Immediate Past President/ Nominating Committee Chair Fall Board Report

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What a beautiful time of year. The cooler nights and beginning of Fall colors are a relief from our long hot dry summer. We are back in the swing of all things Council. I was able to attend the NCCW convention in Orlando, Florida to watch our own Amy Kennedy be installed as the NCCW President. How blessed we are to have her at the helm of NCCW. I pray for a blessed and successful term for her. It was a refreshing break from our dry weather and so nice to come back to cooler wet weather. I hope you all are refreshed and ready for the coming Council year. Thank our Good and Wonderful God for sending sweet rain to our communities, and a time of renewal for us!

As Immediate Past President it is my duty to activate the nominating committee to search for candidates to fill the roles of the 2026-2028 DCCW Executive Board. We need 1st Vice President, 2nd Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer nominees. Many of you have served the Council of Catholic Women with humility, grace, and integrity, Thank you. You all have learned the satisfaction and comradery of participating with our Council sisters. You get to form lifelong friendships with like-minded, faithful women. In a state where Catholics are a minority, it is a blessing to get to know and serve so many Catholic women. We truly are a sisterhood of faithful servants to our communities and Diocese. Please join us! It would be fantastic to have someone on the executive board from each Deanery. Each Deanery is represented on the Nominating Committee and is available to answer your questions. Please consider applying for one of the positions: your talents, gifts, and new ideas would be greatly appreciated and needed to keep our Council vibrant. The qualifications and duties for each position will be posted on the website along with the candidate form. Each position has wonderful mentors available to help you...you are never alone in the tasks. God is good and guides you through the duties you need to complete. Our Lady of Good Council intercedes for all our needs.



For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many. Mark 10:45

God is not unjust; He will not forget your work and the love you have shown Him as you have helped His people and continue to help them. <u>Hebrews 6:10</u>