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"Reach out, Renew, Revitalize with Love and Respect!"

Dear Reverend Fathers and Council Sisters,

With our belief in Christ and Mary our mother let us show love and respect to all. Let us start our own revival within CCW. Let us reach out to parishes and women's groups not affiliated with CCW. Let us help to renew those who have stepped away from CCW. Let us revitalize the existing affiliations and make them stronger. This has been my goal during my term as your President, to strengthen and revitalize our Miami Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women.

I am looking forward to welcoming you all to the 66th Annual Convention on May 3, 4 & 5, 2024 at the Deerfield Beach DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel. They are looking forward to welcoming us back again. They reduced the room rate to \$139.00 per night for double occupancy. They worked very hard to bring us back by keeping the prices to a minimum, and our full convention package is only \$20.00 more than it was for our last full convention. We truly thank the DoubleTree for being so welcoming to us.

I am so excited to announce that we have 2 guest speakers confirmed. Our keynote speaker, Dr. Carol Razza, a full-time faculty member and formation advisor at St Vincent de Paul Seminary in Boynton Beach. On Sunday we have Marlene Watkins, author of the "Everyday Miracles of Lourdes". The Florida Province Director, Brenda Dolan, will also be attending our convention this year.

We will start with the opening session on Friday afternoon, followed by the Rosary and Memorial Prayer Service for our deceased members. After dinner we plan to have some fun bringing back the District hospitality rooms!! Don't forget we will be having share the wealth and several other raffles going on throughout the weekend.

Bishop Delgado will be joining us for Mass and Banquet on Saturday to present our Scholarship Winners and our Golden Rose Award Winner. At the Saturday luncheon we will announce our Member of the Year and Our Lady of Good Counsel winners. Sunday Morning, we begin with breakfast followed by our speaker, author Marlene Watkins. We will then resume business and end with the installation ceremony of our new board.

Let us gather together in sisterhood and friendship with love and respect for all, as we celebrate another year being the hands and feet of Christ on earth.

Blessing and joy,

Karen Gorenzen



66th Annual Convention

May 3rd - May 5th, 2024 CONVENTION REGISTRATION FORM 100 Fairway Drive Deerfield Beach, FL 33441 954-427-7700



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Is our host Hotel please follow the directions below and adhere to the deadline. Miami Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women 66th Annual Convention

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DOUBLETREE HOTEL ROOM RESERVATIONS: There is a block of rooms for MACCW Convention. You must call or book online and make your own room reservation. Only two guests per room. To get the special convention rate of \$139 per night you must use this **Code: CDT903** or mention MACCW Annual Council when calling (1-866-871-7482) to make your reservation. You may also make reservations online at the following link:

Booking Link: <u>https://www.hilton.com/en/book/reservation/deeplink/?ctyhocn=DERDTDT&groupCode=CDT903&arrivaldate=2024-05-05&cid=OM,WW,HILTONLINK,EN,DirectLink&fromId=HILTONLINKDIRECT</u>

Remember Hotel room reservation deadline Friday, April 12th, 2024

<u>RAFFLES</u>

We will have a lovely assortment of raffles sure to please everyone. Tickets will be on sale Friday through Sunday. Winners will be drawn Sunday morning at the conclusión of the Convention.

We will also have a "Share the Wealth Raffle" [sold Friday and Saturday] which will be drawn on Saturday afternoon before mass. Raffles may be paid for by either cash or check, ticket prices will be

> 1 ticket = \$1.00 6 tickets = \$ 5.00 15 tickets = \$10.00

CHILDREN MATTER NCCW'S COMMUNITY CONCERNS DOLL CAMPAIGN

The purpose of this campaign is to raise community awareness, mobilize volunteers, and affect public policy regarding neglect or abuse to our children.

Due to the overwhelming success of the past "Doll Campaigns", we are once again going to invite you to bring your dolls to the MACCW Convention. You are invited to make a doll (like Jack & Jill in your own way) and bring it with you to the convention. The dolls will be displayed during the convention and the clothing will be distributed among the **3** districts to bring back to local children's centers. **Instructions:** The doll is made of corrugated cardboard, 34" tall and about 18" wide. For fun you can trace a toddler for your doll size. Dress the doll in toddler-size clothing (2T,3T, 4T) from head (hats) to toe (shoes & socks). Play clothes, sleepwear, or even Sunday best outfits are acceptable. Draw faces with marker pens, hair can be made of yarn, or even painted on. Be creative when making your

CARDBOARD DOLLS



Jack & Jill dolls.

Due to limited space to display the dolls at the convention, we request that each affiliation, or district, only bring **3** dolls each. However, please do not let this deter you from bringing the toddler-sized clothing as there is still a tremendous need for the children.



MEMORIALS



The convention program book will have a section to pay tribute to all those we love and have "been embraced by Sister Death". Memorials for our departed Council Sisters will be read aloud during our Memorial Prayer Service Friday evening May 3rd, 2024.

Memorial Names = \$5.00 each individual name. Please list below:

(Indicate with an "X" if the name of the deceased listed was a member of Council)

Requested by:
Phone:

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Please Make check payable to:

Mail completed form & check to:
Sharon Utterback @ 9934 SW 156 Court, Miami, FL 33196

Email your list to Avril King at avril_king@hotmail.com

Deadline to submit memorial names & check: March 25th, 2024

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BUSINESS ADVERTISING CONTRACT



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A program booklet will be printed and distributed to all registered guests, and copies are also given to all of our pastors. We would like you to become a part of this worthwhile event by placing an ad in our program book. The ad is a tax deductible, charitable effort. Equally important is the effect your ad will have in generating additional business for you. Please consider helping us with this endeavor by supporting our convention today.

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CONVENTION PROGRAM BOOK SPONSORS

To all members of MACCW Board, Districts of CCW & Affiliations of CCW,

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A program booklet will be printed and distributed to all registered guests. In order to help defray expenses, funds must be secured by way of voluntary contributions. We encourage as many affiliations, individuals and parishes as possible to support our efforts and be listed in the convention Program Book, in any of the following categories. Please mark your choice below.

SPONSORSHIP AMOUNTS

<u>Two (2) line sponsor:</u>	Archangel	=	\$ 100
	Angel	=	\$75
	Guardian Angel	=	\$ 50
<u>One (1) line sponsor:</u>	Cherub Patron	= =	\$ 20 \$ 10

Be sure to indicate the manner in which you wish your name or organization to be listed in the program book.

Please print, or type clearly.

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Please make check payable to:

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Return completed form & check to:

Sharon Utterback 9934 SW 156 Court Miami, FL 33196

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Email all Sponsorships as you wish them to appear in a Word doc to: avril_king@hotmail.com Advertising Deadline: March 25th, 2024 (ABSOLUTELY NO EXCEPTIONS)