

**CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS  
NEW MEXICO STATE RETREAT AND WORKSHOP**



**HOSTING COURTS:**  
Court San Clemente # 2594, Los Lunas, NM

19513 Hwy 314  
Belen, NM 87002

**SEPTEMBER 22 & 23, 2023**

*“Qui Habitat”* Psalm 91



The New Mexico State Annual Retreat/Workshop will be held on Friday, September 22, 2023, and Saturday, September 23, 2023, at the former Elks Hall in Belen, NM. CHECK-IN on FRIDAY will start at 7:30 am to 9:00 am. RETREAT and WORKSHOP will start promptly at 9:00 a.m. MASS will be at the retreat site. DINNER will be served at 6:00 pm after Mass. SATURDAY CHECK-IN will continue from 7:30 am to 8:30 am. WORKSHOP will start at 8:30 am. Information on HOTEL ROOMS and tentative AGENDA is attached. These will also be posted on our website and Facebook page for your convenience. Wear **red, white and blue** on Friday. Bring a Rosary if you want to participate in the exchange.

**NOTE: IF YOU HAVE FOOD ALLERGIES OR NEED SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS, PLEASE NOTE IT ON YOUR REGISTRATION FORM**

REGISTRATION FEE is \$140.00 per member.

**REGISTRATION FORM**

COURT # \_\_\_\_\_ COURT NAME \_\_\_\_\_  Check box if participating in table setting decorating

MEMBERS ATTENDING: – (list only officers and members attending)	Contact name, email and phone # _____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Use the back of the form for additional members. Total attending: \_\_\_\_\_

**Reminder: If all officers attend, the REGENT is free!**

Registration Fee: \$140.00 per member    Friday Dinner Guest fee: \$25    No. of Guests: \_\_\_\_\_

2023 NM State CDA T-Shirts are available for sale only on a pre-order basis. For T-shirts, Small to XL are \$20.00, and Sizes 2 XL is \$22 and 3 XL is \$24. Very few T-shirts will be sold at the State Retreat.

S \_\_\_\_\_ M \_\_\_\_\_ L \_\_\_\_\_ XL \_\_\_\_\_ 2XL \_\_\_\_\_ 3XL \_\_\_\_\_

State Pin will be sold at the State Retreat for \$7 each. There will also be items for sale and a hosting court raffle.

Total amount enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

Please make your check payable to           CDA - NM State Court          

**Mail the Registration Form with your court check for total registration and t-shirt order to:**

Bernadette Garcia, State Secretary, 3829 Stoney Brook Circle, Las Cruces NM 88005 (575)520-3016

**The registration closing date is September 8, 2023. Registration fees will not be refunded, and there are no partial day rates to attend either date.**



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**TENTATIVE AGENDA**

**DAY 1**

**FRIDAY, September 22, 2023**

7:30-9:00	CHECK IN / REGISTRATION -Breakfast on your own	12:00 PM	<b>LUNCH will be provided</b>
9:00 AM	<b>Welcome</b> - Rosie Duran, State Regent Posting of Colors Pledge of Allegiance National Anthem	1:00 PM	Speakers and activities
	<b>Introductions</b> Susan Hicks-National Director Crystal Montoya, First Vice State Regent Priscilla Bustos, Second Vice State Regent Bernadette Garcia, State Secretary Debbie Maestas, State Treasurer New Mexico CDA and local Dignataries Hosting Court	2:00 PM	Divine Mercy - State Court
		2:30 PM	Speaker and activities
		3:15 PM	<b>Closing Prayer</b> - Debra Bradley Prepare for benediction and exposition
		3:30 PM	Holy hour - Benediction, exposition and adoration
		4:30 PM	MASS
		6:00 PM	<b>DINNER (provided) and entertainment</b>
9:20 AM	<b>Opening Prayer</b> – Debra Bradley Hosting Court - Saint presentation Patriotic Rosary - Hosting Court		
10:00 AM	Speakers and activities		

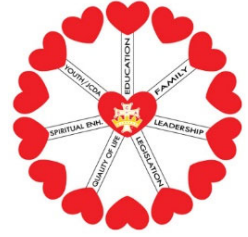
**DAY 2**

**SATURDAY, September 23, 2023**

7:30-8:30	CHECK IN / REGISTRATION -Breakfast on your own	11:00 AM	<b>BUSINESS SESSION: TRAINING</b>
8:30 AM	Opening Prayer – Debra Bradley	12:00 PM	<b>LUNCH - will be provided</b> Issuing of State Raffle Tickets - Hand out 2023 Convention booklets <b>Priscilla Bustos, Second Vice State Regent</b>
	<b>Introductions</b>	1:00 PM	<b>BUSINESS SESSION: TRAINING</b> (continued)
9:00 AM	Circle of Love, Standing Rules		
10:15 AM	Activity and Break	4:00 PM	Commissioning Ceremony - District Deputies Sending forth - State Regent Rosie Duran Closing Prayer – Debra Bradley Retiring of Colors
10:30 AM	<b>JCDA</b> - Yvette Griego, Crystal Montoya Frances Ramos	5:30 PM	MASS – San Clemente Catholic Church Optional on your own

**REMINDERS:**

**Bring your Rosary for the rosary exchange  
Dress in Red, White and Blue on Friday**



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**Hotel Accommodations:**

**Baymont by Wyndham**  
**2110 Camino Del Llano**  
**Belen, NM 87002**  
**(505)861-5000**

Rooms are \$92.95/night plus tax for two (2) queen beds. The hotel has a continental breakfast.

**Rooms are reserved under [KEYWORD] CDA State Retreat. There are only 30 rooms guaranteed at this rate! So make your reservations as soon as you can.**

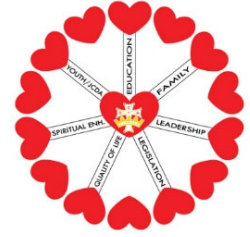
The cut-off date is September 14, 2023, to receive the reduced rate.

Check-in is at 3:00 pm, and check-out is at 11:00 a.m.

**OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION:**

**State Retreat Chair:** Linda Burkhard, Regent, Court San Clemente #2594, Los Lunas, NM

- Court Regents or Officers are asked to **bring a copy of their CURRENT Court Roster.** (Please bring copies for each of your members attending)
- Court Regents or Officers are asked to **bring a copy of the Standing Rules.** (Please bring copies for each of your members attending)
- Bring a copy of your **NEW National Bylaws** for reference.
- Our Host Courts and State Board will hold raffles and item sales, so bring your MAD money!!!!



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## ***COURT TABLE SETTINGS***

### **NEW THIS YEAR!!**

As we work as sisters in connecting with our courts and members and to allow all of our CDA sisters to be more like Mary than always being Martha, we have come up with a new concept that will grow us closer together and allow us to learn more about our different courts.

This year we ask each court attending to “decorate” the meal tables. In the past, this was left up to the hosting court and took a lot of time, effort, and funding.

We want each court to decorate a table with items from their court patron saint’s name. You can be as creative as you want. If you can incorporate the table decorations you use for local events, maybe pictures of your activities, statues, or religious articles to make the table representative of your court. Have that table speak about what your court does and how you feel about CDA!

We ask that at least one (1) member from your court sits at that table to explain the items on the table and talk about your court to the others around it. Make sure your members switch tables to learn and meet our sisters from around the state.

**Please make sure and mark that you will participate in the table decorating on the registration form!**

I am so excited and cannot wait to see you all at our Retreat and Workshop.

**New Mexico CDA**  
**Member Emergency Contact Information**

CDA cares about you. If something were to happen to you or your family, it is important for those in our group to know how to reach your emergency contacts.

Whether you are single or married, live near family or live many miles away, please consider providing us with information on how to contact the people who know you best.

**Be assured that all of your information will be held in strict confidence.**  
**It will only be accessed in the case of emergency.**

Your Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Phone(s): (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Other Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Type and name of pet(s) at home:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Neighbor with key or other access to your house: \_\_\_\_\_

1<sup>st</sup> Emergency Contact

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Other Phones: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> Emergency Contact

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Other Phones: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

3<sup>rd</sup> Emergency Contact

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Other Phones: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

4<sup>th</sup> Emergency Contact

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Other Phones: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**Optional Information:**

Preferred Hospital: \_\_\_\_\_

Health Issues / Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

Medications \_\_\_\_\_