CALLING ALL CATHOLIC WORSHIP LOCATIONS — IT'S TIME TO PRAY!

Below is one of two Spirituality Commission Projects for this fiscal year.

- The purpose of this project is to promote Our Mother Mary as we unite all our women and pray the rosary at meetings, via this project, throughout our diocese.
- The rosary is made up of 59 beads.
- We have 48 churches, 20 missions, 3 chapels, 5 stations, 3 Newman Centers, a monastery and our cathedral = 81 locations, of which 76 are open year-round.
- My co-chair and I will be creating a giant rosary on a sturdy fan-foldable board that will be approximately 8' x 30'.
- The crucifix will be 3D, lightweight and an appropriate size for the beads.
- The centerpiece will be Our Lady of Good Council, similar to the one seen below.
- There will be a lightweight chain/cord that goes between the beads.
- The beads will be photos of you, our ladies. I am collecting photos of our women praying the rosary at their meetings in a group. Photos of individuals are not permitted and sent back with a request for a group photo, unless you only have one member.
- Only one photo per location will be allowed.
- The border of each bead will be either blue for "Hail Mary" or a metallic silver for "Our Father".
- Beads will be assigned as a "Hail Mary" or "Our Father" in order of arrival. Example: The first photo I receive will be an "Our Father" and the next 3 are "Hail Mary".
- Each photo will be approximately a 6" diameter circle bead, including the blue or silver border.
- At the bottom of each photo will be the name of that location and where they are located.
- I am providing my mobile number so it's easier text me the photo that's on your phone. Please include the name of your location and where you are located in the text or email, because we have some duplicate names. Do NOT mail the photo.
- Photos will be cropped to fit a circle. It is not necessary to include feet or unnecessary items. Please focus on the praying women and their rosaries.
- The finished project will be on display at our 2025 DCCW Convention for all to see

All submissions may be submitted at any time from now until January 31st. Each photo will be assigned a bead on an arrival time stamp. For questions or to submit your photos, please contact me:

Gracemarie Belvedere \cdot (760) 617-0050 \cdot <u>gracemariebelvedere@gmail.com</u> Thank you!





