



February 5, 2020

Dear Sisters,

Your LT had an in person meeting in the Baltimore Carmel last week! Among other things, we were and are working hard on the preparations for our upcoming 2020 Meeting. In this letter we want to update you on events and plans since our last letter.

### **Affiliation of Cleveland Carmel to CCA**

A couple of months ago our Cleveland sisters announced that they intended to affiliate with the Association. We are writing today to inform you that we have received the official Decree of Affiliation from CICLSAL. We are providing some general information to you on the topic of affiliation in an attached document as a help to understand this new process.

### **Preparations for General Assembly Elections (*Nominating Form*)**

The LT is very grateful to the sisters who have expressed a willingness to serve on the next Leadership team. As we continue this work of finding sisters willing to put forth their names on the nomination roster, we encourage everyone to be generous and open to consider service to CCA in the next LT, and we ask all our communities to be supportive of these sisters and the important work of the CCA leadership team. Attached is a Nominating Form. Please return it to your LT liaison by March 2. We will inform you of the final nominations roster well before the General Assembly.

### **Submission Deadline for Memorial Service**

We are reminding communities that the deadline to submit the names and pictures of deceased CCA sisters for the General Assembly Memorial Service is February 29, 2020. These should be sent to this email address: [ccasistersrip@gmail.com](mailto:ccasistersrip@gmail.com)

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Baltimore MD Beacon NY Boston MA Concord NH Danville PA Eldridge IA  
Barrington RI San Rafael CA Cleveland OH Latrobe PA Oldenburg IN Reno NV

## **Sr. Donna's Solemn Vows (Cleveland)**

Last but definitely not least we would like to congratulate our Sisters in Cleveland on the joyous occasion of Sr. Donna's solemn profession on the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord! Those of us who attended the Newer Members Gathering in Faulkner in 2019 had the pleasure to meet her.

Many blessings, in the hope of seeing you in person at our CCA meeting,

Your sisters,



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### Attachments:

1. Notes on the Process of Affiliation
2. Nominating Form for General Assembly Elections