

December 2014 Parish Newsletter:

Council of Catholic Women:

The CCW would like to thank those who donated their time, salads, desserts, crafts and items for the Children's Christmas Shop and the Bake Shop for our Fall Bazaar. Also thank you to those who worked in the kitchen and dining room preparing and serving the luncheon and keeping coffee cups filled and setting up and clearing the tables.

Many students helped in the dining room and helped in the Children's Christmas shop. A lot of work but fun for those involved.

The craft group has spent many Tuesday throughout the year making items for the Craft Room for the Bazaar. Thank you to those who stayed after the Masses on Saturday evening and Sunday morning so everyone could still check out the items after the Masses. The following Monday was spent packing up and inventorying the unsold items.

Thank you to the Knights of Columbus members who made the wonderful woodworking items that were for sale.

Thank you to those who attend the bazaar and had lunch and bought items. And thank you to those who picked up their raffle tickets and turned them in. The money raised from the Bazaar is used for the scholarships that are awarded in the spring, donations to charitable causes and other needs in the parish.

On February 10, 2015 the CCW will have the Baby Jesus Shower. This is a fun event – catered dinner and entertainment and helps provide donations of new baby items , (blankets, diapers, sleepers, etc.) and cash donations for the Women's Care Center. Put this on your calendar and plan to attend. More information will be coming in January.

The Council of Catholic Women (CCW) includes all women 18 and over who are members of the Catholic Church. One of the many activities of this Council is to coordinate volunteers to work and provide food for funeral lunches and retreats.

For more information regarding the St. Christopher Parish Council of Catholic Women, please contact Mary Schaller, CCW President, via phone 608-845-7028 or e-mail at [mschalle@chorus.net](mailto:mschalle@chorus.net). There are regular monthly meetings throughout the year. Check the bulletin or the parish website for the dates of the meetings.