

# St. Richard Parish Announcements

for May 5, 2024

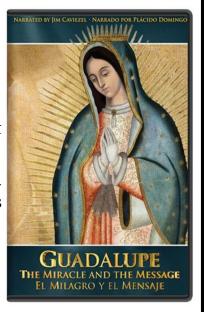
#### **Youth Group hosts Guadalupe Film and Lunch**

Today after the First Communion reception (*approximately 12:30-2:00 pm*), the Youth Group teens will host a taco/nacho bar lunch and film for parishioners. Please consider staying after Mass to support the students of our K-12 religious education program.

#### **GUADALUPE: THE MIRACLE AND THE MESSAGE**

Narrated by Jim Caviezel, this film traces the history of the most important event in the evangelization of the New World when the Virgin Mary appeared to an indigenous convert named Juan Diego in December, 1531.

As a result of this encounter, nine million Native Americans embraced the Catholic faith. This remarkable history is brought to life through modern reenactments and 3D animations which allow viewers an unprecedented glimpse into the intricacies of the centuries-old wonder along with interviews with leading theologians, historians and scientists. Film is approximately 60 Minutes and will be streamed from our FORMED subscription. Please note: the interviews are mostly conducted in Spanish and have English subtitles.



#### **CCW Scholarship Opportunities**



St. Richard CCW is offering 2 scholarship opportunities to registered members of St. Richard Parish who are currently enrolled in a post-secondary education program (4 year, 2 year, or trade/technical school).

#### St. Richard Council of Catholic Women Scholarship—\$600 Barbara Furnia Memorial Scholarship—\$600

More information can be found on the display board in the vestibule along with the application. **Deadline for applications is May 31, 2023.** 

#### **Baccalaureate Mass by Bishop Vetter**

ATTENTION GRADUATES: All 2024 High School graduates and their families are invited to a Baccalaureate Mass celebrated by Bishop Vetter on **Wednesday**, **June 5th at 7:00 p.m. at St Matthew's**. Questions? Contact Niki MacLean 970-710-9630

If you have a high school graduate for Class of 2024, please let our St. Richard parish office know so we can include them in the **Blessing of Graduates during the 10:00 am Mass on Sunday, May 19th**. Thank you!





#### St. Richard Cemetery

#### Annual spring clean up is Saturday, May 18th at 10 am!

Please consider serving on the St. Richard Cemetery Committee as a Corporal Work of Mercy.

Volunteers are needed for keeping the grounds tidy and flowers watered. Maintenance schedule is from May-October and volunteers are normally assigned 4 times a season, depending on number of volunteers. Please see Colleen in the parish office to sign up.

Thank you for serving!



### Silver Rose Program

Join thousands of Catholics across North America in asking for Our Lady of Guadalupe's intercession through the Silver Rose program.

In 1960, the Columbian Squires, a youth organization of the Knights of Columbus, came up with the idea of running a rose to the Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Monterrey, Mexico, to honor Our Lady. The rose was chosen to commemorate Saint Juan Diego and the miracle of the roses.

Today, eight roses travel along different North American routes that include Canada, the United States and Mexico. Every stop the Silver Rose makes throughout the pilgrimage is a rosary-centered occasion to pray for respect for life, the spiritual renewal of each nation, and the advancement of the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

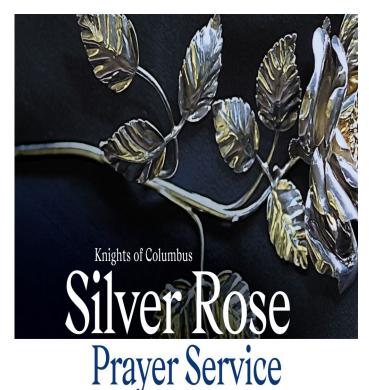
Your participation in the Silver Rose program, especially your prayers and pledge for life, are a crucial part of our mission to defend and support life in every stage and condition.





Our Lady of Guadalupe is the Patroness of the unborn, the Americas, and the Knights of Columbus.

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Location: St. Richard Parish Date: Friday, May 10, 2024

Time: 11:00 am Contact: Marty Jordan 406-249-7991

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## Spring Renewal

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM ST. RICHARD PARISH - PEARCE CENTER

**SATURDAY. MAY 11, 2024** 

The Kalispell Deanery Council of Catholic Women invite you to a special event.

Renew your connection with fellow women of faith and enjoy the guest speakers and fellowship.

> For more information, contact: RaeDeen Heupel (Deanery CCW President) 406.890.1171 St. Richard Parish Office

St. Richard Parish Office 406.892.5142 Please register by May 8th. Agenda

10:00 am Welcome Fr. Sean Raftis

10:15 am Guest Speaker

Fr. Victor Cancino, St. Ignatius Mission

11:00 am Deanery meeting and

Officer Elections

11:45 am Lunch

\$5 or Free will offering

12:30 pm Guest Speaker

Dave Renfrow, Good Neighbors/Los Buenos Vecinos Guatamala



### OUR LADY AND THE EUCHARIST

Presented by

FR. ELIAS MARY MILLS, FI

A FRANCISCAN FRIAR OF THE IMMACULATE FROM THE MARIAN FRIARY OF

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE IN GRISWOLD, CONNECTICUT

SATURDAY **MAY 25, 2024** 

To register, call (406) 754-2429

OUR LADY OF SWAN VALLEY MISSION

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