ASSOCIATION OF LADIES OF CHARITY DIOCESE OF PITTSBURGH 2900 Noblestown Road Pittsburgh, PA 15205

October 1, 2025

Dear Presidents: PLEASE SHARE THIS INFORMATION WITH ALL YOUR MEMBERS

"God bestows a special blessing on the counsel we take in matters pertaining to his service."

When I need help, Lord, don't let my pride stand in the way of freely seeking the counsel I need. St. Vincent de Paul

Please don't hesitate to contact the office with any questions or concerns you have. Your call will be directed to the right person who can help.

LCUSA: I want to thank all of you who attended mass and the luncheon when our guests from National and International Ladies of Charity were here. I think they were so happy to hear all the great work we do in Pittsburgh to keep our membership the highest in the country. Thanks to Ann Hayes and Janet Aland for being our tour guides when we showed them around the city, a ride on the Duquesne Incline and ended up on Mt. Washington with our beautiful view. You know that view coming out of the tunnel blew their minds. Thanks again to Mary McIntyre and her ladies for doing an outstanding job with setting up and serving lunch. I heard great reviews on the cookie table too. To Judy Weismann who got Dave Christy to prepare the food and Barb Wolkiewicz for arranging the wonderful testimonial from Ros. Dianne Romo took on the job of preparing all things Pittsburgh gifts for the ladies. (Even though one is a diehard Kansas City Chiefs fan.)

Membership Information: Please start collecting dues from your members. They are due by December 1, 2025, and remain at \$20.00 for active members and \$4.00 for honorary members. Please send one check and your roster to the office. Associate members receive a separate letter and they pay dues of \$15.00 directly to the office.

Officers meeting: or sometimes called the Bi-Annual meeting will be held on Saturday, October 18, at Archangel Gabriel Parish, the St. Malachy Church on Forest Grove Road. You should have gotten a save the date notice and Ann Hayes will take your reservations. There will be breakout groups for Presidents, Vice Presidents, Secretaries, Treasurers, and Vincentian Spiritual

Moderators. White socks for men and women will be collected at the meeting. Sr. Grace Hartzog, Sister of Charity, will speak to us on leadership. RSVP: Ann Hayes ahhayesae@comcast.net by October 10th.

The Spiritual Society of the Unclaimed Dead: If you are interested in receiving a decedent's name, please contact Mary Jane Jurofcik at our LOC office 412-456-6924.

Social media: Sherrie Dunlap Gallagher, social media chair, updates our Facebook page regularly. Please let her know of any activities you are currently doing that she can highlight. She can be contacted at: sherrie.e.dunlap@gmail.com.

Junior Ladies of Charity (JLOC): For more information on JLOC, please contact Mary Diaddigo Rex or Hailey Innocenzo Dube' or call the LOC office at 412-456-6924.

Nursing Home Network: Please remember that if you have someone that is going to a nursing home outside of your area to contact Cindy Smith so that she can reach out to the local Ladies of Charity to visit. Call LOC office at 412-456-6924.

Cemetery Sunday: Mark your calendars for November 9th, as we gather at the St. Vincent de Paul monument in Calvery Cemetery at 2:00 to honor our unclaimed dead. The St. Matthews Ladies of Charity will place a wreath at Rachels Garden for the unborn at 1:30.

501(C)(3) – Below is the updated distribution information for the quarterly submission of Treasurer Reports and Bank Statements. The September, October and November reports are due by December 15. Updated sales tax exemption forms are available by contacting Judy Weismann at weismann2@comcast.net. Also, please consider joining the 501C3 team by inputting data into QuickBooks. Contact Judy if you would like to begin a training session.

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Mary Mother of God	Archangel Gabriel	St. Matthew
St. Teresa of Kolkata	Sts. Joachim and Anne	Christ the Divine Shepherd
St. Isidore the Farmer	St. Joseph the Worker	St. Michael the Archangel
St. Mark the Evangelist	St. Paul Cathedral	Blessed Trinity
Guardian Angel	Triumph of the Holy Cross	St. Catherine Laboure
All Saints	Sts. Martha and Mary	Mary Queen of Peace
St. Oscar Romero	St. John XXIII	Resurrection
Divine Grace	Our Lady of Hope	Our Lady of Mt. Carmel
St. Aidan	Our Lady of the Lake	St. Paul of the Cross
ALCDP	St. Jude	Holy Family
St. James	Emergency Fund for Elderly	St. Phillip's
St. Thomas the Apostle	St. Raphael the Archangel	Regina Coeli
Christ our Savior		

De Marillac Newsletter: Please share your pictures and stories with Peggy Keene for the next edition of the De Marillac Newsletter. We love to see what everyone is doing. pkeene9@outlook.com

Sister Moderator: Please continue to keep Sister Mary Victor Powers in your prayers.

October Rosary Intention: The life of every human person, from conception to natural death, will be enshrined and protected in our laws.

Dates to Remember:

October 18: Officers meeting Archangel Gabriel Parish, St. Malachy Church-9:30

November 9: Cemetery Sunday-2:00 pm. Calvary Cemetery at the statue of St. Vincent de Paul. There will also be a prayer service at Rachel's Garden for the unborn at 1:30.

November 14 and 15: Vincentian Spiritual Moderator Training Session on Zoom

April 29: Investiture at St. Paul Cathedral

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In the Vincentian Spirit,

Karen Radu, President

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