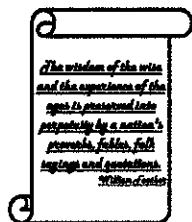


WISDOM NEWSLETTER

October 2021



October 16, 2021 Wisdom Lunch – 11:30 AM in Sacquety Hall

Menu: Chili, Salad, Corn Bread & Dessert

\$7.00

We welcome your favorite side dish if you would like to bring one to share!!!

WE'RE BACK!!! Wisdom was started some 20 years ago for parishioners 55 and over. Today, we look at Wisdom in a different way. Wisdom is breaking bread as a community, the community of God at St. Wilfrid's, and our friends. Won't you please come?

Our kick-off meal will be prepared by our friend Dave Shiffer with the help of the kitchen crew (Lois, Sharan, and Darlene). The price is \$7.00 and includes chili, cornbread, salad and ice cream for dessert. Our guest speaker will be the renown photographer and well known to us, Kurt Weston. We are lucky and delighted to have him join us to talk about his new Service Dog, Maverick. Kurt will answer questions about the service dog process as well as present information about the upcoming art show he will be participating in, "Reimagined", which will be at the Orange County Center for Contemporary Art. Kurt will also share some of his wonderful work.

We look forward to seeing you there on Saturday, October 16th at 11:30 am. Please sign-up today or call the office at 714-962-7512 for a reservation.

That's is from me. See you on the 16th.

Blessed by God, Darleen

WISDOM MEMBER PROFILE

The profile this month is on Marcia Cray. You see her every Sunday bopping around, passing out donuts, gathering volunteers for Sunday Hospitality and just being friendly. Marcia was born in Los Angeles (yep a local girl) but moved to New York when she was 9 months old as her father was assigned there to a PT Boat in World War II. After the war was over, they, moved to a farm in Massachusetts where they lived until the Korean Conflict when her father was called back to duty. At that time, they moved to Alexander, Mass.

When Marcia turned 18 the family moved back to California where Marcia attended USC. She majored in Education graduating with a BS in Physical Education (Kinesiology today). She became a teacher and then later worked as a Sonagram technician. Marcia has 4 lovely daughters, is a grandmother of 10 and expectant great grandmother of 1.

Episcopalian from birth, about 20 years ago she was looking for a church and found herself at the office of St. Wilfrids. The Secretary at that time, Lucy Kemper, took one look at her and said, "welcome home", gave her a big hug and asked her if she wanted to be an Office Angel. She's been volunteering ever since. She joined EFM, Alpha Program, Cursillo and was a Vestry Alternative. She then started working with Frank Wood, they organized, did food prep, decorated, set-up presentations, and cleaned up for many St. Wilfrid Events, the most spectacular one being our Annual Family Summer Bible School Program. She did this just for the enjoyment of watching others enjoy their handy work. In her service to us, she has been Event Planner, Wedding Director and now a Vestry Member in charge of, what else, Hospitality. Thank you, Marcia for sharing your talents and so much more with us.

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Name & Phone Number: _____

Meal suggestions? _____

Are there topics of interest you would like to discuss? _____

Do you like to play cards or games? _____

Should we occasionally show a movie? _____

How do you feel about an occasional field trip? _____

INFORMATION CORNER

HIGHLIGHT ON PETS

Halloween is the 2nd most common holiday for pets to get lost. Make sure your pet wears a collar with an ID and consider microchipping them. Designate a quiet room where pets can hang out with the door closed during festivities. \$576 million is the amount spent on pet costumes annually. Top ten pet costumes are 1) pumpkin, 2) hot dog, 3) bumble bee, 4) devil, 5) cat, 6) dog, 7) lion, 8) Star Wars character, 9) superhero, and 10) ghost. Tight or constrictive costumes can pinch and choke, causing your pet to panic. So have a safe and sane Halloween for you and your pet to enjoy!!!

If you have a subject that you would like to see in this newsletter, forward that information to Sharan in the Church Office. Her email is: sundaytimes@stwilfridschurch.org You can also complete the section below and drop it in the offering plate. We would love to hear from you and share your thoughts.

Happy Halloween

We are interested in expanding the number of people who attend our monthly meetings. If you know of someone who isn't being contacted, please let us know. Also, Wisdom is open to people who aren't members or attendees of St. Wilfrids. Please invite friends, neighbors, and relatives, etc., who would enjoy the lunch and socializing with this group. Just be sure to sign up as we depend on the information of the number of people attending to know how much food to buy.

We are into that time of year (i.e., the holidays and year end activities) in which life can get very busy and sometimes overwhelming. We won't be meeting in December.

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