



January 23, 2008

Dear Members of Our Lady's Guild,

We hope everyone had a Blessed Christmas and are looking forward to an exciting New Year. Our Christmas luncheon was excellent as always and we would like to thank Sue Lione and her "Chefs" for our great lunch and Kathy Karl for the beautiful Poinsettia's. Our speaker, Sister Alejandra Keen was most interesting on her talk of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Mother of Hope. Jane Carlo and Fr. Carlos of St. Camillus were very appreciative of the many beautiful gifts that were given in addition to what they were able to purchase. Every resident of St. Camillus received a gift which made for a very special Christmas for them.

On January 14, we had our book discussion on the Seven Secrets of the Eucharist. If you have not read the book, we encourage you to do so. The book is an easy read and quite informative. If you are interested in a copy of the CD, please let Jane Sherry know.

Our Lady's Guild annual luncheon is scheduled for noon Thursday, February 14, at the Roger Sherman Inn. Barbara McDonald has made arrangements for a wonderful three course meal. Our first course is a Bouquet of Mesclun Greens with a Tarragon Vinaigrette Dressing and Goat Cheese. We will then choose either "Zurich Style" Emincé of Chicken with a Light Mushroom Cream Sauce over Fettuccine or, Poached Atlantic Salmon with a light Chardonnay Cream Sauce with Garden Vegetables and Basmati Rice. Dessert will be Chocolate Velvet Mouse Cake served with coffee or, assorted teas.

Our speaker for the luncheon will be Donna-Marie Cooper O'Boyle, who will speak on a "Women's Call to Prayer", which address all women; single, married, religious and mothers. Among many of Donna-Marie's professional accomplishments was the privilege of knowing Blessed Mother Teresa. Additionally, she has been invited by the Pontifical Council for the Laity in Rome to be a delegate of the North American Continent as one of the 250 women from around the world to attend an International Women's Congress in Rome. Her books The Heart of Motherhood and Catholic Prayer Book for Mothers will also be available for purchase at our Luncheon. Space is limited and will be available on a first come basis, so please send in your reply sheet, and your check as soon as possible, but no later than February 7. We look forward to seeing you at the luncheon. Please feel free to invite a friend to the luncheon. If you have any questions, please call Barbara McDonald at 972.1865 or Jane Sherry at 972.0088.

Sincerely in Christ,

Rev. Leszek P. Szymaszek  
Moderator

Jane Sherry  
President

## REPLY SHEET

**Luncheon at the Roger Sherman Inn, Thursday, February 14<sup>th</sup>, \$35 per person**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**Guests** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **‘Zurich Style’ Emincé of Chicken**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Poached Atlantic Salmon**

**Please make your check payable to Our Lady’s Guild and mail to: Barbara McDonald, 56 Sagamore Trail, New Canaan, CT 06840**

**CHECKS MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN FEBRUARY 7.**

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