

Council of Catholic Women

Spiritual Fellowship for Women of All Generations

St. Mary Catholic Church, Rockledge, Florida

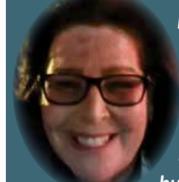


Our Lady of Good Counsel, Pray for us
St. Joseph, pray for us

Know About Us

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Jina Chaplow



Dear ladies,

Thank you for all your continued prayers for CCW.

I would like to thank Fr. Juan, and Fr. Joe, for supporting, and attending, the "Life Recaptured" event. Life Recaptured has monthly human trafficking awareness events at 3757 N. US 1, in Cocoa. This is where their cafe is open for business, Wednesday-Saturday, 8-2 pm. Proceeds from "Connections Cafe" we'll go towards helping women who are victims of human trafficking receive housing and help. Please visit the cafe or their boutique; for more information, please see their website: <https://www.liferecaptured.org/>

Our next meeting will be held on November 13th, at 6:30 in the Parish Hall.

Our Lady of Good Counsel, Pray for Us!!

Jina



COMMISSIONS

"Dignity of Life"

St Mary School

Spirituality

Christmas Cards Needed!



The CCW will be again distributing Christmas cards to residents in local nursing homes/rehab hospitals, etc. For some, this may be the only card they'll receive. Many of us receive cards from charities this time of year and if you don't plan to use them yourselves, we'd appreciate having them donated to the CCW.

We gave out more than 150 cards last year and will be grateful for any donations. Boxed cards from the dollar stores are also welcome. Please contact Council for Catholic Women at ccw@stmaryrockledge.org to drop off the cards.

Thanks so much for your help!



A Big Thank You

to everyone who helped with the Fall Festival. Connee Freeman's team did an outstanding job with the cake wheel and we appreciate everyone who bake those delicious goodies.

Another big thanks to everyone who helped decorate, assemble and donate to the raffle baskets.

We also appreciate everyone who helped out at the festival to make it a huge success.



In this month of November, let's please pray for Fr Juan and Fr Joe, our Diocese, and all of our priests so that they may be filled with continuous guidance from the Holy Spirit.

Please also keep in prayer our Parish and school family.

In this entire month of November, also please lift up in prayer the souls of the faithfully departed.



Life Recaptured Event



This year, we (the parish) will be included in a new fundraiser for the school!

St. Mary's PTO will be taking orders for some delicious Texas Roadhouse Dinner Rolls.

They will be distributed after mass Sunday November 19th. They come frozen, but when baked, they make a delicious addition to your Thanksgiving dinner. Your family will love them or keep them frozen for yourself.

More information and sign up can be found in the church bulletin.

UPCOMING EVENTS



Breakfast with Santa

Sunday December 3rd after the 8:00 am and 10:00 am masses. The theme is Santa vs the Grinch. This sounds like a young family event, but many grandparents have been known to join in on the fun.

The children's Christmas Shoppe will also be open during this event so that those who do not attend the school can buy presents for their families.

I know you are asking "HOW CAN I HELP?"

Donations of Grinch decor, crafts for children to create at the breakfast and wrapping paper, bows, tags etc for the wrapping station outside the shoppe. Volunteers are needed to help set up the hall Friday, December 1st. (no finger printing required) and help with wrapping station and shoppe (finger printing is required).

They have a Grinch but are still looking for Santa. Please let us know if you have spotted him. Lastly, please let us know if you have any gently used Christmas items that we could raffle. Donations can be dropped off at the school and church office. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Jeanne Rousseau at jmmrous@aol.com.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080A45AFAD29A6FF2-45642051-breakfast>



WOMEN'S BUNCO NIGHT

Bring a friend



Join the CCW on Monday, November 6th at 6:00 in the Parish Hall for Bunco!
Please bring a \$6.00 donation and something to share!



Prayers at the Tiki Hut

are every Wednesday at 8:00 am before mass.

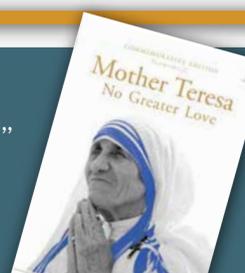
Please consider joining us as we specifically pray for our school, but also world events and personal intentions.

Prayer

Note:

Amazon prime has featured a FREE documentary on the life of mother Teresa,, called "Mother Teresa: No Greater Love" :

We recommend it!



The church will be selling

"Keep Christ in Christmas" yard signs this year.

More information will be in the bulletin

Make sure to sign up before they are gone!



"The Bible on Parade" will be held on December 3rd at 2:00 p.m

Save the date!

Families gather together to watch a parade that takes us back to Bible times, celebrating the coming of the true Christmas Season!

For more information, please visit:

<https://fun4spacecoastkids.com/calendar/eventdetail/52570/-/bible-on-parade?tmpl=component>



Thank You

We want to thank the Legion of Mary for putting together the Rosary Rally on October 14th, in our church!

What a beautiful and inspiring event.

Sr. Joan Grace will be in town until November 15th. She would love to hear from all of her old friends and students. Call the church office for contact information.

Happy Thanksgiving Day

from the CCW

Grateful Thankful BLESSED

"Give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you."

1 Thessalonians 5:18