

October 18th CDA Sunday

**Christ Notes Bible Search.*

CDA PROGRAMS:

- Circle of Love
- Operations Morning Star
- National Project

Links to CDA Resources

National and State Contacts

Alerts

Literature

National News



Submit National Website Comments:

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Pro-Life News:

Catholic Daughters is in support of the "One Million Rosaries for the Unborn Babies" in May 2009. It is something to think about. See April newsletter and the information is on our website. Keep the Rosary going.

Keep a close eye on and pray for those sponsoring the FOCA bill. Write your representative how you feel as a Christian on this bill.



Subject: Parental Notification Bill that took place. April 14, 2009 Defenders of Life-Wednesday, April 15th, at your local L.I.O., testimonies will be heard

from the public beginning @ 1:30 pertaining to HB35 and SB179-Parental Notification

(when a minor is seeking an abortion.)

The 'Consent' language was dropped to expedite the bill. It would not move forward with "consent language" in the bill.

You can fax or email the Senate HESS Committee your views on parental involvement, and ask that the bill be passed and moved out of their committee to Senate Judiciary. (ask that your testimony be given to everyone on the Senate HESS Committee)

Chairman-Bettye Davis
phone: 1-907-465-3822
fax: 1-907-465-3756
email:

Senator_Bettye_Davis@legis.state.ak.us



Please also notify Senator Fred Dyson, who is one of our pro-life heroes, and the only pro-life legislator on the HESS committee.
phone: 1-907-465-2199
email:

Senator_Fred_Dyson@legis.state.ak.us
Continue informing them on your feelings about all the bills that are being put before them.

Please remember during the upcoming Summer months to pray for all those women trying to make the decision whether to have an abortion.

Pray also for all "Catholic" politicians that they might have a change of heart and vote on the side of ProLife.

Programs of interest, on ProLife Issues. All are on cable channel 122 (EWTN) in the Anchorage Area.

Fr. Mike Shields-
"a Tiny Piece of Heaven"
June 30th at 11pm
and July 1 at 2:30pm

"Death with Dignity" (Euthanasia)
July 28th at 11:00 pm and
July 29th at 2:30 pm

"Defending Life"
Fridays at 6:00 pm Channel 122 & channel 18
Saturdays at 10:30 pm Channel 122

Outside of the Anchorage Area check time and Channel for your area.

Have a great Alaskan Summer.

"For ProLife Issues"
James & Ann Curro
Alaska State ProLife Couple
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349-3772



What's going on at Your Parish.

Court St. Pius X #1866 consists of members from Parishes throughout Anchorage, Eagle River, Wasilla, Kenai and even in other States.

Being a Catholic Daughters also involves doing our Charity works in our parishes. If you would like to put in what is going on in your parish. contact Arlene at arlene@alaska.com.

You can also go on our website and submit a comment on the bottom of the website.

Speaking of our Website, notice we had a special tribute to our military, past and present for Memorial Day.

NEIGHBORHOOD PLAY will be held again this summer at St. Anthony's Church from June 8 - July 31. It is free this summer.

Please pass the word as the parish collaborates with Anchorage Parks and Recreation to have this wonderful program for the children in the neighborhoods.

CAMP-OUT

June 1-4: Alaska Catholic Youth conference at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton. There are still a few registration forms in the church. Please call Matthew Beck at 907-745-3229 ext. 12 for more information

July 9-11: Global Solidarity Peace Building Retreat at Holy Spirit Retreat House. There is a tract for youth (high school) and a tract for Young adults (18-25) More information will be forthcoming.

July 25: Bike ride from St. Anthony to Earth Quake Park. this will be for middle and high school youth. Meet at St. Anthony's at 10am, bike the Chester Creek trail and Coastal Trail to Earth Quake Park, eat a sack lunch and return.

Permission forms and sign up sheet will be available near the date of the event.

August 7/8 Overnight hiking and camping trip for high school youth. More information will be available. watch for it!

August 15: Explore Independence Mine and Hike to gold Core Lake in hatcher's Pass. this will be for Middle and high school Youth. Help will be needed.

Contact Bonnie at bonniecler@peaceaction.org