

*** Mark Your Calendar ***

Inviting all women of the Parish! Join us for the **First Annual Syracuse Catholic Women's Conference - Through the Heart - Saturday October 16, 2010** at the Oncenter in Syracuse. We hope to make this the largest gathering of women in the Diocese ever! The speakers include former White House speech writer/TV host, Colleen Carroll Campbell - Founder of the Joy-filled Marriage NJ, Damon Owens - and acclaimed Author and inspiring speaker, Regina Doman. More information will follow as we get closer to the date. You can also find more information online at www.syracuseCWC.com.

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Hear Now is a national program of the Starkey Hearing Foundation, which provides assistance to those in need of hearing aids but who are unable to afford them. Verification of the applicant's financial status and proof of the need for a hearing aid are part of the application procedure. The applicant is responsible for the evaluation, a small program fee and the cost of batteries and repairs. Once qualified, an applicant will receive a hearing aid without any other costs. Since the program's inception in 1999, the foundation has provided 70,620 hearing aids. For an application call 1-800-328-8602.

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OKTOBERFEST: To date, we have sold over 100 tickets for our Super Money Raffle. Thanks to all who have already returned theirs. Extra **ticket applications** and **Sponsor Forms** are available in the vestibule. Are you able to take a few and pass them out to friends, relatives, and businesses you deal with?

Hands and Hearts of Mary Day Trip to Auriesville to visit the Shrine of Our Lady of Martyrs will take place on Tuesday - August 3, 2010.

We will leave (car pool) from Most Holy Rosary Parking Lot at 8:30 am. The trip takes approximately 2 hours. Please plan to pack a bag lunch.

Daily Mass is at 11:30 am, and we will have ample time to tour the grounds, and see the beautiful statues, shrines, gardens, Chapels and Churches. If you have never had the chance to visit, it is truly a memorable trip.

The return stop at Brooks BBQ is 'dutch treat'.

Please sign the trip sheet in the vestibule if you plan on going. Also, if you have a vehicle suitable in size and would be willing to drive, please indicate that on the sheet as well. Please call Pat Krzyzewski (785-8261) if you have any questions.

National Shrine of North American Martyrs
Birthplace of Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha
Mission Statement

The Shrine of Our Lady of Martyrs is a place of natural beauty and spiritual renewal. We are dedicated to the memory of the martyred Jesuits and Blessed Indian maiden who sanctified this hallowed place. Through the example of the missionaries' courageous faith, which provides the bedrock of our devotions here, we strive to strengthen the faith of all who visit us. We will always be guided by our loving Father, so that these historic grounds may be a place of peace, love, prayer, and reconciliation, where each and every pilgrim may be welcomed with joy, and may leave here with a soul refreshed and renewed.

www.MartyrShrine.org