St Joseph's Christian Mothers/Women

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Dues:

Dues can be paid to our Treasurer, Jo Loidolt, or use the pink envelope sent in the Parish envelope pack. Dues are \$5 per year. Pierz Villa, Harmony House, and Meadow Pond residents are no longer required to pay dues.

Newsletter and Minutes:

Are now available on our Parish Website under Parish Staff and Groups.

Emails: We use the email list to send members the Minutes of the meeting and for notification when we are to pray the Rosary for the deceased. If you would like to get on the list contact nitahayes@live.com with your email address.

Next meeting: is the Salad Supper set for April 4th at 6:00 p.m. Please bring a salad or dessert. We especially invite any perspective new members to join us and will welcome new members into the organization. New members are not asked to bring a salad. We will also recognize 40 year members. If it has been 40 years since you joined the Christian Mothers/Women and you have not been reached, please contact one of the officers below.

Meeting Dates: Our officers have set the First Wednesday of January, April*, July, and October as our meeting dates for 2017. Hopefully this helps you plan ahead. *Note: April date conflicts with Confirmation, so is a day earlier.

Holy Innocents: Bags of goodies were given to the parish children on the last weekend of December.

Welcome to our new members

Pam Evans, Beth Fischer, Deanna Fuhrman, Christen Funk, Denise Girtz, Denise Gruber, Nita Hayes, Wendy Kapsner, Heather Kimman, Stefanie Kirshbaum, Cindy Pohlkamp, Diane Popp, Jenny Sadlovsky, Chris Stangl, Maggie Wehseler, Lynnette Woznak, Mary Young, and Rachel Young.

May crowning: We again will be having the May crowning on Mother's Day weekend, May 13th at the 4:30 Mass before Mass.

This is our 18th consecutive year of the parish May Crowning. Remember, Mary is the mother of all of us.

Baccalaureate Mass and

Breakfast: is May 21st, 8:00 a.m. Mass followed by a breakfast for the graduates and their parents. A small gift will be given to each graduate and all active Mass servers, ushers, lecturers, Extraordinary Eucharistic ministers, and choir members. We ask members of the junior class and their parents to help set up on Saturday and wait on tables on Sunday. Volunteers can call Marylin Lashinski or any of the officers listed below.

<u>Prayer Blankets:</u> If you would like to volunteer to help contact Kathy at 468-2105. Donations for the material can also be left at the Parish Office.

Cookbooks: We have our cookbook available at Hartmann's, the F&M bank and at the Parish Office.

Upcoming Events: April 5

The CM\W prepare and serve the Bishop's Dinner, prior to the Confirmation at the parish.

June 15th

Fun, Food, Fund: (DCCW)
Spring Meeting is on May 6th in
Brennyville, at St.. Elizabeth's;
The Meeting begins with the
9 a.m. Mass. The summer
meeting is scheduled at St.
Anne's in Wadena.

July 21 Villa Birthday Party: at 1:00 p.m.

August

Pie Booth: Oktoberfest weekend

September 11

Patriotic Rosary

September 16

Diocesan Conference of the Little Falls Deanery, sponsored by St. Mary's and held at Our Lady of Lourdes, Little Falls.

Sept. 6-9 NDCCW Dallas, TX

June 2018 Province Conference held every other year.

Deceased Members: The following members have passed away since March 2016: Delores Kippley, Lydia Hoheisel, Angeline Poser, Kate Millner, Karen Hellie, Delores Herold, Marcella Faust, Lavina Langer, Johanna Maus.

Officers:

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