



CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS

PRINCE GALLITZIN COURT #2625

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Mission Statement ~ the Catholic Daughters of the Americas¹

The purposes of the organization are to participate in the religious, charitable and educational Apostolates of the Church. Catholic Daughters of the Americas engages in creative and spiritual programs which provide its members with the opportunity to develop their God-given talents in meaningful ways that positively influence the welfare of the Church and all people throughout the world.

Catholic Daughters of the Americas strives to embrace the principal of faith through love in the promotion of justice, equality and the advancement of human rights and human dignity for all.

CDA 53RD NATIONAL CONVENTION JULY 11 THROUGH JULY 19, 2010 BUFFALO, NEW YORK^{2, 3, & 4}

Exciting and Informative Workshops!
Spiritually Uplifting Liturgies!
Side-splitting Fun Night!
Rewarding Camaraderie!
Inspirational Talks!

Great Sights, Great Food, Great Accommodations!

National Convention Registration Fees:

Advance Registration (Prior to June 1, 2010)

Delegates \$90.00; Non-Delegates \$80.00; Chaplains No Charge

Late Registration (After June 1, 2010)

Delegates \$125.00; Non-Delegates \$110.00; Chaplains No Charge

Daily Registration

All one-day registrants are non-voting \$ 40.00

Paid daily on site only

Hotel Rates*

Room Rates for the Adam's Mark are as follows:

Single/Double/Triple/Quad Occupancy

\$135.00 + 13.75% Tax per night (At the present time)

*Please Note: These rates cannot be guaranteed after May 30, 2010 or once the room block is full which ever comes first. Please make your reservations early. Please have only one person make reservations for you and your group. Any duplicate reservations or non cancellations will be the responsibility of the person making the reservation. Due to strict attrition rules, National will not be responsible for rooms booked but not used.

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In
Unity
and
Charity

**HOME COURT
PRINCE GALLITZIN COURT # 2625**

The Lord God called and Abraham answered: 'Here I am!'
Genesis 22:1

God's Active Angels!

Officers of the Court: Marian Airhart, Secretary; Jennifer Brezler, Financial Secretary; Nancy Collins, Father Timothy Grimme, Chaplain; Treasurer; Dianne Hite, Vice Regent; Judy Wood, Regent

Membership: Annette Ajay; Karen Castagnola; Darlene Crum; Jennifer Crum; Donna Daley; Theresa DeAngelis; Regina Friedenberger; Patricia Fromknecht; Jenn Hofer; E. Rae Kapfhammer; Mary Kowalski; Sally Lockard; Diana Macharola; Victoria Montanaro; Beth Sanders; Julia Scarfone; Mary Stoy

We welcome any ladies, ages 18 and over, interested in furthering their spiritual and social life in our community to come and join us on the second Monday of the month. Please, refer to the Meetings section below or Contact Us (page 6) section for more information.

REGENT'S ADDRESS

We are about to begin our first full year as the CDA Court Prince Gallitzin #2625. Our meeting will be full of opportunities to work in Unity and Charity. Hope to see you all at our March 8 meeting, at 7:00pm in the Saint Rose of Lima Social Hall. Judy

**COURT PRINCE GALLITZIN # 2625
MEETING SCHEDULE**

**MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS ARE HELD THE SECOND MONDAY OF THE MONTH,
IN THE SAINT ROSE OF LIMA SOCIAL HALL, 5519 SIXTH AVENUE, ALTOONA, PA,
BEGINNING AT 7:00 PM, WITH A SOCIAL FOLLOWING THE MEETING.**

**IF YOU ARE INTERESTED AND WOULD LIKE TO LEARN MORE,
COME IN AND BE WELCOME ... JOIN US AT ANY OF OUR SCHEDULED MEETINGS!**

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| September 14, 2009 | No Meeting in January | May 10, 2010 | September 13, 2010 |
| October 12, 2009 | No Meeting in February | June 14, 2010 | October 11, 2010 |
| November 9, 2009 | March 8, 2010 | July 12, 2010 | November 8, 2010 |
| December 14, 2009 | April 12, 2010 | August 9, 2010 | December 13, 2010 |

DID YOU KNOW ...

February 7, 2010 the Catholic Daughters assisted with the Super Bowl party held at Saint Rose of Lima.

February 14, 2010 the Catholic Daughters District Deputies workshop was held at Saint Rose of Lima. Diane Hite and Judy Wood attended the meeting and served the luncheon.

RECIPES: MAIN DISH

No Peek Chicken

Submitted by: Pattie Fromknecht (Mother's Recipe Box)

Ingredients:

1 Cup Minute Rice
6 to 8 Chicken Pieces
1 Package Lipton Onion Soup Mix
1 Can Cream of Mushroom Soup
1 Can Cream of Celery Soup
1 Can (use one of the soup cans) of Water

Method:

Spread rice on buttered 9 x 13 pan. Lay chicken pieces on top. Shake the onion soup mix over the chicken pieces. Combine the soups and water and blend together well; pour over the chicken and rice. Cover with foil and bake at 350 degrees for two hours. Don't peek!



Circle of Love

LEADERSHIP

Chair: Officers of the Court

QUALITY OF LIFE

Chair: Beth Sanders

YOUTH / EDUCATION

Chair: Jennifer Crum

SPIRITUAL ENHANCEMENT

Chair/Submitted by: Pattie Fromknecht

⁵Prayer, in whatever form it takes—spoken word, song, meditation, sign language—is a point of focus in the lives of all of us to some degree. In the Catholic Daughters of the Americas organization, prayer is a major part of the ministry called Spiritual Enhancement, a part of the Circle of Love program.

Lenten Prayer⁶

Blessed are you, God of holiness, for You call us to
Renewal by offering us the gift of Your forgiveness.

As we enter this holy season of Lent, we pray for the grace of renewal.
Help us to face honestly our sinfulness and admit our need for Your healing.

Renew in us the life You gave us in Baptism.

Make us faithful members of Your holy people.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

NATIONAL / CHARITABLE PROJECTS

Chair/Submitted by: Margaret Novak

First Vice State Regent and District Deputy for Prince Gallitzin #2625

Disaster Relief - Since the money for this project is used to help dioceses where there are disasters, it can benefit any area. When a disaster occurs in an area, the State Regent of that area will contact the National Office and the steps for sending the checks will be put into motion. At times of natural disasters checks are sent to the Bishops where such disasters have occurred. In the case of Haiti where there are no CDA Courts, money sent through the State Secretary to the National Office to help with this disaster is collected and sent to Catholic Charities which has people in Haiti helping the Haitian people. This is a very important charitable work of the Catholic Daughters and makes us visible to our Bishops.

LEGISLATION / OPERATION MORNING STAR

Chair/Submitted by: Karen Castagnola

Oppose Congress ending Mexico City Policy

When President Ronald Reagan went to Mexico City in 1984, he promised that the US would not provide foreign aid to organizations that provide or counsel women on abortion. Since that time, the "Mexico city policy" has remained in effect during some administrations but has been rescinded during others. President Obama rejected the policy his first week in office. Senator Frank Lautenberg has attached an amendment to the State Department funding bill that would permanently end the policy and would provide foreign aid for abortions as long as they are legal in the receiving country and the US.

Action Alert:

Contact members of the House and Senate telling them to reject the Lautenberg amendment to the State Department funding bill that would allow foreign aid to pay for abortions.



PUZZLES

Answers from the January 2010 Issue

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Submitted by: Pattie Fromknecht

Words in parentheses are not included.

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| Americas | (Father) Grimme | Ministry | Prince Gallitzin |
| Angels | Judy (Wood) | Mary (Mother of God) | Quality (of Life) |
| Catholic Daughters | Knights (of Columbus) | Motto | Rap |
| Charitable (Projects) | Laraine (McGinnis) | (Mustard) Seed | Regent |
| Charity | Leadership | National CDA | Share |
| Convention | Legislation | New York | SOAR |
| Court | Libby (Ramirez) | Newsletter | Spiritual (Enhancement) |
| Dedicate | Life | Ode | Unity |
| Founder | Love | Operation (Morning Star) | Web (Site) |
| Gavel | Membership | Pledge | Youth and Education |
| God | Minister | Prayer | |



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Catholic Daughters of the Americas State Court Home Page

<http://www.cdapa.org/>

Prince Gallitzin Court #2625 Home Page

<http://www.cda2625.com/>

Altoona-Johnstown Diocese Home Page

<http://www.ajdiocese.org/>

United States Catholic Conference of Bishops

<http://www.usccb.org/>

The Vatican

http://www.vatican.va/phome_en.htm

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<http://www.sugardoodle.net/sdclipart/?cat=143#>

¹Mission Statement ~ the Catholic Daughters of the Americas

<http://www.catholicdaughters.org/mission.shtml>

²CDA National Convention

<http://www.catholicdaughters.org/nationalconventionannounce.shtml>

³CDA National Convention; What to Expect

HTTP://WWW.CATHOLICDAUGHTERS.ORG/ASSETS/CONV2010/AD_FOR_CONVENTION.PDF

⁴Mailing to Regent: Convention Information Mailing

<http://www.catholicdaughters.org/assets/conv2010/>

[November Convention Mailing 2010 Final.pdf](#)

⁵Catholic Daughters Circle of Love - Spiritual Enhancement

http://www.catholicdaughters.org/circleoflove/circle_spiritual.shtml

⁶Lenten Prayer

http://www.catholicdaughters.org/circleoflove/Lenten_Prayer.pdf

Newsletter

March 2010 Issue: When ~ Where ~ Who ~ What

- Deadline for submissions: March 20, 2010 (Always the third Saturday of the month.)
- Submit articles and/or digital images to: pattie@cda2625.com or Pattie Fromknecht, 203 31st Street, Altoona, PA 16602 (email is preferred and digital images should be in their original, unmodified format; include the date, location, and full name and title [if applicable] for everyone in the image.)
- Who should submit: Any Catholic Daughters of the Americas; please include your full name and home phone number and your Court's full name and number.
- What to submit:
 - Chairs for the Circle of Love should include a summary of events held / reports made since the last edition of this Newsletter.
 - Local, State, and National news of interest (relevant to CDA) from any Court.
 - Gavel Raps: Parliamentarian Practice and Procedure as endorsed/practiced by CDA.
 - Favorite Recipe: March, Vegetable
 - If it isn't your own original recipe, but a published recipe, please include the source; remember to include your full name and phone number and your Court.
 - Submit only one recipe.

