

**“Called to His Purpose”**

Romans 8:28

Whispering Winds  
Women's Auxiliary

**SPECIAL  
POINTS OF  
INTEREST:**

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# Whispers from the Auxiliary

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## From The President.....

The invitations to our biggest event of the year, our Annual Meeting and Afternoon Tea, are being prepared for mailing at this time. By the time you receive this newsletter you will probably have received your invitation. Mark your calendar and plan on attending a delightful afternoon of faith, and friendship.

We are gathering to first support one another in faith and second to support the ministry of

Whispering Winds. Hebrews 10:24-25 tells us, “We must consider how to rouse one another to love and good works...” The Afternoon Tea allows us to experience fun, prayer, and fellowship while we raise funds to provide monies for scholarships and projects at the camp.

We all need the support of other believers in our life of faith. The Afternoon Tea will provide us with that support and at the same time will

help provide a special place, Whispering Winds, where others can find that support also.

Everyone is welcome to attend so please bring family and friends. Introduce them to Whispering Winds and the wonderful faith filled women of its auxiliary. I hope to see you at tea time on February 26.

*Marie Cizek*  
President

### Whispering Winds Women's Auxiliary Purpose Statement

As women united by faith in Jesus Christ and by a common interest in Whispering Winds Family Camp, we propose to contribute to the growth and development of the Camp through Prayer and fellowship.

Assisting in fundraising, disseminating information, and providing support for all functions and projects for the upgrade of the facilities at the Camp. Providing monies for scholarships and projects for the upgrading of the facilities at the camp.

## Meet WWVA Board Members for 2010-2011

| Position                | Chair              | Co-chair       |
|-------------------------|--------------------|----------------|
| President               | Marie Cizek        |                |
| Vice-President          | Diana Pins         |                |
| Spirituality            | Marty Fowler       | Karen Goodman  |
| Recording Secretary     | Denise Casinelli   |                |
| Corresponding Sec       | Mary Jane Nigro    |                |
| Treasurer               | Ellen Maloney      |                |
| Membership              | Sharon Anderson    |                |
| Publicity               | Mo Kojis           | Tammy Knapp    |
| Electronic Newsletter   | Tammy Knapp        |                |
| Spirituality Consultant | Mary Jane Weismann |                |
| Hospitality             | Terry Poletto      |                |
| Scholarship             | Chris Villalobos   |                |
| Cyber Communications    | Joni Deiters       |                |
| Historian/Photographer  | Lisa Hansen        |                |
| Prayer Chain            | Gloria Walton      |                |
| Web Mistress            | Linda Crabtree     |                |
| Ways & Means            | Val Spooner        | Vicki Youngers |

### WWVA CALENDAR – 2011

**JANUARY 6- BOARD MEETING**

**JANUARY 25 - NEWSLETTER ARTICLES DUE**

**FEBRUARY 26 - GENERAL MEETING/ AFTERNOON TEA**

**MARCH 3- BOARD MEETING**

**MARCH 25 - NEWSLETTER ARTICLES DUE**

**APRIL 16-WW DINNER DANCE**

**APRIL 29, 30, MAY 1- RETREAT**

**MAY 5- BOARD MEETING**

**MAY 25- NEWSLETTER ARTICLES DUE**

**JUNE ( T B A ) - INSTALLATION DINNER**

Co-chairs are needed, so if you feel the need to serve please contact Marie Cizek @ cortocasa@yahoo.com or (619) 582- 9472 , she will help you find your place.

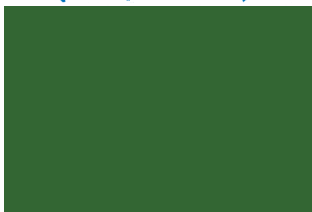
## Whispering Winds Women's Auxiliary Annual Meeting and Afternoon Tea

**February 26, 2011**  
**"He's Got the  
 Whole World in  
 His Hands"**  
**A Multicultural  
 Experience**

You are cordially invited to join us on Saturday, February 26, 2011 at All

Hallows Parish Hall located at 6602 La Jolla Scenic Drive South in La Jolla for our annual meeting and Afternoon Tea. We will be entertained by the San Diego Multicultural Gospel Choir. Each table will be uniquely decorated by individual table hostesses. The event starts with a silent

auction at 12:30 PM and Afternoon Tea will be served at 2:00 PM. Tickets are \$30 for adults and \$20 for youth 12 and younger. Invitations were sent out in January. For more information and reservations, please contact Terry at [tpoletto@san.rr.com](mailto:tpoletto@san.rr.com) or 858-536-8737.



### TIME TO BE BLESSED

True happiness lies in giving. For as Jesus said, "It is more blessed to give than to receive." Are you ready to be blessed? The WWWA Spring Event will give you the opportunity to be a blessing to a family or child in need of financial help to attend camp. Don Kojis will join us at the Afternoon Tea on February 26 to lead us in our donation campaign for Camperships. **Think Big** as Don asks you to donate money to the Campership fund! Last year you helped raise \$8,000!! That's BIG! We can do it again.

At the Tea, you'll see a short video on where your campership money is going. Here are a couple of snapshots that tell the story. 44 Camperships were awarded to children and families to help subsidize their visit to Whispering Winds.

In addition to the Kids Camp and Family Camp Camperships, a Single Family Camp was partially funded through the help of your donations.

Families have been touched by the Spirit on WW's holy ground. One Campership family stated that they were grateful for the chance to go to camp and find "the peace, camaraderie and closeness to God." Without the Campership this experience would have been missed.

Because of your generous donations at last year's event, we put aside a small amount to donate a needed item to the new Meeting Hall and Chapel. After conferring with Martin, a decision was made to purchase a processional cross which is pictured here. The gracious heart of the WWWA will be present at every Mass at Whispering

Winds in the form of this beautiful crucifix.

We look forward to a new season of camps! The mountain will be full of laughter and love as families and friends come seeking a closer walk with each other and the Lord. Your gift makes this experience possible for many who are struggling financially. **THANK YOU** in anticipation of your donation!

**If you are unable to attend the Tea you may still make a donation to the Campership Fund by sending a check made out to WWWA to:**

**Chris Villalobos  
 11936 Paseo Fuerte Dr.  
 El Cajon, Ca 92020.**

**Remember to put Campership in the memo and your gift is TAX DEBUTIBLE**

## WWWA SPRING RETREAT 2011



The Spirituality Committee is pleased to announce that Dorothy Hulburt will be our featured speaker at this year's Spring Retreat. Please set aside the weekend of **April 29<sup>th</sup> to May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2011** to join us on the mountain. Dotti has been at St. Thérèse since 1992 and is the Director of Catechetical Ministries. She brings to her ministry the gift and ability to share her love of the Lord in very human terms, especially through scripture, story, and our catholic spiritual traditions. Dotti returns to our community to help us celebrate and renew our faith among dear friends, new friends and the whisper of the winds. More to come...



The auxiliary needs someone to replace Lisa Hansen as Photographer/Historian. The job requires taking photos of events and keeping photo albums current. Anyone interested please call Marie Cizek at **(619) 582-9472** or email her at [cortocasa@yahoo.com](mailto:cortocasa@yahoo.com) Thanks & God bless.

The Whispering Winds Board of Directors needs an auxiliary member to be liaison between the Whispering Winds Board of Directors and the Auxiliary Board. Their new year will start in January and we need someone on their board to represent the auxiliary for the year 2011.

They meet once a month near the Mission San Diego de Alcala. It is not necessary to attend every meeting but they would like to have our liaison there for some meetings so that good communication between the two boards will be assured. Their meeting start at 6:30 sharp and are over by 9 pm at the latest. Please let Marie Cizek know if you could devote some time to help in this important position. Please contact Marie at **(619) 582-9472** or email her at [cortocasa@yahoo.com](mailto:cortocasa@yahoo.com).



## TERRY'S GREEN TIPS

The mantra that we hear these days is Reduce-Reuse-Recycle. We have talked a lot about the recycle aspect. Today I would like to focus on the “reduce” and see how we can positively impact our environment. Here are some quick and simple ideas that will help you “reduce” waste on this planet.

**Simplify:** Simplify your life as much as possible. Only keep belongings that you use/enjoy on a regular basis. By making the effort to reduce what you own, you will naturally purchase less/create less waste in the future.

**Reduce Purchases:** In general, think before you buy any product – do you really need it? How did the production of this product impact the environment and what further impacts will there be with the disposal of the product (and associated packaging

materials)? Often the packing creates an amazing amount of waste for a relatively small product!

**Replace Disposables:** Wherever possible, replace disposable products with reusable ones. This could include razors, food storage containers, batteries, ink cartridges (buy refill ink), coffee filters, furnace or A/C filters, etc.

**Buy used** products whenever possible.

**Share with friends:** Books, movies, games, etc. can be shared among neighbors.

**Tree-Free Home:** As much as possible, create a tree-free-home:

Replace paper napkins with cloth napkins

Replace paper towels with a special set of cloth towels/napkins (or cut up old t-shirts for great

towels) – store the used ones in a small container in your kitchen and just wash and reuse.

Print documents on once-used, recycled paper.

Create and use note pads from once-used paper

There are numerous other things that can be done to reduce but if you focus on just getting started and implementing a few simple, basic things, you will find that you will be more likely to incorporate these environmentally friendly habits into your lifestyle. Just think about the impact on the planet if everyone were to make these few, simple changes! The change starts with you. **Be the change!**

If you have any tips you would like to share with the auxiliary, please e-mail them to me at [tpoletto@san.rr.com](mailto:tpoletto@san.rr.com)

*Tipster Terry*



## **Dates to Remember**



### **WWWA Annual Meeting /Afternoon Tea**

**Saturday, February 26, 2011**

**All Hallows Parish Hall**

**6602 La Jolla Scenic Drive South**

**La Jolla, CA**

**Theme-“He’s Got the Whole World in His Hands”**

**A Multicultural Experience**

### **Whispering Winds’ 29th Annual Dinner/Dance**

**Saturday, April 16, 2011**

**Leows Coronado Resort**

**4000 Loews Coronado Bay Road**

**Coronado, CA 92118**

**Honoring Persons of the Year,**

**Glenn and Susan Wilhite**

### **WWWA Spring Retreat**

**April 29, 30, May 1, 2011**

**Whispering Winds Family Camp**

**Julian, CA**

**Guest Speaker: Dorothy Hulburt**