

ST. EMILY PARISH WOMEN'S CLUB

Did you know there are many ways to meet fellow parishioners, participate in various social and service projects, and enjoy our faith community at your convenience? Below are some things we have done in the past and are planning for 2018-2019. We are open to new ideas. We'd love to see you.



BOOK CLUB -- WE DISCUSSED SIX BOOKS LAST YEAR RANGING FROM "CRAZY RICH ASIANS" TO "HAINDMAIDS TALE." THE NEXT BOOK IS "REBECCA" BY DAPHNE DU MAURIER. OUR DISCUSSION WILL BE HELD ON OCTOBER 25TH IN THE PARISH CENTER @ 7:30. THE NEXT BOOK CLUB DISCUSSIONS ARE SCHEDULED FOR NOVEMBER 15TH, JANUARY 24TH, FEBRUARY 28TH, APRIL 25TH AND MAY 23RD.



PRAYER BLANKETS -- WE MADE NEARLY 500 BLANKETS, WHICH WERE DISTRIBUTED BY THE PARISH OFFICE TO THOSE IN NEED OF PRAYERS AND COMFORT. NO SEWING SKILLS NEEDED. CONSIDER JOINING US AT ONE OF OUR SEMI-ANNUAL PRAYER BLANKET WORKSHOPS. WE ARE IN NEED OF PRINTED FLEECE IN ONE YARD PIECES.



COAT DRIVE -- WE COLLECTED OVER 500 COATS LAST YEAR, WHICH WERE DONATED TO THE HOMELESS IN THE CHICAGOLAND AREA. THIS YEAR'S COAT DRIVE WILL BE NOVEMBER 17TH AND 18TH.



PRAYER CHAIN -- AN EMAIL CHAIN OF OVER 100 WOMEN PRAY FOR THE INTENTIONS AS REQUESTED FOR THOSE THAT NEED OUR PRAYERS! YOU MAY CONTACT TERRI CORTESE AT: TERBER1064@GMAIL.COM WITH ANY REQUESTS.



CHRISTMAS PARTY -- AN EVENING OF FUN AND FELLOWSHIP CELEBRATING THE HOLIDAYS WHILE BIDDING FOR WONDERFUL GIFTS. FUNDS ARE DONATED TO A PRESELECTED CHARITY. THIS YEAR'S CELEBRATION WILL BE DECEMBER 5TH IN HAJDU HALL.



DAY OF REFLECTION -- A DAY FOR WOMEN OF THE PARISH TO SET ASIDE TIME FOR THEMSELVES IN A PEACEFUL, PRAYERFUL AND REFLECTIVE ATMOSPHERE. WE ARE TENTATIVELY PLANNING FOR SATURDAY, JANUARY 12TH. THE FINAL DATE TO BE DETERMINED.



MIDNIGHT MADNESS -- BRING YOUR UNFINISHED CRAFT, SEWING AND QUILTING PROJECTS AND DEDICATE THE EVENING TO GETTING THEM DONE. JOIN US FROM 7:00 – MIDNIGHT. OUR NEXT GATHERING WILL BE OCTOBER 12, 2018 IN HAJDU HALL.



ELVIS -- YES, ELVIS WILL BE AT ST. EMILY ON OCTOBER 27TH. TICKETS WILL BE \$10 PER PERSON. CONTACT MARCIA AT 847 299-6167 OR MARGIE 847 255-8207 TO PURCHASE YOUR TICKETS.



HIGH TEA -- THIS WAS A WONDERFUL EVENT LAST YEAR, SO WE ARE BRINGING IT BACK. WE WILL BE PLANNING A NEW PRESENTATION FOR EARLY SPRING 2019. CONSIDER JOINING US FOR AN ENJOYABLE AFTERNOON.



RECEPTION -- TO HELP CELEBRATE SPECIAL PARISH EVENTS, WE ORGANIZE A RECEPTION AS NEEDED. WE ARE ALREADY PLANNING A SPRING RECEPTION. COME JOIN THE FUN AS WE PREPARE FOR A SPECIAL CELEBRATION.

Do you have questions, would you like more information, then contact Mary McKeown at: mary@mckeown.us OR Mary Beth Janak at: Marybeth.janak@yahoo.com