

***NORTH AMERICAN MARTYRS PARISH***  
***TWO CHURCHES - ONE COMMUNITY***  
***NORTH AMERICAN MARTYRS CHURCH AND ST. MICHAEL CHURCH***

Dear Women of the Parish,

The North American Martyrs Woman's Guild/Christian Mothers extends a special invitation to all women of the Parish to attend our meetings for the 2016 – 2017 year. We meet on the first Tuesday evening of the month at 7 PM in either DeLuca Hall of North American Martyrs Church or St. Michael's Social Hall. This is a wonderful chance for the women of the Parish to come together to meet and begin new friendships.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the board and group leaders of last year for the wonderful year that we had, and to thank the board for graciously agreeing to stay on, for yet another year. In order to keep this organization alive in our Parish, we will need you, the women of both churches to come and unite with us. If you haven't joined us before, consider coming to our first meeting of this season, which will be **Tuesday, October 4, 2016**, in DeLuca Hall of NAM. This year we will start with the ***"Happy Beginnings with the Guild"***, which will be a mixture of appetizers and desserts, which I'm sure all will enjoy again! Our guest speaker for this meeting will be Lillie Leonardi, who will tell us about her experiences on 9/11 and of the Flight 93 crash. Please see the reverse side of this letter for a little about Lillie Leonardi.

We are aware of the busy lifestyles of today's women, but hope you can join with us to continue this social community of the Parish. Come and bring an appetizer or dessert to share on **Tuesday, October 4, 2016, at 7 PM in DeLuca Hall of North American Martyrs Church**. There will be more information of our monthly meetings and events to follow in future bulletins. We hope that more women of the Parish will consider joining our social and spiritual community of the Parish.

We have one fundraiser that we host on an annual basis. Vicky Pernick has volunteered to chair the Craft Show which will be held on Saturday, November 12, 2016. We hope that all members of the parish will support this annual fundraiser in one way or another. We have a "Bake Sale" during the Craft Show which we ask all members and parishioners to help bake and sell at this fundraiser.

We would love to see you at our monthly meetings. Our meeting information will be published in the parish bulletin before each meeting. If you have any questions about our Guild please feel free to contact Ellen Kajder at 412-373-7148. Today's busy women with jobs, children and many obligations are valued members of our group. Your input and the time you donate enable us, as a team, to accomplish our goals. Thank you for your continued support!

Looking forward to seeing you on October 4th,

Ellen Kajder  
President 2015-2016