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# Women of St. Joseph

DECEMBER 2012



## President's Message

Once again, our Holiday Shop night was a really GREAT event. Laura Dauzat was able to obtain over 35 vendors. They had SO many great things for sale. Thank you Laura!!

Our Christmas Tea will be on December 9<sup>th</sup> at Lauri Kaefer's house. I love the tea because it is the one time of year for us to sit and chit chat with no other distractions. I hope you all can come! I'd love to see all of you!!!!

Recently we were able to help a family in need in Fremont. If you know of another family in need, such as someone who has lost their job or had a fire and is unable to provide for their Christmas, please let us know.

December is a month of fun activities. Please send me your ideas on events you think we might be interested in attending at [solodmom@aol.com](mailto:solodmom@aol.com) and I will send out a weekly email passing on the list.

Please stay safe this holiday season. I have already seen some really close calls and I pray that you all stay safe. Watch out for the distracted drivers and the ladies carrying mace at the department stores!!

Blessings and Hugs to you all,

**Sherry Dunn**  
President

### **UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS--- Mark Your Calendars!**

[www.saintjosephmsi.org/wosi](http://www.saintjosephmsi.org/wosi)



Dec. 9	Christmas tea <i>No meeting this month!</i>
Jan 15 2013	<b>Board Meeting</b> 6:30pm Church Hall <b>General Meeting</b> 7:30pm Church Hall  Topic: Learning Ally

## **Membership Notes**

Those ladies that have not yet paid the June 2012 - June 2013, please send a check to Diana Skokan. The dues still remain at \$20 for the entire year, which is from June 1 to May 31, according to the by-laws.

Financial contribution by joining the WOSJ is valued; to support the WOSJ's various charities, events; even though the member may not be able to actively participate.



## **Helping Hands**

If you know anyone that would like to attend our meetings and/or events but needs transportation, please contact Liz Hormel (656-8495). She will arrange for one of our members to assist in having the need met. Also, let Liz know of anyone needing help from WOSJ.

## **Women of St. Joseph polo shirts**

Sherry has WOSJ polo shirts, if you would like to purchase one. The prices are according to size:

S-XL: \$16.75, 2XL: \$20.01, 3XL: \$23.28, 4XL: \$26.54.



## **WOSJ Christmas Tea**

**December 9<sup>th</sup> 2pm - 4pm**

Our annual tea will be held at Lauri Kaefer's home @ 38695 Chrisholm Pl., Fremont. Please bring your special tea cup and a finger food to share. Thank you to Lauri for opening her home to us. Look for your invitation in the mail or email. Our donations this year will be going to Sister John Marie's Pantry and St. Vincent De Paul. Bring your check for your preference.



## **Breast Cancer Awarenesss Ornaments**

WOSJ sold Breast Cancer Awareness Christmas Ornaments at Shop Night and made \$126, which will be donated to the HERS Foundation at Washington Hospital.



### WOSJ Shop Night

Shop Night was a smashing success. We had so very many vendors and lots of shoppers. Laura Dauzat did an excellent job of getting a wide variety of vendors with TOO many good things to buy. Thank you Laura! We received \$342 in donations from the vendors. Thank you to all who participated and those who brought sweets.



Happy Birthday to those born in December

Keller	Miriam	12/3
Ostrosky	Lucille	12/12
Dennie	Regina	12/15

# Spiritual Corner

It's Christmas, Sweet Christmas

The church bells are ringing  
And choirs are singing  
The songs of our dear Savior's birth.  
It's Christmas, sweet Christmas  
And people are praying  
That there will be peace on the earth.

Our friends send out greetings  
And families have meetings  
With joy and great holiday cheer.  
It's Christmas, sweet Christmas  
And people are hoping  
This feeling will last through the year.

For Christ is the reason  
For this Holy Season  
And blessings stream from Heaven above,  
It's Christmas, sweet Christmas  
And people are thanking  
The Lord for the gift of such love.

Edna Massimilla

Nancy Newman  
Spiritual Chairperson

Use this to REGISTER or UPDATE OUR RECORD

Mail to this slip and a check for \$20 payable to "Women of St. Joseph" to:  
**Diana Skokan 1355 Jacklin Rd. Milpitas, CA 95035**  
or bring to the next meeting.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

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