

Immaculate Heart of Mary Ladies' Sodality

"To Work with Love for Jesus through Mary"



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Hello Friends,

Happy Fall! It's my favorite time of year with the leaves turning, cooler days, crisp nights and the occasional bonfire. In my family it's always been a change in the menu. No more BLT's, corn on the cob and watermelon. Now we will enjoy big pots of chili, pot roasts, and apple crisp. What's your favorite meal this time of year?

Apple Crisp

4 medium cooking apples, peeled and sliced
3/4 cup packed brown sugar
1/2 cup flour
1/2 cup oats
1/3 cup butter, softened
3/4 tsp ground cinnamon
3/4 tsp ground nutmeg

Preheat the oven to 375 degrees. Arrange apples in a greased square pan. Mix remaining ingredients; sprinkle over apples. Bake until the topping is golden brown and apples are tender, about 30 minutes. Serve warm and if desired with ice cream.

In my last newsletter, I told you about wanting to help St. Vincent DePaul and found out they weren't in need at that particular time. Well, I now have received a call and they were in need of toilet paper, paper towels, and Kleenex. So, Ladies Sodality came to the rescue! I spent \$134.05 from our treasury and bought them 60 rolls of toilet paper, 36 boxes of Kleenex, and 30 rolls of paper towels. That should last them for a while!

I hope you are all staying safe and in good health!

Sincerely,
Brenda Bucher
President



GIVING TREE



We will once again be partnering up with Carondelet Community Betterment Federation. It will be a little different this year because of Covid 19. CCBF is asking for gift cards for food and clothing, as well as winter hats, gloves, hygiene and toiletry items. There will be more details in the church bulletin as we get closer to the Holiday Season. Thank you in advance for your generosity!

Lina Silistria & Carol Sandrowski
Giving Tree Co-Chairs

WELFARE

Get Well cards were sent to Edna Walter and Juanita Bishop. A sympathy card was sent to Kathy Brauss and family on the death of her Mother, Rosemarie Hoerjes, who was a member of Sodality for many years. Please keep all of our Sodalists in your thoughts and prayers.

Therese DeMoor
Welfare Chairman

Food for thought!



“We might ask ourselves - do we remember to praise God? Do we thank Him for the great things He does for us? For every day that He gives us, because He always loves us and forgives us, for His tenderness? In addition, for having given us His Mother, for the brothers and sisters He puts on our path, and because He opened Heaven to us? Do we thank God, praise God for these things? If we forget the good, our hearts shrink ... If at least once a day we were to “magnify” Him, then we would take a great step forward. One time during the day to say: “I praise the Lord”, to say, “Blessed be the Lord”, which is a short prayer of praise. This is praising God. With this short prayer, our hearts will expand, joy will increase.”

Missio – Daily message from Pope Francis 8/25/2020



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