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CALL TO THE STATE RETREAT

“We can make a Difference with our Blessed Mother’s Touch”

Dear Worthy Regents, Officers and Members,

We, the Catholic Daughters of the Americas, California State Board & State Chairman, welcome and invite you to attend our 2020 State Retreat.

DATES: May 22-24, 2020
Friday 6:00pm ~ Sunday 1:00pm
(Registration Opens on Friday at Noon)

LOCATION: St. Anthony’s Retreat Center
43816 Sierra Drive
Three Rivers, CA 93271

REGISTRATION: **Includes Lodging and 6 Meals**

Early Bird Rate: Must be postmarked on or before April 3, 2020
\$200 per person for a Double* or Triple Room*
\$250 for a Private Room (limited availability)
\$100 for Commuters (includes 6 meals/does NOT include lodging)

After April 3, 2020: \$250 per person for a Double or Triple Room
\$300 for a Private Room (if any still available)
\$150 for Commuters (includes 6 meals/does NOT include lodging)

***Please Note:** All beds are single twin beds. Double rooms have two beds. Triple rooms have three beds.

Space is limited so registration will be on a first-come, first-served basis. The registration form is attached. Early Bird Rate deadline is **April 3, 2020**. No reservations will be accepted after **May 7, 2020**.

This retreat is open to everyone 18 and older, members and non-members. Come pray and play with us and learn about the Catholic Daughters and the Circle of Love as well as be Spiritually rejuvenated.

We look forward to seeing all of you there!

In Unity & Charity,

Mary Bernard
State Regent

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Registration Form
May 22, 2020 -May 24, 2020
Registration Opens Friday at Noon

Please Fill out One page for each Attendee:

Court Name: _____ Court # _____
Regent’s Name: _____ Regent’s Phone#: (____) _____
Name: _____ If Officer Indicate Office _____
Address: _____
City: _____ Zip Code: _____
Phone #: (____) _____ Email Address: _____

For Double/Triple Rooms:
List below the name(s) of each person who is sharing your room.

Check this box if you are registering for a Double or Triple and need a roommate. We will pair you with someone.

Check this box if you are registering for a Private Room but in the event that they are filled would like to be paired with someone in a Double or Triple.

Check this box if you have any Dietary Restrictions or Food Allergies. Please elaborate in the space provided so that we may accommodate the restriction or allergy. _____

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After April 3, 2020 ~ \$250 Double/Triple \$300 Private Room \$150 Commuter (no lodging)

Please fill out one registration form for each attendee
and return the form(s) along with a check made payable to

CDA California State Court to:
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Helpful Tips for the Journey

- ✚ Dress Code ~ Dress is casual. Jeans and Tennis Shoes are permitted. Torn/ratty jeans are not permitted even if they are in style. Bring layers if you tend to run hot or cold so you can either add or remove sweaters or sweatshirts.

Optional Dress Code:

Friday ~ Red Day (Remembering Everyone Deployed)

Saturday ~ Light Blue and White (The Colors of our Blessed Mother)

Sunday ~ Catholic Daughter Attire or Purple

- ✚ Bring your CDA Name Badge. If you don't have one, consider ordering one at the State Store, they cost \$12.
- ✚ Bring your own toiletries. The Retreat Center only provides a bar of soap.
- ✚ If you like towels that cover your whole body, bring your own towels. The Retreat Center towels are slightly bigger than a hand towel. But you do get one set of towels for the weekend.
- ✚ Housekeeping is not provided so you get one set of sheets for the whole weekend. Each bed does have a blanket and bedspread but, if you tend to get cold, you might want to bring an additional blanket. Pillows and pillowcases are provided but, if you have a certain pillow that you like, you may want to bring that as well. (Think of it like going to camp but with wine and paved walkways.)
- ✚ There are no refrigerators in the rooms but, if you need to keep something refrigerated, the dining hall has a refrigerator you can use and it's open 24/7. If you have medication that needs refrigeration, just put it in a bag and label it with your name. You can put it in the dining hall refrigerator. Ice is available if you need to bring a small cooler.
- ✚ Filtered water, coffee and tea are available around the clock. If you need to stay hydrated, feel free to bring your own water bottle or travel mug to keep with you at all times and refill as necessary. There are no fountain sodas in the dining hall but there is one vending machine in the lobby. You are welcome to bring your own sodas or other beverages and put them in the refrigerator in the dining hall. If it's just for you, please label with your name. Anything not labeled will be assumed it's for sharing with others.

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- † The kitchen staff is aware of any food allergies or special diets that were on the registration forms. Labels will be posted by the food with these exceptions. Watch for them if there are certain foods you need to avoid.
- † Unless you have AT&T, you may not have any cell service. There is a land line that is available for emergencies and for calling family that you might need to check in with.
- † The Retreat Center is in the process of upgrading its internet access so you may not have access to Wifi either. Just remember you are on retreat and perhaps need to disconnect from the rest of the world for a while.
- † For those staying overnight, we will be having a Wine and Cheese Buffet on Saturday night. Feel free to bring your favorite wine to share. The Retreat Center will provide the wine glasses. If you have any wine glass charms, feel free to bring them to share. It will help keep the glasses from getting mixed up.
- † The property has hiking trails but DO NOT hike alone. If you feel like exploring, take a buddy. If you go off the paved areas, please be very careful. Even some of the paved areas are uneven so please watch where you are stepping. If you want some quiet reflection time, the Friar's Chapel is one of the State Regent's favorite places to meditate and you can see nature through the huge glass window.
- † Maps of the property will be included in your retreat bag when you register.
- † Most importantly, come prepared to be filled with the Holy Spirit and fellowship with your sisters in Christ.

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