



Catholic Daughters of the Americas
Court Daughters of Mary #2755
Bedford TX
<https://www.smcchurch.org/cda>
Summer 2022



Next meetings

General Meeting : No meeting in July Monday August 8 at 7 pm Rosary starts at 6:30 pm.
Future meeting dates: 9/12 10/10 11/14 12/12

Congratulations to our new officers!

Regent: Mary Kajs

Vice-Regent: Carol Dufinetz

Recording Secretary: Tina Millwood

Financial Secretary: Ellen Gallagher

Treasurer: Linda Velek

Thanks to all of you for agreeing to guide our Catholic Daughters court for the next 2 years. See page 2 & 3 for photos of their installation.

Learn to make a Rosary

Join us on Saturday July 9. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0c4aa5a82fa2f85-rosary1>

Here's a video that will give you a head start: <https://www.olrm.org/how-to-make-a-rosary/>

See photos from June 4 on page 4 of this newsletter.

Saturday August 6 sign up: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0c4aa5a82fa2f85-rosary2>

Future dates: September 10, October 1, November 5, December 3

Catholic Daughters Name Badges

If you would like to order a name badge, contact Linda Chreno. The cost is \$9.25.

Catholic Daughters shirts

Go to <http://shop.spreadthewordproducts.com/> or email cathy@spreadthewordproducts.com to order Catholic Daughters logo shirts, bags, mugs, and other items.

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Congratulations to our new officers! From left to right: Linda Velek (Treasurer), Carol Dufinetz (Vice Regent), Mary Kajs (Regent), Ellen Gallagher (Financial Secretary). Not pictured: Tina Millwood (Recording Secretary)



Patti Tapia, hands the gavel to new Regent, Mary Kajs, to symbolize the transition from the outgoing Regent to the new Regent.



Here are Linda, Ellen, Carol and Mary signing their respective forms titled "Installation of Local Court Officers Catholic Daughters of the Americas," while District Deputy Joan Ford watches.



Rosary making on June 4. Join us every month, as we learn to make rosaries. Next month, we will meet on July 9, but most months we will meet on the First Saturday after 8:30 am Mass.



Thanks to everyone who came to help. Contact Judy G if you need more supplies.



Adoration

On July 1, Adoration will be 9 am to 5 pm. Sign up here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0d4ca4a62da5fd0-july1>

At our May meeting, Mavis Gallegos, from the Stewardship Committee, spoke to us about Adoration. The goal is to have Perpetual Adoration. Our parish needs to have a commitment from the ministries in order to achieve that goal. **The Catholic Daughters will take the 7 pm to 8 pm hour**, every time that there is 24 hour Adoration. On August 5-6, there will be 24 hour Adoration, followed by First Saturday Mass at 8:30 am. We need people to worship in the Chapel **and** Door Monitors. The signup will be available in mid-July. Check back here: <https://www.smcchurch.org/eucharistic-adoration>.

Feast Day Saturday September 17**10:30 am to 3:30 pm**

On Feast Day, the Catholic Daughters will be staffing two games: Duck Pond & Ball Can Toss. We will need a total of 5 people every hour to staff those games. Please put 9/17/22 on your calendar. There will be more information at the August 9 meeting. Right now, we need two at the Duck Pond at 1:15 - 2:30 pm and one at 2:15-3:30 pm. For Ball Can Toss, we need 1 more person for each time slot and 2 people for 2:15-3:30 pm. Please plan to wear your purple shirt and name tag.

Time slots are 10:15-11:30; 11:15-12:30; 12:15-1:30; 1:15-2:30 and 2:15 - 3:30. People can email or call Mary Kajs with questions and to sign up (817-319-5282; mkajs12@att.net).

Catholic Daughters is one of the ministries that has been asked to contribute baked goods to the Cake Walk. (Baked goods can either be homemade or store-bought.)

Saint Michael is happy to announce we have a new ministry:

God's Own Children, a ministry to support individuals of all ages with disabilities. This ministry is open to all, regardless of religious affiliation. The monthly Mass, held on the third Monday of each month, is dedicated to individuals with disabilities and their families.

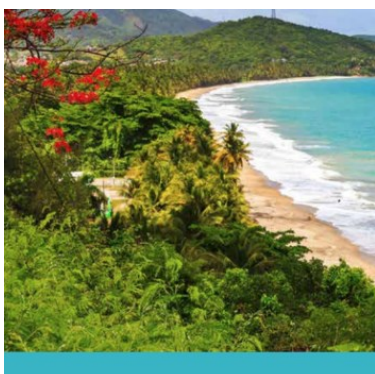
Mission Statement: *To provide spiritual and social fellowship, financial and academic resources, and community to all those with disabilities.*

For more information, please contact Sandy Steves at GOC@smcchurch.org or 972 741 9720

**God's Own Children.**

*A ministry
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of all ages with disabilities.*

The first monthly God's Own Children Ministry Mass will be on Monday, June 20, at 6:00 PM, followed by fellowship and refreshments in Pallotti Hall, 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM.

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National 59th Biennial Convention

Catholic Daughters of the Americas

San Juan, Puerto Rico

July 20—24, 2022

Texas CDA members who attend the Convention are meeting on July 21 for a Texas State Night dinner.

Fundraising

Thanks to all who have ordered gift cards from RaiseRight.
<https://www.raiseright.com> Since July 1, 2021, we have raised almost \$1000. Contact Judy Goldthorp at 817 239 7551 or judygold47@gmail.com, if you need the Enrollment Code to set up your account.



RaiseRight
 by ShopWithScrip

We will be ordering gift cards on Friday June 17 at noon and expect delivery on Wednesday June 22.

Mass Cards



Contact Dotty Vanicek (817 805 1018 or dottyvanicek@gmail.com) to donate \$2.50 for a Mass Enrollment, which provides the enrollee being remembered during the celebration of the Holy Mass each First Friday for one year. The Masses will be celebrated in Houston by the current Associate State Chaplain, Father Victor Perez. The monies generated from this project are dispersed in scholarships from Texas CDA to graduating high school seniors.

Faith-based books

Have some faith-based books that you are finished reading? Want to send them to a new home? Bring them for the CDA table at the Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast. Look through the books we have and take one home.



If you are available to help with ushering at any Mass, check in with the other ushers and ask if they need help. You will need to sign in on the Usher sign in sheet. You need to have completed Safe Environment training.

Sunshine Committee

Linda Sorenson is the Sunshine Committee chairperson. Contact her at 817 366 1756 (call or text). Linda is sending Get Well Cards and Sympathy Cards. If you have any Get Well cards to donate, please bring them to the next meeting. Call or text Linda with the name of your fellow CDA member who would be in need of such cards. Linda will start sending birthday cards, if you will provide your DOB (month & day only) to catholicdaughters.smcc@gmail.com



Safe Environment

Reminder that all volunteers, even those participating in ministries/activities that do not directly involve children, must complete the Diocesan Safe Environment requirements and renew their certifications periodically.

<https://fwdioc.org/safe-environment> You can register online at <https://fwdioc.org/training-sessions>.

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Contact Kathy Miller at se@smcchurch.org or Elizabeth Chanoine echanoine@smcchurch.org if you have any questions about Safe Environment training.