

# Joliet Diocesan Council of Catholic Women

## Focus

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### Message from the President - Linnea Warda

Dear CCW members,

It was my pleasure to attend the six Deanery Spring Institutes. Each one was different from the other and each one was wonderful. I love going to the Spring Institutes seeing old friends and making new ones. I thank all the Deanery's for their invitation and warm welcome I and the board received. It was great to see the wonderful turn out from the parish Councils of Catholic Women. It is the dedication from the parish members that make CCW a vibrant organization. I would invite all women of the parishes to join us on the Deanery and Diocesan Boards. Please give it a thought. Let someone know you would like to serve.

We have a new leader for the Diocese of Joliet, our new Bishop is The Most Reverend R. Daniel Conlon. Bishop Conlon is from Steubenville, Ohio. I had the privilege to meet him when he came to the center on the day of the announcement. I was able to attend the Mass that he celebrated here at the center. He talked about the great love for Christ that should be in all of us. I read that he hopes to "rekindle love for Christ" in the Joliet area. At lunch he came to each table and talked to everyone at each table. In talking with him I discovered that there was an active Council of Catholic Women in Steubenville and he was very much aware of our organization. I promised that we will be ready to serve the Diocese when ever we can. He told me that he would be ready to serve us.



I hope that many of you have decided to go to the NCCW convention in Chicago. I know that it is expensive but it will cost us less as we do not have to travel to another State. This is the time we should take advantage of going to convention. I do not believe it will be less expensive any where we go. They are having one day registration, if you do decide to go for only one day I think Friday would be the best. It seems that most of the workshops will be on Friday. Our Ann Burdzinski has been slated as one of the nominees for President of the Associates. All of us that are going to convention should go and support her. Hope to see you all there.

**Linnea Warda – JDCCW President**

### Vice-President

The National convention will be held Nov. 9 to Nov 12, 2011. It is at the Marriott at 504 N. Michigan Chicago. Sister Helen Prejean will be the Keynote. Sister Helen turned her experiences into Dead Man Walking: An Eyewitness Account of the Death Penalty in the United States, a book that not only made the 1994 American Library Associates Notable Book List; it was also nominated for a 1993 Pulitzer Prize. Dead Man Walking was developed into a major motion picture in 1996, starring Susan Sarandon and Tim Robbins. The movie received four Oscar nominations. Dr. Robert Wicks, nationally-known speaker and author of the 2011 NCCW Book Club selection, *Everyday Spirituality*, will be the speaker at the Friday morning breakfast.

The Opening Mass will be said by Cardinal George. The session speakers will be Sheila Garcia who is speaking on Becoming a Marriage-Building Parish. That is just a couple of the speakers.

Hope to see you there. Check online for registration.

**Teresa Fritz – Vice-President**

**NCCW 2011  
Annual Convention  
Chicago Marriott  
Downtown Chicago, IL,  
November 9-12, 2011**



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**NCCW <http://home.catholicweb.com/NCCW>**

**Consider having a fund  
raiser to attend convention!**

### *East Will Deanery*

East Will Deanery celebrated its Spring Institute on May 5, 2011 at Sacred Heart Parish in Joliet and was co-hosted by St. Rose of Wilmington and St. Patrick of Wilton Center in Manhattan.

The enlivened music performed by Sacred Heart's adult and children's choir constituted a beautiful framework for spiritual and liturgy worship which was concelebrated by Auxiliary Bishop Joseph Siegel, Fr. Dan Hoen, East Will Deanery Moderator, Fr. Ray Lescher, pastor of Sacred Heart and Deacon Ralph Bias of Sacred Heart.

Our theme "*Mary Did You Know*" was chosen as a reminder of Mary's trials and tribulations being manifested in our lives as we are called to discipleship as spiritual women who focus on actions that affects the life, growth, and productivity for the well being of our church, community and around the world.

With an overall attendance of 92 many accolades were received concerning the liturgy, dinner and Health Wellness/Prevention presentation.

Thanks to everyone for making this a most joyous and successful event.

*Always with love and peace,  
Sophronia Bias, East Will Deanery President*

### *Eastern DuPage Deanery Pat Lord*

Our Spring Institute was held on May 11, 2011 at St. Joseph Parish in Downers Grove. We started with Mass, said by Rev. Jerome Kish, pastor of St. Joseph and concelebrated by Rev. John Sebahar, JDCCW Moderator and Rev. Peter Jarosz EDD Moderator. After Mass the business meeting was opened and Madalene Cannata presented the candidates for the Nominating Committee. Dinner & Voting started. After dinner the business meeting resumed with the pledge of allegiance and Introductions were made. JDCCW President Linnea Warda, thanked the ladies for inviting her and talked a little about Membership in NCCW and the Convention; Past President Carlotta spoke on the BBSF scholarships and Teri Lindeman spoke about Friends of NCCW for WUCWO membership.

Our speaker Kay McKeen was from SCARCE. She had many helpful ideas and information on how to SAVE GOD'S CREATION our theme for the evening. Kay spoke until 9:30 and the evening was closed with the recitation of the Prayer to Our Lady of Good Council. It was a very good evening and I think everyone enjoyed themselves.

*Pat Lord -Eastern DuPage Deanery President*

### *Ford-Iroquois Deanery*

Ford-Iroquois Deanery CCW Spring Institute was held on Thursday, June 2, 2011 at St. Peter's Parish in Clifton. President Maureen St. Peter opened the Business Meeting with a Hail Mary and asked for a moment of silence for all deceased CCW members from our deanery, with a special remembrance

of two past deanery board members, Rose Day and Jackie Vallar.

Necessary business was conducted. Parish Presidents and Woman of the Year were recognized. JDCCW Board members provided information on National Convention, WU-WUCWO, and Bishop Blanchette Scholarship Fund. JDCCW President presented Maureen with a plant in appreciation of serving as Deanery President.

Program Theme for the day was, "Body, Mind & Spirit" Jean Lareau presented information on a Cancer Prevention program being conducted in Iroquois County with sign up at Relay for Life. She showed a video and explained requirements for participating in this program. Ford-Iroquois Deanery Moderator and Host Pastor, Fr. Vern Arseneau shared his thoughts and information on the connection for our body, mind and spirit. All those present received some thought provoking information to use in their daily life. Mass was celebrated with Fr. John Sebahar, Fr. Vern Arseneau and Fr. Mike Powell.

Business meeting was reopened, credentials were reported and results of the Nominating Committee were announced. Meeting was then adjourned.

Lunch was provided and served by the co-host parishes of St. Peters, Clifton and St. Mary and Joseph, Chebanse. Donations were made to BBSF with a drawing of the center pieces.

*Maureen St. Peter Ford-Iroquois Deanery President*

### *Western DuPage Deanery*

My goodness it was a busy springtime! Congratulations to all our diocesan Women of the Year! Many, many thanks to our outgoing CCW Parish Presidents and welcome to our incoming Parish CCW Presidents...and for those of you who are both. God bless you! (I am one of those myself.)

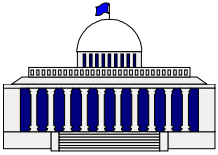
The Western DuPage Kendall Deanery Spring Institute was held at St. James the Apostle, in Glen Ellyn on Monday, May 9 2011. We were blessed to have the Most Reverend Joseph L. Imesch, Rev. John Sebahar, Rev. Jim Antiporek (our wonderful WDKD Moderator) and Rev. John Ouper celebrate the Mass, and seminarian Vicente Fernandez for pitching in. Our delightful speaker was Marie Ringenberg, Professional Storyteller, who is also a member of St. James parish. Total attendance for the evening was 123. Thank you to all the members of our Western DuPage Kendall Deanery Board, they all went above and beyond to prepare for this evening. Thank you to the St. James Council of Catholic Women members for hosting this beautiful evening and for all their hard work. Thank you to the St. James Parish staff for their gracious assistance. Thank you to all the JDCCW Board members who were able to attend, you are all wonderful!

As you make plans for the fall I hope you have made attending the National Council of Catholic Women Convention, November 9-12, 2011, at the Marriott Downtown in Chicago, part of your calendar.

*Deb Drager Western DuPage Deanery President*

### A Legislation Activity as part of your Parish Council's programs for 2011-12

by Marianne McKeague, Legislation Chair



It is difficult to plan a 'Legislation' program that will be attractive and useful to the women of your parish, although a joint program with Pro-Life and corresponding Pro-Life legislation is often very successful. Yet part of our role as a Council of Catholic Women is to educate and empower our women. One suggestion – which came out of the sharing session at the Spring Combined Boards meeting (to which board members of parish, deanery and diocesan councils were invited), was to include - as part of a regular general membership meeting - a very brief legislation activity, such as the following:

At an early meeting of your general membership, have the President or Vice President (or Legislation Chair, if your Parish Council has one), pass out ½ sheets of blank paper and pens/pencils. Ask the attendees to write their names and addresses, including zip code at the top, and then challenge them by

1. asking if they can write down the names of their two Senators in Congress. (*Don't allow table talk!*) Then
2. ask if they can name their Congressional Representative,
3. their state senator, and their
4. state representative.

If any can, reward them (perhaps with a piece of nice stationery and matching envelope); then ask all if they know how to contact these legislators regarding any pending issue or legislation. For those who don't have this information, collect their sheets.

At the next general membership meeting, distribute contact information on the legislators by the zip codes of your members. (If you send me the addresses and zipcodes, I can help assemble this information for your members: [marianne33@att.net](mailto:marianne33@att.net) .) Now your members will all have the information they need to act on any legislation issue or bill that comes to their attention, by calling the legislator's local or capital office, writing or faxing them, or sending them an e-mail.

Marianne McKeague

### Reverence for Life

Dear CCW Sisters,

During the month of July, we have the opportunity to once again stand up for life by participating in the 12<sup>th</sup> annual Face the Truth Tour sponsored by the Pro-Life Action League. From Friday, July 8<sup>th</sup> through Saturday, July 16<sup>th</sup> participants will hold up beautiful pictures of unborn babies and huge graphic signs of aborted babies at various sites throughout the Chicago area. Volunteers are needed. Please call me for a brochure with the dates & locations & times or check the website [www.prolifeaction.org](http://www.prolifeaction.org) (Current Tours).

Please reserve Saturday, August 20<sup>th</sup> for "That They May Have Life", a Prayer Breakfast and Conference, at St. Mary Immaculate Church, 15629 S. Rte. 59 in Plainfield, 8AM-12PM. Fr. Denis Wilde, Assoc. Director of Priests for Life will be keynote speaker and Mass celebrant. There will also be 4 Break-out Sessions. Cost \$15, due 8/1. Info 815-834-4065 or [prolife@dioceseofjoliet.org](mailto:prolife@dioceseofjoliet.org) to download flyer.

Please continue to pray to end abortion, to defund Planned Parenthood and to protect the conscience rights of medical personnel who are opposed to abortion.

Helen Sluis JDCCW Reverence for Life Chairman.

### Publicity

On Thursday, May 12 at St. Charles Pastoral Center in Romeoville, the Joliet Diocesan Council of Catholic Women awarded their Bishop Blanchette Scholarships. At this annual Mass and Reception six students were presented Scholarships. Their names and picture can be found elsewhere in this newsletter. The mass was officiated by Bishop Imesch.

The Bishop Blanchette Scholarship was established in 1982, the living memorial, which honors the late Bishop Romeo Blanchette, is supported by donations. Their parish Council of Catholic Women nominates students. Scholarships are awarded on the basis of scholastic achievement and financial need, as well as a statement, from the candidate in which they express their reasons for wanting a Catholic education. To date the JDCCW has given out 159 scholarships for a total of \$312,150 in scholarship money. The scholarships would not be possible without the donations the JDCCW receive from the parish CCW's and their members. For more information contact the JDCCW at St. Charles Pastoral Center, 101 West Airport Road, Romeoville, IL or 1-815-834-4080.

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**PLANNING FOR TOMORROW**

*By Pat Cetera, Leadership*

I know you're just getting into that summertime groove, when things slow down for CCW and the number of meetings you have to attend is slashed, but did you ever stop to think that it's the perfect time to plan the activities and meetings that will start in September?

Whether you're a new parish president or board member or a veteran who's in need of fresh perspectives and new ideas, we're here to help. The Leadership Training Team of JDCCW is planning a morning of ideas that you want and information that you need. If you're a brand new CCW officer or commission chair, you might feel that you've been set adrift in the fog with no idea of what's ahead. Even if you're someone with experience, you may feel that you need help to boost enthusiasm and knowledge in your CCW. This morning is planned for you.

Join us **on Saturday, August 20th**  
**at St. Ambrose Parish,**  
**1711 Burry Circle in Crest Hill**

We'll serve refreshments at 9:30 and begin our program at 10:00 with a short meditation. We'll be giving you information on the structure of CCW and how it works, and how information is exchanged between JDCCW and your parish. There will be tips and program ideas for every commission. You'll hear a little bit about parliamentary procedure (very short and basic and not scary at all!) We'll even discuss how to do the work of the commissions without a commission chair. One of the most important jobs of CCW is to build leaders, and that's what we'll be doing here.

Bring any and all questions you may have about CCW with you, or even better, e-mail them to the JDCCW office in advance at

[jdccwpresident@dioceseofjoliet.org](mailto:jdccwpresident@dioceseofjoliet.org).

We'll serve you a light lunch at noon and then you'll be on your way. Everyone is welcome. There is no fee for this day, but please call or e-mail the JDCCW office by Friday, August 12 with the number of women planning to attend so we can be prepared for you.

*Please contact the JDCCW office*  
*815-834-4080*

*for additional information you may need.*

**International Commission**

Summer brings with it vacations, gardening, cook outs and many get together with friends and families.

Sadly, one of the farthest thoughts from our minds is that of hunger. It's only natural to sometimes forget.... After all, we are all human. Unfortunately, thousands per day still die from hunger mostly being children.

I encourage all of us to maybe give up that cup of Starbucks coffee a day or a meal once a week and use those funds to feed those in need. It takes 19 cents per day to supply rice for a family of four. You might surprise yourself at how much you can make a difference.

Take the challenge...start today...start right now!

**STOP HUNGER WITH YOUR HEART**

Send checks to: JDCCW Office  
 Attn: CRS  
 101 W. Airport Drive  
 Romeoville, IL 60446

CLICK on the link below to get more CRS general information:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TQECXbWLV-0>

*Have a Blessed Summer!*

*Teri Lindeman, International Chair*

**Newsletter Editor**

**Rose Martinet**

Holy Ghost CCW will be hosting a play 'Lend Me a Tenor' July 29<sup>th</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>, 31<sup>st</sup> and August 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, and 7<sup>th</sup> at the Center for Performing Arts at Wood Dale Jr. High School Tickets are \$20 per person. For more information contact Mary Ann Brabec at 630-766-0462.

Congratulations to Holy Ghost CCW in Wood Dale. They will be celebrating 50 Years of service and ministry to the Parish. They are looking for memorabilia, pictures and other items, especially pictures of Women of the Year and past Presidents. Pictured below are some of their wonderful ladies.



## **Focus**

## **Joliet Diocesan Council of Catholic Women**

### **Bishop Blanchette Scholarship Fund**

### **CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 2011 BISHOP BLANCHETTE SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS**

*The Joliet Diocesan Council of Catholic Women was pleased to present six \$3,000.00 Scholarships at the 2011 Annual Awards Mass at St. Charles Borromeo Pastoral Center in Romeoville, Illinois on May 12th, to the following students.*



*From Left:*

*Theadora Iacobellis, Immaculate Conception School in Elmhurst, who will attend Immaculate Conception High School; Tiffany Crater, St. Jude School in Joliet, who will attend Joliet Catholic Academy; Megan McCawley, St. Patrick School in Kankakee, who will attend Bishop McNamara Catholic High School; Bishop Joseph L. Imesch; John Duzansky, St. Mary School in Mokena, who will attend Providence Catholic High School; Laura Nalepka, St. Joseph School in Manhattan, who will attend Joliet Catholic Academy; and Reileigh Turro, St. Joseph School in Bradley, who will attend Bishop McNamara Catholic High School.*

*Photo submitted by Pam Sifuentes*

*Thank you to all the 23 CCW Parish Presidents who submitted student applications and our BBSF Monitoring Committee for making the selections after prayerful consideration. Since the onset of the Bishop Blanchette Scholarship, 28 years ago, this fund has awarded 159 scholarships in the sum of \$312,000.00.*

*My gratitude goes out to Marie Palmer and Mary Ann Brabec for chairing the successful "15th Annual Friends of BBSF Luncheon" at White Fence Farm Restaurant in Romeoville, Illinois on March 26th for the benefit of BBSF. A wonderful afternoon and a delicious luncheon was enjoyed by all who attended.*

*Kudos to the Western DuPage Kendall, Eastern DuPage, West Will, and Ford/Iroquois Deaneries for conducting raffles during your Spring Institutes to benefit BBSF. Your support is appreciated.*

*Thank you to Bill Yohnka, a past recipient of a BBSF scholarship, for coming to the Kankakee Grundy Deanery Spring Institute and sharing his thoughts and gratitude. Hopefully in the forthcoming "FOCUS" newsletters, other past scholarship winners can share their thoughts. If you know of any of these past winners, you may contact me at the JDCCW office.*

*Please consider donating to our Bishops Blanchette Scholarship Fund. All contributions are welcome and appreciated. THIS IS OUR PROJECT. We have Honorarium/Memorial cards available in the JDCCW office that can be used for any special occasion and/or to remember a deceased loved one. Masses are offered during the year for your intention. Cards are available for purchase at 4 for \$1.00. A donation along with your intention may be sent to the JDCCW office.*

*Carlotta Lawton - BBSF Char*

**2011 Women of the Year “Extraordinary Women of Faith”**

The 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual Women of the Year Mass and luncheon was held on April 30, 2011 at St. Raymond Cathedral. The theme “Extraordinary Women of Faith” was chosen by the committee from the readings of the day .. Principal celebrant was the Most Reverend Joseph L. Imesch, retired Bishop of Joliet. Joining Bishop Imesch in celebrating the liturgy was Reverend John Sebahar, moderator of the Joliet Diocesan Council of Catholic Women, and Deanery and Parish moderators. At the conclusion of the Mass, Bishop Imesch presented certificates to the Parish Women of the Year. The morning ended with a lunch for over 190 guests which was served in the Joyce Center at St. Raymond’s. Please join us in honoring these ladies.

***East Will Deanery***

Sacred Heart, Joliet - Denise Zielinski  
 St. Anthony, Joliet - Marilyn Brown  
 St. Joseph, Manhattan, - Marilyn Offerman  
 St. Jude, New Lenox - Nancie Ferencik  
 St. Liborius, Steger – Mary Forbes-Hettinger  
 St. Mary, Mokena – Nancy Blake  
 St. Mary, Park Forest – Lori Ryan  
 St. Patrick, Wilton Center – Linda Cakora  
 St. Paul the Apostle, Peotone – Lou Hagemaster  
 St. Rose of Lima, Wilmington - Mary Barnes

***Eastern DuPage Deanery***

Christ the King, Lombard – Anna Weselak  
 Holy Ghost, Wooddale – Anita Fischer  
 Immaculate Conception, Elmhurst – Marlene Infanger  
 Mary Queen of Heaven, Elmhurst – Debbie Styka  
 St. Alexander, Villa Park – Judy Emerson  
 St. John the Apostle, Villa Park – Virginia Herring  
 St. Joseph, Addison - Peggy Gisburne  
 St. Joseph, Downers Grove - Michele Geraghty  
 St. Mary of Gostyn, Downers Grove – Sue Testin  
 St. Pius X, Lombard – Cheryl Sutton  
 Visitation, Elmhurst – Gail Vitek

***Ford Iroquios Deanery***

Assumption BVM, Ashkum – Ruth Heideman  
 Immaculate Conception, Gilman - Carol Swanstrom  
 St. Edmund , Watseka – Cindy Coughenour  
 St. John the Baptist, L’Erable - Sue Peters  
 St. Joseph Mission, Crescent City - Gloria Novak  
 St. Joseph Mission, Loda - Barbara Parker  
 St. Martin, Martinton – Michele Webster  
 St. Mary, Beaverville – Joyce Arseneau  
 St. Mary, Paxton – Judith Ondercho  
 SS. Mary & Joseph, Chebanse – Betty Duvall  
 St. Peter, Clifton – Brenda Yohnka  
 St. Peter, Piper City – Marilyn Vaughn

***Kankakee/Grundy Deanery***

Maternity B.V.M., Bourbonnais – Marguerite Rowley  
 Sacred Heart, Goodrich – Gloria Giese  
 St. Anne, St. Anne – Sue Bonvallet  
 St. James, Irwin – Suzanne Nighswander  
 St. Margaret Mary, Herscher – Patty Kersch  
 St. Martin of Tours, Kankakee – Maureen O’Connor  
 St. Patrick, Kankakee – Sandy Smith  
 St. Rose of Lima, Kankakee – Patricia Posing  
 St. Teresa, Kankakee – Colette Raymond

***West Will Deanery***

Cathedral of St. Raymond Joliet – Mary Bannon  
 St. Ambrose, Crest Hill – Teresa Garcia-Mason  
 St. Ann, Channahon – Judy Rohman  
 St. Anne, Crest Hill – Ann Mulvey  
 St. Andrew the Apostle, Romeoville – Deb Eischen  
 St. Dennis, Lockport – Thea Keegan  
 St. Dominic/St. Francis, Bolingbrook – Barbara Garavalia  
 St. Joseph, Rockdale – Felice Sivitskis  
 St. Jude, Joliet – Mariann Whitemiller  
 St. Mary, Minooka – Carol Musgrave  
 St. Mary Immaculate, Plainfield – Joanne Pawlowski  
 St. Patrick, Joliet – Janet Sullivan

***Western DuPage Kendall Deanery***

Corpus Christi, Carol Stream – Paula Smith  
 St. Irene, Warrenville – Jeanne Kleinwichter  
 St. Isidore, Bloomingdale – Mary Ellen Graf  
 St. James the Apostle, Glen Ellyn – Mary Dandurand  
 St. John the Baptist, Winfield – Rita Grabowski  
 St. Mary, Plano - Caecilia Peschel  
 St. Matthew, Glendale Heights – Bernadine Olsen  
 St. Petronille, Glen Ellyn – Maureen Fahey  
 St. Scholastica, Woodridge – Laurie Kagann



**ALPHABETIC LISTING FOR 60<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY QUILT**

*Note.the Number is row down the Letters are across*

PARISH LISTING

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary/Ashkum.....	3G	St. Joseph Mission/Crescent City.....	3F
Cathedral of St. Raymond/Joliet.....	6F	St. Joseph Mission/Loda.....	2F
Christ the King/Lombard.....	7B	St. Joseph/Addison.....	5B
Corpus Christi/Carol Stream.....	3B	St. Joseph/Bradley.....	11D
Holy Ghost/Wood Dale.....	8F	St. Joseph/Downers Grove.....	5C
Holy Trinity/Westmont.....	5A	St. Joseph/Manhattan.....	11G
Immaculate Conception/Elmhurst.....	7A	St. Joseph/Rockdale.....	6G
Immaculate Conception/Gilman.....	3E	St. Jude/Joliet.....	4E
Mary Queen of Heaven/Elmhurst.....	7C	St. Jude/New Lenox.....	11H
Maternity B.V.M./Bourbonnais.....	10D	St. Liborius/Steger.....	10G
Our Lady of Guadalupe/Gilman.....	3E	St. Luke/Carol Stream.....	1A
Sacred Heart/Goodrich.....	9D	St. Martin of Tours/Kankakee.....	11C
Sacred Heart/Joliet.....	9E	St. Mary Mission/Reddick.....	11A
S.S. Mary and Joseph/Chebance.....	1E	St. Mary/Beaverville.....	1D
St. Alexander/Villa Park.....	6A	St. Mary/Minooka.....	5H
St. Ambrose/Crest Hill.....	4G	St. Mary/Mokena.....	9G
St. Andrew the Apostle/Romeoville.....	7H	St. Mary/Park Forest.....	11E
St. Ann/Channahon.....	7F	St. Mary/Paxton.....	2G
St. Anne/Crest Hill.....	6H	St. Mary/Plano.....	1C
St. Anne/St. Anne.....	9C	St. Mary Immaculate/Plainfield.....	7G
St. Anthony/Joliet.....	11F	St. Mary of Gostyn/Downers Grove.....	9A
St. Bernard/Homer Glen.....	5F	St. Matthew/Glendale Heights.....	1B
St. Boniface/Monee.....	10E	St. Patrick/Joliet.....	4F
St. Charles Borromeo/Bensenville.....	8C	St. Patrick/Kankakee.....	10B
St. Dennis/Lockport.....	4H	St. Patrick/Wilton Center.....	9H
St. Dominic/Bolingbrook.....	7E	St. Paul the Apostle/Peotone.....	9F
St. Edmund/Watseka.....	2D	St. Peter/Clifton.....	3D
St. Francis of Assisi/Bolingbrook.....	7E	St. Peter/Piper City.....	1F
St. Irene/Wareville.....	3C	St. Petronille/Glen Ellyn.....	4D
St. Issac Jogues/Hinsdale.....	8E	St. Pius X/Lombard.....	8B
St. Isadore/Bloomington.....	3A	St. Rose of Lima/Kankakee.....	11B
St. James the Apostle/Irwin.....	10A	St. Rode of Lima/Wilmington.....	10H
St. James the Apostle/Glen Ellyn.....	2C	St. Scholastica/Woodridge.....	2A
St. John the Apostle/Villa Park.....	7D	St. Teresa/Kankakee.....	9B
St. John the Baptist/L'Erable.....	1G	St. Walter/Roselle.....	4A
St. John the Baptist/Winfield.....	4C	Visitation/Elmhurst.....	6C

DEANERIES

EAST WILL .....	10F
WEST WILL.....	5G
FORD /IROQUOIS .....	2E
KANKAKEE /GRUNDY.....	10C
EASTERN DUPAGE.....	6B
WESTERN DUPAGE/KENDALL.....	2B

C.C.W. POINTS OF INTEREST

Diocese of Joliet Crest.....	8G
N.C.C.W. Mission statement.....	2H
Mother and Child.....	3H
N.C.C.W. Logo.....	8H
Our Lady of Good Counsel.....	8D
Prayer to our Lady of Good Counsel.....	4B
Year of Eucharist .....	8A
Quilters Square .....	1H

**Have fun finding your parish in the picture.  
Many thanks to Mary Ann Franson for creating this chart.**

## Focus

## Joliet Diocesan Council of Catholic Women

*Snap shots from Women of the Year. Can you find Joyce Mayo, Madalene Cannata, Diane Dow, Carol Weiland, Bishop Joseph L. Imesch, Linnea Warda, Joan Ruth, Mary Ann Franson, Joyce Donohue,*



### Summary of JDCCW COMMISSION SHARE SHOP REPORTS APRIL 27 Compiled by Mary Ann Franson, Recording Secretary

#### CHURCH-Carol Weiland

- Living Rosary or Live Nativity
- Travel Slides of Holy Land
- Baby Showers
- Flowers Mothers Day, Roses on Altar

#### COMMUNITY-Joan Ruth

- Speaker on Health Concerns
- Fundraisers...Cat Fish dinner...Bunco Party...No-Bake Bake sale...resales...
- Valentines for Vets...Mothers Day cards for incarcerated women
- Bring own coffee cup to a meeting
- Benefits of CCW...many good friends
- Christmas "All Wrapped UP" supply and provide wrappings for pkg.
- Speaker from Nursery spoke on gardening and Deacon spoke on Spiritual growth...
- Number of persons attending meeting doesn't necessarily mean the success of organization
- Sponsor Sandwich event with Baked goods
- Funeral Luncheons

#### INTERNATIONAL-Teri Lindeman

- Free Will Baskets
- Split the Pot 50/50 Water for Life
- Bake Sale/No-bake , bake sale
- Polka Mass/Luncheon
- "Mission Busy Bees" raise funds for charity
- Craft Show-Walks-Shave heads fund raiser
- Fair Trade and Coffee and Chocolates
- WUCWO Magazine and The Voice Awareness
- How to Motivate Women-garden party, luncheon, raffle, show video of Water for Life-Madonna Plan; when we feel our passion for the Cause, they will give

#### LEGISLATION-Marianne McKeague

- Peace and Justice wrote physical letters
- E-mails; time spent discussing internet tactics {Show CC:BCC} remove forward.
- Two part presentation at two consecutive general meetings: First ask how many know their congressional and Illinois legislators; if not use their names and addresses to get this information: Second at next meeting supply them with contact information to all their legislators