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## 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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CDA NEWSLETTER

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## Regent's Reflections Monica Capra, State Regent

Dear Sisters,

Advent is upon us! A time of preparing our hearts and homes for the coming of the Christ child. And there is so much to do... decorate the house, bake the cookies, send the cards, buy the gifts... the list is endless. It can feel a little overwhelming at times! Sometimes, in my busyness, prayer gets set aside. And you know what they say: If the devil can't make us bad, he'll make us busy. What I have come to learn is that my day goes better when it starts in prayer. My week goes better when I attend Mass and adoration. It's as if the more time I offer Him in prayer and adoration, the more he gives back to me in the ability to focus and get things done efficiently. I encourage all of you take some time away from the busyness and quietly sit at the feet of Jesus to really prepare your heart for His coming.

This fall, I have had the opportunity to attend special anniversaries of some of our courts. Court St. Joan of Arc in Marshall celebrated 85 years in September and Court Madonna in Wilmont celebrated 100 years in November. What an honor to celebrate with my sisters in those courts!

I have a couple of "Shout Outs":

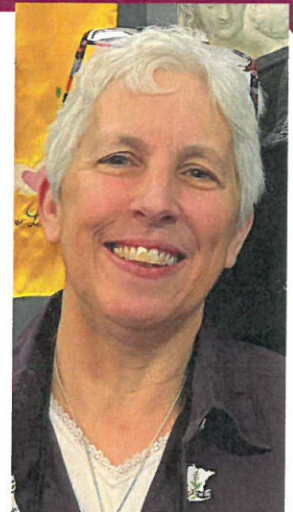
Court St. Joan of Arc in Marshall has welcomed 6 new members!! Congratulations!

Court St. Justin in Mahnomon who had been on reprieve for a year now has a full slate of officers and has returned to active status!! Congratulations to Regent, Megan, and the entire court for their hard work and commitment to the Catholic Daughters!

As the District Deputy reports come in, I am amazed at all the good works our courts are doing and it makes me proud to be a Catholic Daughter!

Your Sister in Christ,

**Monica Capra**



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To all My Catholic Daughters,

I hope that you and your loved ones will feel God's grace and glory during Advent, Thanksgiving and Christmas. May you all be safe and happy. Let's prepare our hearts and homes for Christ's birth. This has always been a time of anticipation, excitement, prayerful thoughts and gratitude for my membership in Catholic Daughters.

First, I want to thank you all for continuing to keep me and my husband Jack in your prayers while we battle all his health issues. I know God has plans for us both.

This is the time of year when we all come together to cherish what we have in the present moment and embracing all the love and joy that is around us. Time. Time is a precious gift that God gives to us. Do not be wasters of time but appreciate time. This could mean simply by praying in your own room, joining your Court and parishes in many events and being with the ones you love. We light our candles of hope, joy, love, peace and anticipation. We eagerly wait for the birth of the Light of the World once again.

This magical time of year is very festive and we should participate in it. We gather together at Thanksgiving. We decorate our homes with colorful lights, play Christmas music, bake and give. This is a contagious time of year as well. The spirit of giving has us donating time and money for causes. Donating food, clothing, and toys for others. The joy of giving brings a sense of fulfillment and gratitude for the blessings we have in our lives. Let us embrace this time of year with the true spirit of the season and spread love and joy to all those we encounter.

I pray that the Lord, the Light of the World, free us from our old ways and make our hearts ready to receive His light. Lord, grant us courage to transform our lives and follow your example always.

In Unity and Charity,

Mary Impellizeri, National Director

### CARE for Each Other

Dear CDA Sisters,

At our state workshops this fall, you were encouraged to invite and mentor more Catholic women into our CDA sisterhood. One of the primary ways we can encourage others to join us and to become members who participate fully and faithfully, is to CARE for them from the moment they join our courts. What does this CARE involve? It means we must

**C - COMMUNICATE** - Keep in touch via phone calls, emails, and in person. Let members know you are interested in them and want to share all that is going on in CDA.

**A - ACCOMPANY** - Encourage new members to participate. Offer to pick them up or go with them to meetings and activities.

**R - RELATE & RELAY** - Answer questions your new members may have, explain the Circle of Love program and other CDA projects and activities that may be new to them.

**E - ENJOY** - Nurture and enjoy your new friendships, appreciating what each new member brings to your court.

**CARE** for one another, each and every member, and our courts will grow and thrive.

Blessings to you all,  
Cathy, 1st Vice State Regent

## Deacon Paul Tschann, State Chaplain

Dear Catholic Daughters,

As the daylight draws shorter and the temperature turns cooler, we are reminded to get ready before winter sets in. Many of us have last minute projects to finish up before it freezes because we sense change is in the air. This is also the same with our church, we are drawing to the end of our liturgical year and getting set to enter into the season of Advent. We hold off singing the Gloria at our Sunday Masses, the color of purple adorns our banners and vestments, and we begin lighting the individual Advent wreath candles to count down the days and weeks in which out of the darkness a great light will appear. We need to get ready, especially to prepare our hearts to welcome this gift from God the Father that will forever change lives and open heaven to souls that are pursuing this journey to our true heavenly home. While it is easy to get caught up in the busyness of the season, I urge you to take time for prayer, reading scripture, and confession before Christmas. You may even want to do an Advent retreat in person or virtually with one of the many options that are available to us through technology. Any way that you can draw closer to our Lord Jesus is most welcome and your relationship with Him will overflow to those around you. I continue to keep all of you in my prayers along with your courts for their continued growth and service to the people of God. Thank you for all that you do!

May almighty God bless you, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

+ Deacon Paul

Deacon Paul





Education- NOW is the time to get started....

Education is a key ingredient and should include programs or activities that assist members to learn about CDA, its history, its charitable projects, and charities, as well as the programs on the spokes of the Circle of Love. This could include topics of a spiritual nature, safety concerns and medical issues. Education may lead to higher participation in a whole range of activities.

- The CDA scholarships and Education Contests are a part of the Education spoke.

Below is information on the contests and scholarships:

- **National Education Contest 2023-2024**-Form available online.

The themes this year are God's love and kindness will shine upon us like the sun that rises in the sky. Luke 1:78 or How does my love shine for others.

Local courts: Set your deadline by Feb 1<sup>st</sup>

Submit your entries to me as State Chairman – postmarked no later than March 1, 2024.

- **Father Leonard Bachmann Scholarship 2023-2024 Application** – Form available online.
- **If you have difficulty finding the form and details on the National website, please contact me and I can email or snail mail them to you.**

I am serving as your State Chair for Education. So, if you should have any questions or concerns, please contact me: Margee Keller, 301 Maple St, Crookston MN 56716 Cell 218.349.4566 Email: margeekeller@hotmail.com

## Quality of Life 2023

*If anyone has material possessions and sees a brother or sister in need but has no pity on them, how can the love of God be in that person? Dear children, let us not love with words or speech but with actions and in truth. — 1 John 3:17*

One of the many spokes in CDA's Circle of Love is titled Quality of Life. When I first heard this many years ago, I always thought of the old medical phrase – “let's focus on quality over quantity” when someone was nearing the end of their life. But, as I got to know and understand CDA's mission a bit more, I came to realize that it isn't just the sick and dying that deserve to talk about having a good quality of life. There are countless people in our parishes and communities that can benefit from the love and service we can provide as Catholic Daughters.

As a court, I challenge you this year to spend at least one event, meeting, or prayer focusing on compassion, and acting on that compassion. Compassionate action can take three forms: charity, service, and justice.

As you could probably recite, charity usually involves gifts of money, clothing, food, or other material goods, but does not necessarily involve an investment of our time and talents. Charity is important, but writing a check does not really change us in a fundamental way and we often remain distant from those we seek to help.

Service involves getting members face-to-face with those in need. It can be a transformative experience that can help to make us more selfless. Although generosity sometimes leads to self-satisfaction, service often becomes a very humbling experience. Charity and service are both personal forms of compassionate action. Their objective is to alleviate the effects of suffering in the world. Justice, on the other hand, seeks to eliminate the root causes of suffering.

The bible shows us that justice is synonymous with economic sharing. To follow Jesus and God leads us to a stance of looking out for the welfare of the poor and disadvantaged. Loving one's neighbor calls us to much more than charity and service; it means working for a just and equitable society. Justice is ultimately the most important factor in loving our neighbors. Philosopher and activist Cornell West once said, “Justice is what love looks like in public. You can't talk about loving folk and not fighting for justice”.

So, where can you start??? The national CDA website has some great ideas – I encourage you to go there, but also, brainstorm with your courts. Some of your members may have causes that are near and dear to their hearts - When people are personally affected by something like an injustice, they are more apt to put some real work into making the world a better place. Here are some general topic ideas from the site: Family life, health, community, worldwide, protection of the environment, health and wellness, identity theft, and family values.

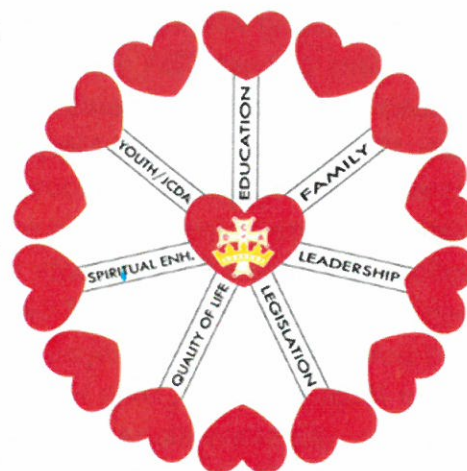
My call to action is simply this: Go out and do good!!! (And then report it to us next Spring ☺)

With Love – Theresa Steve, Regent, Court Madonna #839

(Credit for charity, service, and justice: [followingjesus.org](http://followingjesus.org))

## CIRCLE OF LOVE REPORTING INSPIRES OTHERS TO ACTION

The seven spokes of the CDA Circle of Love - Education, Family, Leadership, Legislation, Quality of Life, Spiritual Enhancement, and Youth/JCDA - are identified as important needs of the Church and community best served by the Catholic Daughters. To effectively respond to these needs, we must reach out and make a difference in the lives of others. When our courts plan, sponsor and conduct projects and activities serving these needs, we become the "hands and feet of Jesus" in our communities and the world. We must use the talents God gave us, pray, educate ourselves, volunteer our services and financial assistance where needed. And we know that your members and courts are doing this in many different ways.



As local courts, you are encouraged and asked to select those portions of the Circle of Love program that your members feel comfortable working on. If you have many members, you may decide to participate in all spokes of the Circle of Love; if your court is smaller, you may choose just a few of these areas to support each year. Either way, what you do does make a difference in your own court and in your community. Won't you share information on your most effective and rewarding projects by completing a Circle of Love Report on them?

Reporting on your Circle of Love projects is easy!

- Local Court identifies a Circle of Love Chair for each spoke supported by the court this year
- Court identifies which project/activity on which to report for each spoke of the Circle of Love in which they participated
- Local Circle of Love Chair obtains the Circle of Love Reporting Form from the Court Regent and completes and sends the report to the State Chair for that spoke by the deadline of March 1, 2024. *(Note: Individuals participating in the THEMED Education Contest must submit their entries to your local Education Chair by February 1 so the chair has time to determine entries that will be sent on to the State Chair by the March 1 deadline.)*

NOTE: Local Circle of Love Chairs are asked to share their contact information (name, email, address, phone) with the State Circle of Love Chair who is guiding the spoke they will report on (State Chair's contact information is on the Circle of Love Reporting Form) By doing this, you can communicate easily and directly with the State Chair if you have any questions and when you submit your local report, and the State Chair can more easily keep you up to date with deadline reminders and tips for completing your report.

Find fulfillment as you complete your projects and inspire others by reporting on your activities!

**1st Vice State Regent  
Cathy Nelson**

### Local Court News



**Court St. Joan of Arc #1291, Marshall** had many exciting adventures which all the members could participate; In April, we had 2 High School girls receive CDA Scholarships, Education Contest winners, and we attended the CDA Convention in Detroit Lakes. In May we celebrated a Memorial Mass for last years deceased members along with our 2nd annual Memorial Flag Project at several cemetery grave sites of past CDA members. We served the Confirmation Reception for the excited confirmation students. Bishop Chad had such an outstanding presentation! We had our Blessed Mary Statue refurbished to it splendor (picture right). In June, we all enjoyed a delicious Potluck supper for our priests to show our appreciation (picture below). CDA is praying an abundance of rosaries, prayers and devotions to support Fr. Tony with his cancer diagnosis. We planted a Butterfly Garden at Hill Street Place for all the residence to enjoy for the season, served coffee and cookies, Dilly bars, played Bingo and had a huge "Sing Along" with residence at our local Assisted Living Homes. We attended the summer CDA Workshop, having an interesting drive with stops along the way. CDA signed up for a 5 hour shift at the local Lyon County Church Food Stand...so fun and hot! We served Root Beer floats and burgers/hot dogs on the SMSU Move in Day. Before School started we gifted handmade quilts to the Holy Redeemer(50) and St. Edward's Pre-School children(16) (picture below), Heritage Pointe(12), Dorothy Day House (30), Food Shelf(10), and the Tracy Area and Foster Families(20), to use as needed. The last six years our record is creating over 759 African dresses that go with Dr.'s Across the Borders. We gather together to learn about Saints and share faith books in our Book Club (picture below) .On September 11th we celebration our 85th Anniversary with a Mass, banquet, past blasts, and history (1938-2023) all enjoyed such a beautiful presentation! We had a awesome caramel/cinnamon roll fundraiser after Sunday Masses-raised over \$800!! In October we welcomed new members, had our CDA Mass and Habitat for Humanity/Gummi Bears Fundraiser, raising over \$1,000! We started a NICU Octopus Project, Trunk & Treat at HRS, and served bars at the Eucharistic Revival and after All Souls Day Mass.



Fr. Paul Schumacher, Fr. Labat and Fr. Tony





## 50+ YEAR MEMBERS UNITE

**Court St. Bernard #886-Lismore** 50+ year members were recognized at their annual salad and hotdish luncheon in June. The gals enjoyed chatting and laughing with each other as they don't see each other on a regular basis anymore. They are:



Bette LeBrun (68 years), Marcella Gengler (53 years), Mary Ann Loosbrock (66 years), Joyce Erdman (60 years), Henrietta Lais (76 years), and Pearl Wieneke (54 years).



**Ct. St. Bernard #886-Lismore** was inspired to do random acts of kindness, thanks to an idea gleaned from the CDA SHARE magazine. Members placed labels on candy bars to be distributed to random individuals. The candy bar labels had various "uplifting" messages such as, "Today is a good day to have a good day" or "May you have a day filled with smiles and blessings". The gals had also planned to wear flannel shirts to their meeting just for fun; it turned out they were glad they did as the meeting room was very chilly that night! Pictured are: Brenda Lynn, Mary Metz, Avis Stoffel, Julie Brake, Lydia Diekmann, Mindy Kemper, Roxanne Kemper, Ellen Henning, Deb Lutmer, and Donna Dew.

### "Food for the Body ~ Food for the Soul"

**Court St. Cecilia #2025 of Red Lake Falls** was seeking another way to support the Youth of our parish as they continue on their faith journey with the project "Food for the Body ~ Food for the Soul". In a couple of the pictures below are some of the youth who attended Vacation Bible School in August enjoying the crowd-favorite meal of chicken nuggets, tater tots, vegetables, and dessert (Food for the Body) being served by a few of our Catholic Daughters, in the picture below (left to right: Bev Pillion, Val Gagnon, and Donna Rystad). Our Court also purchased the program and all the supplies for Vacation Bible School (Food for the Soul). Our Court is so pleased to be able to help out with this activity and plan to support Vacation Bible School in the same way for years to come!!



In September **Court St. Mary #509, Moorhead** donated dictionaries to the 3rd graders at St. Joseph's School. The teacher plans weekly lessons using the dictionaries to help students learn the usefulness of a dictionary. Students get to keep this dictionary and use it for years to come. This is the second year Court St. Mary #509 were able to support the education of students in this way. This year a former CDA member's family donated funds toward this project in her memory.



**Court Sacred Heart #1424, Waseca** held a sock drive during the month of October. A basket was placed in the Church entry and parishioners were invited to place new socks in the basket. 749 pairs of socks were donated, and given to our local Neighborhood Service Center! These will then be distributed to those in need.

Shown (right) is NSC Executive Director, Cindy Kolander and Socktober Chair, JoAnn Earle.



### Local Court News continued.....

**Court St Charles #1791** members and a few husbands gathered to pray the rosary publicly, as a "Rosary Rally" was held on October 7, 2023, at the corner of our only stop light in St Charles.



**Court St Charles #1791** hosted two CDA build days at the Habitat House being built in St Charles. CDA members also hosted a lunch for the Habitat work crew early in the build (pictures below).



**Court St. Margaret #1888, Eveleth** - A Faith & Family Fall Dinner was sponsored by St. Margaret CDA and the Eveleth Knights of Columbus. It was held in the Holy Family Hall at Resurrection Church. A delicious lasagna dinner was served, with garlic bread, salad, ice cream bar and dessert



bars. Five free Bingo games were offered with a prize for winning. Children enjoyed face painting. What a great way for the two parishes to celebrate the fall season. Prior to the dinner the Catholic Daughters assembled in the church to celebrate Mass as a group. Our fundraiser for the fall is a raffle with the first prize, pictured below, being a beautiful hand-made, queen-sized quilt. Additional cash prizes are also offered.



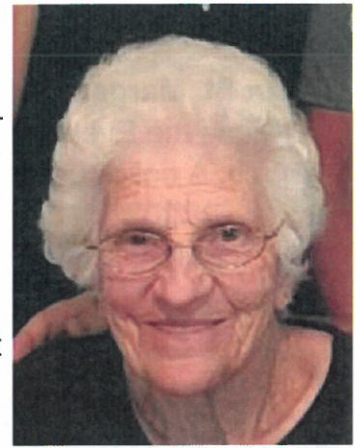
**Court Our Lady of the Fields #2107, of Argyle** participated in a Pro-Life activity during the month of October. Since the fall of 2019, the Catholic Daughters have given away almost 60 gift bags to babies born within the Argyle community. Each gift bag is filled with an assortment of items including diapers, bibs, onesies, socks, books, and other useful items. This year the Court invited the parish community to participate in the Baby Gift project. A baby's playpen was set up at the entry of the church and announcements were printed in the weekly bulletin as reminders of the CDA Baby Gift project. Some of the gifts were handmade by community members including burp cloths and knitted booties. The community's generosity was overwhelming! Many thanks for the wonderful baby items received in this project!!



*Right:* The baby items donated by the St. Rose Parish community to be used for the Catholic Daughter Baby Gift Bag project.

**Charter Member death**

**Ct St. Mary Peter #1864, Mazepa Bellechester**—Charter member *Mary Heppelmann*, age 93, passed away July 27 at home surrounded by her family. Our court recited the rosary at the visitation and many members attended her funeral on August 3. It was a beautiful funeral with her whole family participating in the Mass. Mary was known for her baking, especially her Banana Cream Pie, and “the recipe was going to the grave with her.” As funeral attendees were leaving the church, they were handed an envelope and given instructions not to open it until at the cemetery. To our surprise, it was Mary’s Banana Cream Pie recipe! Mary kept her word about going to the grave with her recipe.



**Summer Tour**

**Court St. Mary Peter #1864 Mazepa Bellechester, Court St. Charles #1791 St. Charles, and Court Plainview #497 Plainview** joined together on Saturday, July 29, for a summer tour. We met at St. Charles Borromeo in St. Charles for fellowship and recited the patriotic rosary in their adoration chapel. We also spent time admiring their Marian Garden. Next we headed to the Wing Dam Saloon & Bar in Fountain City, Wisconsin, for lunch and then to Winona for a boat tour on the Mississippi River. We returned to Wisconsin with a stop at the Danzinger Winery in Alma. Our final stop was for ice cream at Nelson Cheese. It was a great day touring with our fellow CDA sisters.



On October 28, 2023 **Court St Rita #409, Perham** held their annual Style Show. The show was held for the first time in the St. Henry's Fellowship Hall. The morning was a great success with around 150 people attending to enjoy brunch, see the latest styles from 6 businesses and have fun visiting, relaxing and bidding on Silent Auction items, taking chances on dollar bags, and winning door prizes. Many members worked hard to put together a beautiful stage, tables and overall decor with a "For the Birds" theme along with advertising and gathering items for the silent auction and door prizes and work with each business and models. We had some great 6th grade helpers from St. Henry's Area School setting up tables and chairs and painting rocks to use in the centerpieces. The JCDA girls assisted with handing out door prizes during the show. The theme for next year was announced for October 26, 2024 so save the date! Money raised at this event is donated to various charities in the local community. We were excited to see some of our CDA sisters from Court St. Cabrini in Fergus Falls and Court Holy Rosary in Detroit Lakes and were grateful to see so many people turn out for the morning.



**Court St. Mary Peter #1864 Mazeppa Bellechester** held three bake sales over the summer at the Lions Park in Mazeppa to raise funds for our project at the Ronald McDonald House. We raised over \$700, which will be used to finance a meal and provide needed supplies at the house.



**Appalachia Christmas Mission**

**Court St. Mary Peter #1864 Mazeppa Bellechester** collected new gifts for the Appalachia Christmas Mission sponsored by the *St. Paul & Minneapolis Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women*. Court members, Louise Gerken and Janet Ryan, along with their spouses, helped organize this event and packed the many boxes that were driven to the Olive Hupf farm in Randolph. The boxes were loaded into the semi trailer, which traveled to Kentucky for distribution to four Appalachian Catholic Churches. Thanks to our court members for their generosity.



**Court St. Margaret Mary #605, International Falls** - On October 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>, Court St. Margaret Mary did a fundraiser at County Market grocery store and City Drugs to support our Habitat for Humanity. Pictured from left to right is Betty Nemec and Jeanine Alich, along with Gummi Bear packets and a donation pail. We were there both days from 10 AM-4 PM. An excellent way to meet our community and give witness to what Catholic Daughters do.





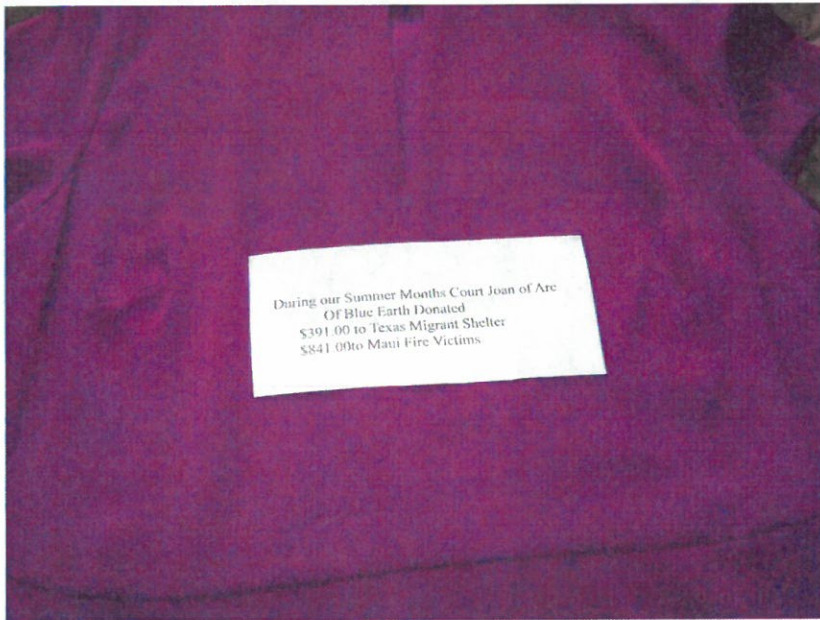
October was a busy month for **Court St Rita**. We offered Gummi Bears the weekend of Oct 1st, took orders for Butter Braids through the 15th, celebrated CDA Sunday. Our Chaplain, Fr. George Michael, signed the CDA Sunday proclamation and celebrated 10 a.m. mass. Vice Regent Janel Altstadt said the readings, Secretary's Pat and Jackie Hager along with Regent Leanne Stoll were gift bearers. Past Regent Dianne Rohde-Szarke was Eucharistic minister. Members from Court St. Rita and St. Teresa of Calcutta (JCDA) wore sashes. The Officer's processed in with robes. After communion Regent Stoll spoke to the congregation, explaining the history and mission of the Catholic Daughters and encouraged women to find out more and to join Court St. Rita. Following mass, members served refreshments and were available to answer questions at our display table along with JCDA members. During October we also made a collection site for members and the congregation to donate items for Someplace Safe, who helps people with domestic violence situations. They were able to contribute all month long.



**Court St. James #1820, St. James -** Mother Nature created the sunshine 'Cause of our Joy'; over Sister Mary on the left, Mother Maria Aeiparthenos on the right and the aspirants who share the Convent at St James Catholic Church. "Thank you for Blessing us with the scholarship to purchase our new tires" (Wheels on the drive way)



## Unity and Charity



### **Court Joan of Arc, Blue Earth**

During the summer months they donated:

\$391.00 to Texas Migrant Shelter

\$841.00 to Maui Fire Victims

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### **Upcoming Court Anniversaries**

Court Madonna #839, Wilmont—100 Years—12/9/1923

Court St. Charles #1791, St. Charles—65 years—3/8/1959

Court Holy Rosary #1916, Detroit Lakes—60 years—4/5/1964

**QUALITY OF LIFE:** Wow! What a beautiful outpouring of love and generosity were brought forth at our summer workshops! We asked for donations of school supplies and healthy snacks for the St. Mary's Mission School in Red Lake, and you filled their shelves to the fullest. They were so thrilled and appreciative with the large number of backpacks (over 75), paper (over 7500 sheets), notebooks (over 100), pens (over 250), pencils (over 1000), scissors (over 50), glue sticks (over 150), erasers (over 100), crayons (over 50 boxes), markers (over 20 sets), and supply cases (over 40), and healthy snacks (over 40 packages) that they couldn't find room for it all! In fact, they said we supplied them with all they needed for the next two years even before our northern workshops began, so they asked if we would request some outdoor clothing and household items for their members as they could not handle any more school supplies space wise. We did our best to get the word out, but we still received a lot of donations of school supplies at our northern workshops, so we overstocked the mission school shelves and with the overflow supplies we were able to help some other schools throughout the state with students who were in need. Thank you all for your generosity!

Submitted by Lisa Ouderkirk, Second State Vice Regent





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### Welcome to our New Members

Ct. Joan of Arc #1291, Marshall

*Mary Eggermont, Karla Goepferich, Jan Krogman, Cheryl Lanoue, Beth Ritter, and Colette Tubbs*

Ct. St. John #1371, Pipestone

Ct. St. James #1820, St. James

*Maureen Bell, Bernadine M. Johnson, Ana Marie Liz Chavez*

*Laura Barber*

Ct. St. Mary Peter #1864, Mazeppa-Bellechester

Ct Owatonna #1180, Owatonna

*Wanda J. Shafer*

*Barbara (Bonnie) Bremer*

Ct. Holy Rosary #1916, Detroit Lakes

Ct. Winona #191, Winona

*Jean A Moe, Cindy Myhre*

*Stephanie Paul, Marie Schueler*

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- Include who, what, when, where, and why in your story
- Include Court name, number & city
- If submitting photo, attach it as a .jpeg file to email with article-give photo a caption & identify each person
- Deadlines to submit articles: **July 10—Nov 10—Feb 10**
- Include your name, court, phone and/or email so we can contact you if we need more information.

### Blessed Be Their Memory

Ct. Joan of Arc #691, Blue Earth

*Mary Luchenbecker*

Ct. Winona #191, Winona

*Barb Hennessy, Fr. Mike Cronin, Marjorie Zittel*

Ct. St. Mary #509, Moorhead

*Lorraine Welle*

Ct. Caledonia #555, Caledonia

*Lolita St. Mary*

Ct. Margaret Mary #605, Intl Falls

*Shirley Ettestad, Judith Potter*

Ct. Owatonna #1180, Owatonna

*Sr Cecile Schuller*

Ct. St. Margaret #1888, Eveleth

*Joanne McCarthy*

Ct. Joan of Arc #1291, Marshall

*Diane Caron, Frances Matthys, Elaine Schultz, Shirley Severson, Adeline Tholen, Donna Weidauer*

Ct. St. Mary Peter #1864, Mazeppa-Bellechester

*Mary Heppelmann*

Ct. St. Anne #1840, Medford

*Joyce Pribyl*

Ct. St. Cecilia #2025, Red Lake Falls

*Irene Etterman*

Ct. St. Rita #409, Perham

*Helene Pettit*

Eternal rest  
grant unto  
her Oh  
Lord,



...and may  
perpetual light  
shine upon  
them.