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Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet
April 27, 2018

Next issue May 11th

SAVE THE DATE



NO e-designs the week of
May 4th

FORMER MEMBER EVENT

in San Diego
May 5, 2018

2:00 - 4:30 p.m.

Academy of Our Lady of Peace
RSVP: Barbara Picco at
619.445.5826 or Rita Scherrei at
310.701.3591.



2018 Photo Book Entries

all photos and 25 words
for Sisters and Associates
are due by

May 21, 2018 to
clsmith@csjla.org



Holy Family Retreat 2018

June 3 - 9, 2018



2018 Assembly

Thursday, July 26th at 1:00 p.m. -
Sunday, July 29th, 2018
Carondelet Center



Called Together for the Life of the World

Congregational Chapter 2019
July 14-28, 2019
Saint Louis, Missouri

New Province Leadership Team

**By the Lord has this been done; it is wonderful in our eyes.
This is the day the Lord has made; let us be glad and rejoice in it.**

~ Psalm 118



Sister Adele O'Sullivan, CSJ



Sister Kathy Stein, CSJ



Sister Mary Ann Martin, CSJ



Sister Maureen O'Connor, CSJ



Sister Pat Nelson, CSJ

On April 20-22, 2018, the Province Leadership Selection Committee (PLSC) held the final discernment weekend with the 10 Sisters who were in the process for the election to our new Province Leadership Team.

It was a prayerful weekend that included quiet reflection times, sharing, discussion and personal interviews with the committee and the nominees, as well as social time.

Each of us on the PLSC sincerely believes that our election was the work of the Holy Spirit and that prayers of all Sisters were answered in the Sisters who were elected to our Province Leadership Team: Sisters Mary Ann Martin, Patricia Nelson, Maureen O'Connor, Adele O'Sullivan and Kathryn Mary Stein. They will assume their functions in July.

We thank you for journeying with us throughout the selection process. ❖

~ The PLSC - Sisters Barbara Flannery, Mary Kreuper, Carol Brong, Cathy Bundon, Ingrid Honore Lallande, Sharon Margaret Ninteman, Regina Clare Salazar

It must be
a great disappointment to God
if we are not
dazzeled
at least **ten** times a day.

~ Mary Oliver

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Arizona Cluster 1

At our recent meeting, fourteen cluster members (three CSJs and eleven Associates) discussed the topic of homelessness, both in general terms and somewhat focusing on Tucson. Many of us have had some firsthand experience of coming in contact with a homeless person. A couple of us have even had a homeless person in our home as a weekend guest. The general feeling was that most of us are conflicted when we see a homeless person on a street corner. We are not sure what to do. Sometimes, feelings of anger well up; other times, pity or sadness; other times blame and a whole host of similar feelings. There are questions such as "Should I give him/her money? if I do, s/he will buy liquor or drugs so why would I encourage that?" At times the concept may arise: "They are God's children also and I should give them money and not worry about what they might use it for. Some cluster members said they prefer to go into a store and buy those in need something to eat. Others said that the idea that anyone of us can become homeless, given certain situations, is a reality that we'd rather not think about. When we do consider this possibility, we become more caring and try to reach out to the homeless. ❖

~ Submitted by Sister Diane Smith, CSJ, Director of JPIC

Around CC



Sister Marie Bernadette Walsh, CSJ celebrated her 93rd birthday accompanied by her nephew, Bill Walsh. Happy birthday, dear Sister!! ❖



Please remember our Sisters and Associates who have recently died:

4/21 Sister Judith Howley, CSJ (A)

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2018 Carondelet



A Publication from
ALL of us to you!



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Diocesan Jubilarians' Liturgy and Luncheon in Honolulu



On a bright Hawaiian morning, the euphoria of sixteen clergy and religious Jubilarians with family and friends resounded across the Pacific Ocean. The singing by the congregation with the spirited music of the organ and the song leader filled the Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa in Honolulu, HI with rejoicing.

Our annual diocesan celebration began in the 1990s with our late Vicar for Religious, Sister Jeanne Anne Collis, CSJ. Bishop Larry Silva, a native of our Islands, presided at our Liturgy of thanksgiving. Before the final blessing, Bishop Larry individually congratulated each of the 16 Jubilarians with a token of appreciation for their 1,195 combined years of service to the people of Hawaii.

Amidst the scented flower leis, candid camera shots and embraces of aloha, all joined the Jubilarians in a multi-ethnic feast.

Departing the delightful Hawaiian luncheon, a gentle rain came upon us. Hawaiians believe this sign to be a blessing from God...He pōmaika'i 'ia mai ke Akua. ❖

~ Submitted by Sister Claudia Wong, CSJ



2018 Volunteer Recognition

Fifty-two humans plus seven canine volunteers were honored this week at a luncheon held at Carondelet Center. Sister Mary Ann Martin, CSJ, who served as the master of ceremonies, lead volunteers, staff and residents in a prayer for all volunteers. This year's theme was Garden Party. Everyone enjoyed the delicious food and many visited the photo booth with great humor and a wonderful disposition. ❖

Mission Madness

CARONDELET CENTER,
MAY 3rd - 4th
11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

NEWS

Find the following by clicking on the NEWS button above.

❖ Read the latest news from OLP

For All Sisters Driving

Soon you will be receiving your new AAA card. In the meantime, keep your old card until the new arrives. The old ones are still good for a month beyond their expiration date.

Your enrollment in AAA is with the Carondelet Center address so the AAA magazine that comes (almost) every month arrives at CC but can't be forwarded. Extra AAA magazines are available at the mailboxes in a slot at the top labeled AAA Magazine. ❖

~ Submitted by Sister Carol Brong, CSJ