

## ***WHO WE ARE***

Catholic Daughters of the Americas is the largest national organization of Catholic women in the world, dedicated to strengthening our spiritual life through Christ and His Church.

We are organized in 42 states, Puerto Rico, the Dominican Republic, Mexico, the Virgin Islands and Guam.

All Catholic women 18 years of age and older, who love and support the church and wish to participate in social and charitable activities are welcome to join.

By giving of your time, talent, ideas, knowledge, dedication and enthusiasm, you'll receive spiritual enrichment, leadership skills, a marked sense of accomplishment, and much more.

We also have Junior Catholic Daughters of the Americas (JCDA) for Catholic girls ages 6-to-18.



*Our meetings are held on the second Thursday of the month at 6:30 p.m. in Holy Rosary's Parish Center.*

Membership dues are \$25.00 per year.

## ***Local Court Activities***

### **CHARITABLE**

#### ***CDA Kid:***

- Help support a terminally ill child with monetary and prayer support.

#### ***Schools:***

- Provide sweets and workers at St. Amant High School's annual "Boo at the Barn"
- Sponsor the "Annie Mayer Memorial Scholarship" for high school seniors

#### ***Community:***

- Support the Ronie Tureau Food Pantry & Diaper Bank
- Prepare & serve dinner monthly at Full of Grace Cafe
- Support Metanoia House & Ode to Our Warriors
- Support Missionaries of Charity, St. Agnes Church
- Make/donate food baskets for Thanksgiving for needy families of the various Church Parishes
- Make "Boxes of Joy" to improve life for less fortunate children
- Provide monthly stipend to a Seminarian

### **FUNDRAISERS**

- Mother's Day cake sale
- Father's Day cake sale
- Lenten meal
- Assist with clean-up for La Fete des Bayous church fair

### **LEGISLATIVE**

- We support legislation related to right to life & abortion.

### **SPIRITUAL**

- Recite Rosary at funerals for deceased CDA members and other parishioners at the request of the families
- Make annual pilgrimage to religious sites in Louisiana
- Donate sandwiches for funerals of CDA members or families
- Enroll CDA members and family members to "Works of Mercy"
- Pray the Rosary and have Adoration monthly
- Recite Patriotic Rosary for special services

### **CHURCH**

- Host reception for High School Confirmation candidates
- Host First Eucharist receptions
- Assist with Men of the Cross Conference
- Mentor the JCDA

