

GUEST SPEAKER

Mrs. Mary Cordileone



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Visitation Scene: Luke 1:39

A Ministry to Catholic Women

Orange County Magnificat Prayer Breakfast
Saturday, May 1, 2010

9:30AM to 12:30PM

Radisson Newport Beach Hotel, 4545 MacArthur Blvd., N.B.

(Corner of Birch and MacArthur - South of OC Airport)

As we prepare to celebrate Mother's Day in the *Year for Priests*, Magnificat is proud to present Mrs. Mary Cordileone, mother of Oakland's esteemed Bishop Salvatore J. Cordileone. **All men, women and youth are invited** to hear the story of marriage and family life that bore the fruit of a priestly vocation.

On May 08, 2006, in Rome, Pope Benedict XVI stated *...let us not forget that Christian marriage is a vocation to holiness in the full sense of the word, and that the example of holy parents is the first favorable condition for the flowering of priestly and religious vocations.*

Mary is the daughter of Sam and Theresa Giardina, born in Sicily, Italy. She is the oldest of four girls, raised in Buffalo, NY. At 21 years of age she moved to San Diego, CA where she met Leon Cordileone who served in the US Navy. They were married in 1949 at Blessed Sacrament Church. Leon entered eternal life in 2005 after 55 years of marriage. Mary is the mother of four children: two sons and two daughters; and grandmother of ten, great grandmother of four. Bishop Cordileone is the third of her four children. Mary was a full time mother and homemaker until her last child finished school, and then she began work as a bookkeeper in an Accounts Receivable Department.

When we asked Mary for advice for young families she stated, *Parents, be close to your kids. Family dinner is very important. Pray together. Catholic family traditions like celebrating the St. Joseph's Table became a way to live our faith as family. I am as proud of all my children as I am of my son, the Bishop.*

There will be a **Eucharistic Healing Service** following Mary's story by Fr. Skonezny and Fr. Doktorczyk. Please bring your family to be blessed!

Registration Form must be received by April 26, 2010

Name _____
Guest(s) Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Phone# _____ Parish _____
Email _____
 I request financial help. (Please print email address clearly.)
Enclosed is \$ _____ for _____ Reservations.

Please Mail Reservation Form & \$25.00 per person to:
Magnificat Ministry, P.O. Box 4381, Orange, CA 92863-4381

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ADVANCED RESERVATIONS

\$25 per person by mail
Must be received by: March 8, 2010
\$30 at the door (cash/check only)
Open Seating - please arrive early.

Magnificat Prayer Cenacle
All men, women and youth invited!
2nd & 4th Friday every month 7:00 – 9:00 PM
St. Joachim Parish Hall
1964 Orange Ave., Costa Mesa
Praise, Adoration, Teachings,
Prayer Ministry

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- ✦ Int'l Ministry based on "The Visitation" Lk.1:39
 - ✦ Diocesan Approval by Bishop Tod D. Brown
 - ✦ Spiritual Directors: Fr. Raymond Skonezny, STL, SSL
Fr. Stephen Doktorczyk, J.C.L.
 - ✦ Praise Music by Donna Lee
 - ✦ Breakfast, praise, testimony & prayer
 - ✦ All Clergy/Religious Complimentary (Please pre-register)
 - ✦ Your check (payable to *Magnificat*) is your receipt.
 - ✦ Your nametag is your ticket and will be at the door.
- Donation to help someone attend \$ _____