

May 27, 2020

Dear Ladies of Our Lady of the Prairie Parish:

I Pray that all are well during this time of quarantine.

The CCW is a vital part of the Parish's support network. All registered women of Our Lady of the Prairie are members of CCW. The National Council of Catholic Women Mission Statement is: **The National Council of Catholic Women** acts through its members to support, empower and educate all Catholic Women in spirituality, leadership and service. NCCW programs respond with Gospel values to the needs of the Church and society in the modern world.

**Our 2019-2020 Accomplishments:**

- \*We **collected \$2500** in dues, and spent:
- \*Tabernacle for Chapel - \$4000
- \*Cemetery road fund - \$2500
- \*Kitui dorm project - \$1000
- \*Kitui Mission Mass - \$100
- \*Our Lady of Peace (Cancer Home) - \$450
- \*Madonna Fund - \$400
- \*ICU Mobile Unit - \$500
- \*Clergy Appreciation - \$200
- \*First Communion (PREP) - \$200

**Service Groups:**

**Funerals:** St. Martha Pray for Us. The CCW helps set up, serve meals and clean up at Parish funerals.

Time commitment: As needed on a 6-month rotation. April-September and October-March with a 2-hour shift.

**Altar needs:** St. Veronica Pray for Us. CCW is financially responsible for plants and flowers and cleaning the sanctuary. Members wash the linens and altar robes and get the Priest and Deacons Vestments cleaned. Members sew Baptismal garments. Time Commitment: Weekly or as needed.

**The Madonna Group:** Mother Mary Pray for Us. These are lifetime members of the Council who are no longer active members. A Member or a Family member may call the President to add their name to this list. Members will be acknowledged at a Mass once a year sponsored by CCW.

Please include your dues and complete the request for information at the bottom of this letter and return it to the Parish in the enclosed envelope. Reminder: There is **not** a CCW envelope with the weekly donation envelopes, and it is not a scheduled automatic payment.

Thank you for helping make Our Lady of the Prairie a vibrant parish community!

CCW President, Janice Teal

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I would like to be an Active Member in one or more of the Service Groups and pay my \$10.00 Dues.

I would only like to contribute \$20 in annual dues to CCW projects.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments \_\_\_\_\_