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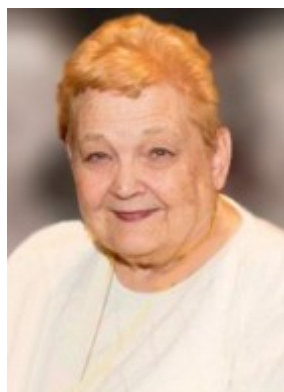
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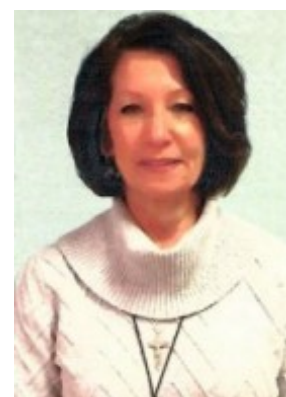
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*St. Vincent,
St. Louise,
St. Elizabeth Ann
Pray for all of us.*

As we move forward into a New Year four Ladies of Charity from three of our local Associations have said "Yes", were approved, and are now part of the leadership team of our National LCUSA Association. Peggy Keene, Karen Radu, Claudia Van and Nancy Bianculli now serve on the LCUSA National Board. Peggy is LCUSA President, Karen Mid-Atlantic Vice President, Claudia, Treasurer and Nancy is one of the Mid-Atlantic Directors. All of the ladies are also currently members of the Pittsburgh Diocesan Board and members of the local associations of St. Joseph the Worker LOC, St. Catherine Laboure LOC and Archangel Gabriel LOC. They are all very dedicated to the mission given to us by St. Vincent de Paul and St. Louise de Marillac and we know they will share their dedication and wisdom fulfilling their LCUSA National Association leadership duties. These ladies are an inspiration to all Ladies of Charity. Learn from them and know that someday you can say "Yes" to leadership in your local association, on the Diocesan Board and yes, even you too can one day serve on the LCUSA National Board.



January 2021

My Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ and our patrons, Sts. Vincent de Paul, Louise de Marillac, and Elizabeth Ann Seton, I pray that this New Year letter finds all well with you and your families.

*The spirit of the Lord God is upon me,
Because the Lord has anointed me;
He has sent me to bring glad tidings to the poor,
To heal the brokenhearted,
To proclaim liberty to the captives and release to the prisoners,
To announce a year of favor from the lord and a day of vindication by our God.*

As I pondered these words from the prophet Isaiah on Gaudete Sunday, it dawned on me that these words are central to our ministry as Ladies of Charity. The very essence of this message is how we serve the elderly, the poor, and the marginalized day in and day out. While the pandemic has challenged us in every facet of our lives, we found ways to continue to minister to those to whom we serve. In many ways, we found new ways and, often, new people with whom we could share the works of charity that are so near and dear to our hearts.

As we embark on this new year, let each of us renew our desire to minister to those in need and open to exploring new ways to share our Vincentian message with those we meet in our life's journey. Let us resolve to lay our differences aside and minister as one united body of women. In doing so, like the Magi, we will bring our gifts to the newborn king. We will shine brightly as the star that led the shepherds to Bethlehem. We will be the stewards of the love, peace, and joy the infant Jesus represents, bringing His light to world darkened by hatred, chaos, and marginalization.

I look forward to the opportunities 2021 has in store for each of us personally as well as members of The Association of the Ladies of Charity, Diocese of Pittsburgh. May each of you and your families be blessed abundantly.

In the Vincentian Spirit, I am,

Bernadette F. Jaketic
President, Association of the Ladies of Charity,
Diocese of Pittsburgh

2021

New Beginnings

IMPORTANT INFORMATION **AND FOR SOME A WAKE UP CALL**

The article below contains information that was given by our President, Bernadette Jaketic, in her January/February's President's Letter. She asked that your president's share her information with all their members, but since a lot of associations are not meeting at this time we thought it best to put it in this newsletter that you should all be receiving.

Love is patient, love is kind. It is not jealous, [love] is not pompous, it is not inflated, it is not rude, it does not seek its own interests, it is not quick-tempered, it does not brood over injury, it does not rejoice over wrongdoing but rejoices with the truth. It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. Love never fails.

I have used this scripture the last couple of years in my President's Letter and find it pertinent yet again this year. In this scripture, St. Paul tells us what love is and is not. The challenging thing to do is to replace the word 'love' or the pronoun referring to love with your name. When doing so, it is a good barometer as to how well we may or may not be living according to the word of God....both as individuals and as Ladies of Charity. We, the Executive Board, have been hearing, yet again, of Ladies of Charity associations not wanting to work with other Ladies of Charity associations within their parish grouping. We also hear of groups not wanting to merge treasuries with those in their parish grouping once the parishes within a grouping merge. Quite honestly, the Executive Board will not support activity of this nature. We must be in union with one another. We have explained on more than one occasion that under the 501 (C)(3) guidelines, once a parish grouping has merged, there will be one Ladies of Charity Association for each parish with one treasury bearing the name of that Association (i.e. Association of the Ladies of Charity, Sts. Martha and Mary Parish).

By working together within our parish associations, so much more can be accomplished by working together. While it is understandable that some treasuries (pre-merger) may have been bequeathed sizeable donations for the use by the Ladies of Charity, so be it. As a merged grouping, you now have the ability to impact the lives of so many more parishioners or so many more individuals within your communities, particularly if one of the areas in your merged parish is less affluent than others.

Without the risk of sounding political, which this is not meant to be, there is more than enough division in our society as a whole. Let us be different...let us be a light in the darkness...let us be a reflection of St. Vincent de Paul...let us be Ladies of Charity....to those we serve and to one another.

There are many ways of merging LOC groups. You do not necessarily have to travel to other areas for your meetings. A number of our groups are holding two/three different meeting times at separate locations. If this is being done, we recommend that the leaders of each meeting meet before hand and plan the agenda. The agendas should be the same for all meetings held at individual sites. Activities that each group always had can be brought to your entire membership and all members should have the option of choosing which activities they want to join. This and other issues can all be worked out. Our Transition Team is available to assist you with pulling your groups together.

Call the office if you need help. 412-456-6924.

WE ALL NEED TO ADHERE TO THIS LOC POLICY OF ONLY ONE LADIES OF CHARITY GROUP FOR EACH PARTICIPATING PARISH
NO EXCEPTIONS



February 1, 2021

Pittsburgh LOC Membership

Dear Members:

It is with deep regret that the Board of the Ladies of Charity Caregiving, Inc. announces the suspension of its operations at our branch office in Pittsburgh PA, effective February 28, 2021. We wish to thank you for your prayers and support which enabled us to create this extraordinary initiative.

Since selecting Pittsburgh as the pilot location in late 2018, we established a non-profit corporation, securing federal tax exempt status, established funding, honed our marketing strategies, developed a staffing model, a training program, and a mentoring program for the caregivers, established relationships with regulators, accountants, bankers, billing, payroll and human resource services and health care consultants. We secured licenses, hired staff and trained our employees and caregivers. The Pittsburgh Ladies of Charity Diocesan Association provided much support and the Caregiving Advisory Committee in Pittsburgh assisted our staff in the design and implementation of our goals. We looked forward to expansion to Kansas City and working with the enthusiastic Ladies there.

However, COVID-19 slowed our growth, substantially forcing the suspension of operations until the business environment is more accommodating of small businesses like ours. Our unique model is *more than just care*, more than a business. We are rooted in a faith tradition and a 400-year charism that mandates a commitment to our neighbors in need. Caregiving is our "calling." Through training, we assure that our employees are mission orientated and provide the highest level of competent care. Ladies of Charity Caregiving is a licensed home care agency, complemented by volunteers who mentor our caregivers and offer spiritual and social activities for our clients. Additionally, we offer a sliding scale fee for persons who are not insured and need financial assistance. We have received accolades from clients, families of clients, as well as caregivers who experienced a dignified work environment and the support of volunteer mentors.

COVID has caused us to pause, but it also is clearly directing future initiatives to respond to the desire of older adults and those with disabilities to stay at home. It is accelerating the demand for programs that will respond to these needs and is demonstrating that such care is not only healthier for individuals, families and society it is also cost effective. The Board of Ladies of Charity Caregiving is determined to be a part of this systemic change. Our [website](#) will have current information on our status.

Please continue to pray for guidance as we navigate this difficult environment in furtherance of our mission.

Sincerely,

MaryAnn Dantuono, Esq., Chair, Ladies of Charity Caregiving, Inc.

THANK YOU FROM LADIES OF CHARITY CAREGIVING PITTSBURGH OFFICE

Sadly we had to share the news on the previous page of the suspension of LOC Caregiving services for the time being. Hopefully down the road we will be able to report on the resumption of these services. That being said, we extend abundant thanks to all of the ladies in the Pittsburgh Associations for your support and efforts that made what we did possible for our clients and for our caregivers. Your response to our needs was always overwhelming and showed a great witness of who we are as Ladies of Charity. You opened the eyes of many people, staff, caregivers & family members, to the mission of the Ladies of Charity Association. We hope to be back and will count on you to be of continued support. Thanks and God Bless each and everyone of you. The article below is just one result of your amazing efforts.

LADIES OF CHARITY BRING CHRISTMAS JOY TO “VINCENT’S HEROS” The Caregivers from LOC Caregiving Inc.



The Association of the Ladies of Charity, Diocese of Pittsburgh, in conjunction with the administration of the Ladies of Charity Caregiving, Inc. partnered to bring joy to the Caregivers, whom the Ladies of Charity have named St. Vincent's Heroes. Gift bags were prepared for each Caregiver containing a Christmas themed mask crafted by Karen Potts, Independent Crafter, hand sanitizer, gift cards for various stores donated by the Ladies of Charity across the Diocese of Pittsburgh, a custom designed cookie crafted by artisan and baker, Erica Lombardo of I Dolci bakery, and a Christmas greeting card containing a picture and quote from St. Vincent de Paul. It is the hope of the Ladies of Charity that the Caregivers realize what an important part of our ministry they represent, and they are our personal heroes! Happy Holidays from the Association of the Ladies of Charity, Diocese of Pittsburgh to each of you!



“You represent the goodness of God to the sick”.

“One can never have too great a supply of patience and mild persuasion”.

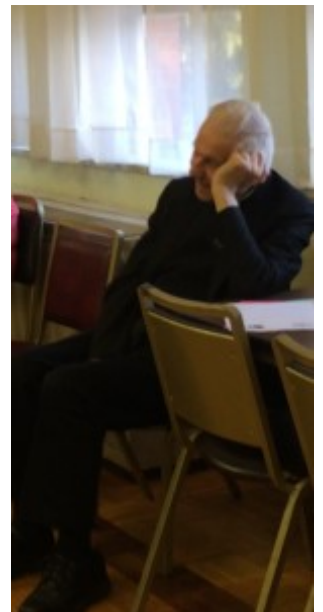
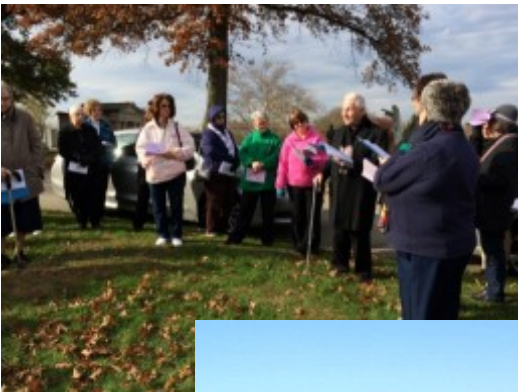
“May our presence and care to those most in need reflect the gentleness, esteem and dignity we see Reflected in the life and work of Jesus”

St. Vincent de Paul

REMEMBERING OUR FRIEND

F -riend to all Ladies of Charity
A — lways there for us
T — eacher in many ways
H — oly through and through
E — ver smiling
R — emembered by the LOC forever

E — ternal Rest Grant unto him, O, Lord
D — evoted priest to many, for many years.



All Ladies of Charity in the Diocese of Pittsburgh are saddened by the death of Father Ed Litavec on November 20, 2020. There could not have been a better friend to the Ladies of Charity than Father Ed. Along with his spiritual guidance and super strong support, he brought us laughter and joy. He was our best cheerleader! We will miss seeing his smiling face and hearing his inspirational and witty words. Especially when he used acrostics in his talks: See you in heaven, Father Ed.



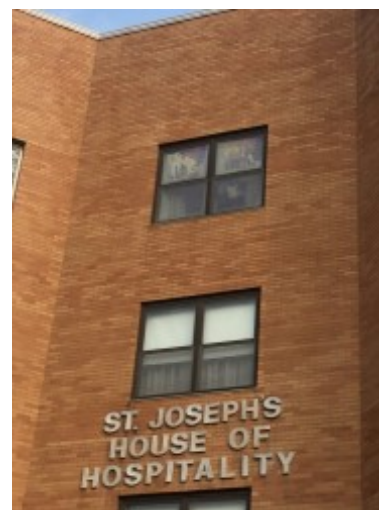
HAT'S OFF TO THE LADIES OF CHARITY ST. JAMES, WASHINGTON PA



St. James Ladies of Charity social distancing and wearing their masks are ready to pick up their packages and make their deliveries in time for Christmas to the recipients of the gifts donated for the St. James Angel Tree Project. Coordinating this project in the difficult times of a pandemic required a lot of thought and planning. The women are to be commended for their hard work and a job well done. Their thanks goes out to all who generously supported the Angel Tree. Many lives were impacted by the kindness of all involved.

OUR LADY OF HOPE LOC BRINGS CHRISTMAS CHEER

Our Lady of Hope Ladies of Charity were formed from the former LOC ladies of Nativity and St. Germaine parishes. Along with members from the other parishes in their merging group, St. Gabriel and St. Valentine, together with the Ladies of Charity and other parish members collected 114 pairs of slippers hoping to bring a little joy and holiday cheer to the residents of St. Joseph House of Hospitality. They were delivered in early December and were there in plenty of time for their Christmas celebration.





“THE VIRUS CAN’T STOP US”
ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER LOC

The Prayer Shawl Ministry of Saint Joseph, the Worker Parish had their first in-person-in-the-Park meeting to work on and finish prayer shawls knitted and crocheted during the Pandemic. We met at the Forest Hills Main Park. Like most activities our in-person-indoor bi-monthly meetings at the Parish Center have stopped during the ordered shut-down. But our busy hands continued to make prayer shawls. This knitting and crocheting also helped relieve some of the stress of the shut down for many of our members.

Prayer shawls can be obtained at the Saint Joseph, the Worker Parish Office or the Parish Gift Shop located in the Word of God School building. Any occasion can be an occasion to give someone a prayer shawl like Weddings, Baptisms, Graduations, Illnesses, Nursing Home Visits, Funerals, Birthdays or just to say “I was thinking about You!”. Shawls are given free of charge however, donations to the Prayer Shawl Ministry are greatly appreciated.

You don’t have to be a Lady of Charity or even a lady to join this ministry. Some of the world’s best knitters and crocheters are men! As a matter of fact, you don’t even need to know how to knit or crochet to join the group! Finishing the shawls at our meetings involve tying on religious symbols and praying with us for all the past year’s recipients of our shawls. To date we have made over 1500 shawls since this ministry began in the Spring of 2006.

Please, come join us! For more information contact the Prayer Shawl Ministry of Saint Joseph, the Worker Parish at the Parish Office at 412-271-0809.



ST. MARY OF THE MOUNT LOC
HONOR A DECEASED MEMBER

When St. John Vianney parish was closed, their LOC group was left without a parish or a home. They weren’t given any particular parish to call their own and all the parishioners had to register where they thought was best for them. The LOC Ladies wanted to stick together. St. Mary of the Mount was one of the parishes that was close for all members of the group and Father Stumpf graciously gave them a home.

Joan was one of the St. John Vianney members. Joan passed away recently and the family asked for donations to the LOC in lieu of flowers and the ladies were very grateful for the gift. When asked to sponsor a Christmas Tree this year the St. Mary of the Mt, ladies decorated a tree in blue & white ribbons & garland, representing LOC colors. Cards were strung on the tree with the names of living & deceased members of the group. The tree was dedicated in memory of Joan Freund and the tree was also decorated with bingo cards, one of Joan’s favorite games. St. Mary of the Mount is now the merged grouping called Mary, Queen of Peace.



Remember!!!

ALL SAINTS LOC

(now St. Matthew)

REMINDS US TO REMEMBER OTHERS



Recently, Victoria, a very self-sufficient 94 year old woman who has been a 40 year parishioner at All Saints Parish reached out to say she hadn't heard from anyone from the parish for a while. In her active days she was a member of Christian Mothers, Ladies of Charity, worked the festival, and was on the committee of the Young at Heart. With the pandemic and a recently retired Social Minister, these cases are occurring more and more, where some of our parishioners are falling through the cracks.

The Parish Secretary notified the Ladies of Charity who immediately leapt into action by sending a Christmas card and hand delivering a bouquet of flowers. Victoria was overwhelmed with gratitude and she wanted to profusely thank whoever was responsible. Victoria was also told she would be hearing from the Ladies of Charity more often and was added to the Thinking of You (TOY) card list and she is not to hesitate to reach out to us for additional assistance when needed.

This TOY Ministry was started years ago...for this specific reason...to capture and support the faithful who can no longer be an active part of the parish that they had been so faithful to in their younger days. We get many nice notes from those who appreciate the thoughts sent to them. They are also grateful for the Sharing Tree Christmas and Easter gifts received from the parish. Other Ladies of Charity organizations offer a greeting card ministry. Maybe other groups will also consider doing this after reading All Saint's little story.



STS. MARTHA & MARY JR. LOC



The Junior Ladies of Sts. Martha and Mary started a Pen Pal campaign to reach out to the elderly and shut-ins of the parish. The idea is for each Junior Lady to develop a relationship with someone who cannot get out, and to let them know that they are cherished and cared about. Trisha Holmes facilitated the project. She worked with the parish office to obtain the names of parishioners who expressed an interest in participating and then matched them with a Junior Lady. Each Junior Lady has at least one Pen Pal. For the first correspondence, each Junior Lady was to custom make paper snowflakes to be included with their note, reminding the parishioners of the snowflakes they may have made as a child. It is a wonderful way to assure the parishioners they are thought of and remembered by a kindhearted Junior Lady of Charity.

In addition, Junior Ladies Lillian Wolfe and Trisha Holmes were angels at the One Night in Bethlehem celebration, held Saturday evening December 12th at St. Catherine of Sweden Church. Lillian and Trisha were the angels in the live nativity as part of the evening's celebration. Trisha graced everyone in attendance by sharing her voice by singing three verses of "Silent Night" a capella. Prior to the live nativity, Lillian and Trisha greeted the cars filled with excited children and assisted them in pulling a candy cane from a Christmas tree, where they received a prize. Both Lillian and Trisha have been amongst our most dedicated and active Junior Ladies of Charity!



OUR LADY OF MT CARMEL

INVEST THEIR 1ST JR. LADIES OF CHARITY



Our Lady of Mount Carmel (OLMC) Parish recently completed formation of its first Junior Ladies of Charity (JLOC) chapter. Leading the efforts were Ladies of Charity (LOC) members Mary Ellen O'Boyle, Moderator, and Co-Moderators Ann Hoyson and Rhonda Matt.



Beginning in early 2020, while preparing for their Investiture, the girls crafted Valentine-themed candy jars, then Easter cards for food bank recipients. Plans to offer face-painting for the Parish's Lenten Fish Fry needed to be canceled due to the pandemic.

An Investiture Ceremony was conducted on August 30, 2020, during the 11:00 am Sunday Liturgy. Celebrant Father Michael Zavage and Diocesan LOC representative Mary Diaddigo led the formal altar initiation ceremony in which six high school girls were invested. Each girl received a blessed LOC cross and after the ceremony, each girl was gifted her official JLOC membership card and a white rose. Newly invested JLOC members are Katelyn Baker, Caileigh Duffy, Emily Koman, Brenda Fay Kunkel, Olivia Marché and Katharine Rose McGoey. Madison Grace Hartung who was to be invested this year was unavailable on this date. She will be in the next class of investees.

This group continues to grow. Three more interested girls have started attending the OLMC LOC meetings and the Pittsburgh Diocesan Board has given the ok for the girls from OLMC to welcome girls of other Pittsburgh parishes who do not have Ladies of Charity to join the OLMC group. This is an option also for other Jr. LOC groups throughout the diocese to bring other members into their associations.

Although the pandemic has added challenges to meeting the JLOC mission, the girls have been very active. They donated thirty-five home-crafted photo/card holders to Vincentian Nursing Home. Sent Thanksgiving cards with personal notes to the parish homebound. For Christmas, they created a beautiful Christmas video to be shown to the residents of the North Hills Health and Rehabilitation Center in Wexford. This was their way of making as personal a visit to the residents as they were allowed due to the pandemic. They also decorated the windows and outside trees and bushes of this facility for their enjoyment while seated in the dining hall.

Junior Ladies of Charity

The Junior Ladies of Charity are young women who are engaged in the spiritual and corporal works of mercy under the auspices of the Ladies of Charity. A Lady of Charity should be appointed as a moderator and liaison between both groups. Activities of this group should be reported regularly to the president of the Ladies of Charity Association. Those interested in joining the Junior Ladies of Charity should contact the Diocesan Office at 412-456-6924.

THREE LOC GROUPS WORKING TOGETHER

NOW HOLY FAMILY LADIES OF CHARITY

PANDEMIC BEWARE! You'll NEVER stifle the "spirit of giving" by loving Ladies of Charity. One such example, the "parish associations of St. Irinaeus, St. John the Baptist & St. Joseph" coming together to be the parish association of the newly named diocesan Holy Family Parish serving the areas of Oakmont, Plum and Verona, where busy hands and devout hearts continue to carry on the work of the Lord.

During the Christmas season, these sister ladies delivered to Seneca Place, a nearby UPMC skilled nursing facility, over 400 "cards of cheer" that the staff delivered to the residents during this period of confinement. For Valentine's Day, the sister ladies topped that by delivering over 800 Valentine's to six nearby nursing facilities; namely, UPMC's the "Willows", "Westminster", "Seneca Place," "Seneca Manor", as well as Concordia at Ridgewood and Oakmont Center.

On a very cold January Saturday morning, these same sister ladies brought their donations of food to the St. John's parking lot where items were being collected for delivery that day to the "Red Door" Warming Center site hosted by Catholic Charities. The following statements tell the unfolding story.

Quoting from Cathy Hammel (STI) ... "Great success ... ladies were so eager to help ... (quota of 120 sandwiches achieved early on) but sandwiches and snacks kept coming in ... cases of water, Pepsi, hats, gloves, scarves ... fantastic!"

Cindy Vento (SJB) proclaimed ... "what an amazing event ... it was an honor to be someone who got to deliver the donations."

Liz Opice (SJV) favorably added ... "was heartwarming ... everyone agreed it was nice to do a project our three associations could work on together ... will be terrific when pandemic is over and we're truly functioning as one

Upon their designated 10:30 AM arrival at the Red Door, Cathy and Cindy spotted already huddled on the sidewalk a handful of guests waiting in line. By the time they unloaded the donation of 200 sandwiches, 150 snacks and other goodies, the line had grown to over a dozen - still a full half hour before the doors would open to serve them. A most eventful and enlightening day it was - volunteers from Central Catholic were providing soup; and the Center announced, that due to the extreme temperatures, it had received enough plentiful amounts of donations to serve extra meals. What a welcoming relief it must have been to those coming in from the cold.

In closing, one last eloquent comment from one of the sister ladies ... "I think we can accomplish anything we put our minds and hearts to!" And that, my dear sister ladies, applies to each and every one one of you no matter where you reside in this beautiful world.



THE EMERGENCY FUND FOR THE ELDELY

The Ladies of Charity have a long tradition of personal service to the elderly. However, there are many times when financial aid is needed. That's where the Emergency Trust comes in.

The Emergency Trust is sponsored and supported by the Committee of One Hundred of the Ladies of Charity. The fund was established to provide the "little bit extra" to the needy aged that spells the difference between the bare existence and dignified living.

The fund is administered by the Ladies of Charity in conjunction with the Bishop of Pittsburgh, with assistance from many of those working in the parish social services ministry throughout the diocese.

The fund is a last resort after all other available means of help have been exhausted. The Ladies of Charity fund is not meant to substitute for any other



WHO WILL IT HELP

The Ladies of Charity fund will help the aged poor, persons who have worked all their lives, are now on a fixed income and find it difficult to adjust to this sudden loss of financial stability. They do not know where to turn and are too proud to ask for help. Because their limited resources may exceed bureaucratic guidelines, they often do not qualify for help from governmental programs and services.

This fund is for any over 55 person that may need assistance. They do not have to be Catholic, a member of your parish or a Lady of Charity. Anyone in the Pittsburgh and surrounding areas is available apply for assistance.

For more information call the office at 412-456-6924. You may print a application form from our web site:

locpittsburgh.org



LET US PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED MEMBERS

Katherine Azadian—Good Samaritan
Ida Bevacuqua—Good Samaritan
Eileen Bishop—St. Raphael the Archangel
Mildred Bouchon—St. Isadore the Farmer
Irene Brenner—Good Samaritan
Ruth Cassidy—Mary, Mother of God
Laverne Cusick—St. Raphael the Archangel
Katherine DeVincent—Good Samaritan
Hope DiCicco—Good Samaritan
Marjorie Dramble—Christ Our Savior
Caroline Edwards—Mary, Mother of God
Mary Fanala—Mary, Mother of God
Carolyn Fela—St. Oscar Romero
Mary Fleisner—Mary, Queen of Peace
Mary Giuliana—Christ the Divine Shepherd
Angela Gognial—Christ the Divine Shepherd
Patricia King—Triumph of the Cross
Marty Kelly—Christ the Divine Shepherd
Josephine Kozleuchar—Our Lady of Hope
Dorothy Kulikowski—Our Lady of Hope
Kathy Krek—St. Catherine Laboure
Barbara Lamb—St. Michael the Archangel
Mary Ann Landry—Mary, Queen of Peace
Antoinette Lisovich—St. Joseph the Worker

Josan McKeever—Triumph of the Cross
Honey Meglio—St. Joseph The Worker
Audrey Mialki—Guardian Angels
Theresa Morgan—St. Joseph the Worker
Mary Mueller—St. Aiden
Bernadette Nichols—Christ the Divine Shepherd
Emma Papasodero—Mary, Mother of God
Josephine Piper—Mary, Mother of God
Elda Polidora—Mary, Mother of God
Carol Polander—Good Samaritan
Rachel Propoggio—St. Joseph the Worker
Maureen Rebholtz—Mary, Queen of Peace
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Theresa Rogers—St. Michael the Archangel
Margaret Shafer—Triumph of the Cross
Mary Shatlock—Mary, Mother of God
Louise Szmoniak—Good Samaritan
Katherine Szurley—St. Joseph the Worker
Delma Tallerico—St. Paul Cathedral
Lois Tierney—Christ the Divine Shepherd
Paula Toscolair—Our Lady of the Lake
Ellen Wagner—Christ the Dive Shepherd
Joan Walsh—St. Paul of the Cross
Mary Warner—St. Raphael the Archangel



Lo "Those who love the poor in life will
have nothing to fear in death, as I
have seen on many occasions myself."

St. Vincent de Paul



Association of Ladies of Charity
Diocese of Pittsburgh
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Pittsburgh, PA 15205

RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

UPCOMING EVENTS

BOARD MEETINGS

ZOOM Meetings being held until further notice

INVESTITURE MASS

Sunday, April 25, 2021
3:00 PM—St. Paul Cathedral

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2020 Annual NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

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