

**HOLY FAMILY AFFILIATION
PRESIDENT'S REPORT
March 16, 2024**

Our February monthly member meeting had to be postponed due to our Parish Mission that ran February 26-29. Our Mission was run by Father Larry Richards, an energetic and dynamic speaker. Our church was packed with over 1,000 people every night and it was an excellent choice for all those that attended and those CCW members that attended felt the benefit was worth it.

In lieu of a member meeting in February, we held another Bunco event in the evening (instead of the afternoon) and had a very good turnout. Almost twice as many came as the one held during the day.

March will be a very busy month with two gatherings: the first held this past Monday night with a presentation by Father Tom Pringle on the subject of "Forming a Catholic Conscience" and next week, we will gather and process outside to our parish prayer garden to walk the way of the Cross using the words of the Stations from Our Blessed Mother's perspective.

We hope to finish the year strong in April assisting at the convention and for the second time this year we will be preparing gift bags for the moms and mothers-to-be at JMJ as gifts for Mother's Day.

We will be hosting our annual May crowning after our morning Mass on May 1. We are joined by most of the daily Mass attendees and our procession includes other Marian groups of the parish who we invite to lead a decade of the rosary and crown each of the five Mary statues in the church, the chapel and on our grounds. We finish off with our year by going to dinner held off campus at a restaurant.

And that will conclude my presidency and seven years of being an officer of our fairly new (only eight years since our affiliation was formed) and I look forward to more great years ahead at Holy Family under the new President and Board.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara McGee
Holy Family CCW President