



## **ANN'S CHOICE CATHOLIC COUNCIL NEWSLETTER** **April, 2021**



### **HOLY WEEK—EASTER**

**Holy Week begins on Palm Sunday as Jesus enters into Jerusalem to crowds who shouted praises and waving palm branches. Holy Thursday commemorates the Last Supper, where Christ lays out the model for the Eucharist or Holy Communion. During the meal Jesus predicts the events that would follow, including Peter's denial and His death and Resurrection.**

**Good Friday commemorates the Crucifixion of Jesus and His subsequent death.**

**Easter Sunday is the Celebration of Jesus Resurrection.**



## NURSES IN NORMANDY

*American sisters Ellan and Dorothy Levitsky* became inseparable at a young age. When they got older, then even attended nursing school together and volunteered to join the Army as World War II continued in Europe. A need arose for nurses in France, so Ellan offered to go if Dorothy joined her. Ellan told the *Los Angeles Times*, “The war was on, they needed nurses badly, and I just felt I had to do something.”

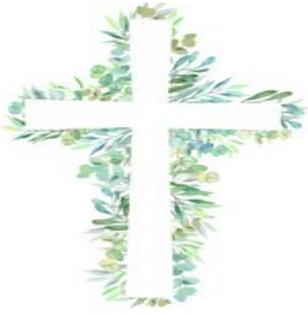
*In August 1944, the sisters arrived* physical, emotional, and spiritual wounds of the injured. Their kindness and commitment made them so beloved by the locals that in 2012, they were awarded France’s highest honor: the Legion d’Honneur.

Dorothy passed away in 2015, but Ellan, age 99, made the trip to Normandy for the 75th anniversary of D-Day on June 6, 2019. Wearing her Legion d’Honneur pin, she was constantly approached by people wanting to thank her for her service. We join with them in applauding her service—and the service of all who sacrificed during war time.

May the Lord bless His people with peace! (Psalm 29:11)

*Bless all nurses who bring comfort to the sick, Divine Physician*

*From the book Three Minutes a Day - The Christophers*



## Our Catholic Neighbors who have passed away during March, 2021

Richard Strosser

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.*

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### YOUR COUNCIL MEMBERS

**John McSorley—Chair, Ray Schwegel - Vice chair  
Maria Burlein - Secretary Jim Morgan - Treasurer  
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Charlie Reckner, Caroline Chambers, Fran Calahan  
Marge Devine—Liturgist**

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We hope all residents have a blessed and happy Easter with family and friends.

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**The Catholic Council Newsletter** is a monthly publication of the Catholic Council. We invite articles for submission that would be information for our residents. Place a copy in **John McSorley's cubby HR-203** or **Caroline Chambers BC 411**. Information about the Catholic Council is also available on our resident website: [www.acresidents.org](http://www.acresidents.org).



## KIDS IN CHURCH

A Sunday school teacher asked her class, "What was Jesus' mother's name?" One child answered, "Mary."

The teacher then asked, "Who knows what Jesus' father's name was?" Another little kid said, "Verge."

Confused, the teacher asked, "Where did you get that?"

The kid said, "Well, you know, they are always talking about Verge n' Mary."

3-year-old Reese: "Our Father, Who does art in heaven, Harold is His name. Amen."

A little boy was overheard praying: "Lord, if you can't make me a better boy, don't worry about it. I'm having a real good time like I am."

After the christening of his baby brother in church, Jason sobbed all the way home in the back seat of the car. His father asked him three times what was wrong. Finally, the boy replied, "That preacher said he wanted us brought up in a Christian home, and I wanted to stay with you."

I had been teaching my three-year old daughter, Caitlin, the Lord's Prayer for several evenings at bedtime. She would repeat after me the lines from the prayer. Finally, she decided to go solo. I listened with pride as she carefully enunciated each word, right up to the end of the prayer: "Lead us not into temptation," she prayed, "but deliver us from E-mail."

**WEEKEND BUS SCHEDULE TO  
NATIVITY OF OUR LORD  
ANN'S CHOICE**  
No bus transportation to Nativity of Our Lord Mass this month.

## CATHOLIC COUNCIL FINANCIAL REPORT

**FINANCIAL REPORT WILL BE  
UPDATED IN MAY.**

<b>OPENING BALANCE</b>	<b>\$ 4,836.07</b>
<b>Donations</b>	<b>\$ 149.00</b>
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>	<b>\$ 149.00</b>
<b><u>EXPENSES</u></b>	
<b>Mass Cards</b>	<b>\$ 35.00</b>
<b><u>TOTAL EXPENSES</u></b>	<b>\$ 35.00</b>
<b>NET INCOME</b>	<b>\$ 114.00</b>
<b>CLOSING BALANCE</b>	<b>\$ 4,950.07</b>
<b>LOCATION OF FUNDS</b>	
<b>BB&amp;T checking Account</b>	<b>\$ 4,450.07</b>
<b>Restricted Funds</b>	<b><u>\$ 500.00</u></b>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$ 4,950.07</b>

