

Catholic Diocese of Wilmington

Women's Commission

History

The Women's Commission was established on August 18, 1997 by Bishop Michael A Saltarelli on the feast day of Saint Jane de Chantal. St Francis de Sales is the patron saint of the Diocese of Wilmington. St. Jane de Chantal became the patron Saint of the Women's Commission. St Jane and St. Francis were spiritual companions.

Purpose

To invite and facilitate the contributions of women at all levels of work and ministry in the life of the Church.

Who We Are:

The Women's Commission is grounded in the gospel witness of Jesus' active, inclusive love for all people.

The commission desires to offer the gifts of women to the entire people of God and commits to the on-going spiritual and intellectual development of women.

The Commission is an advisory body to the Bishop regarding the needs of all women in the diocese.

Goals and Objectives

In response to the call of all people to holiness, the Women's Commission will work to educate, inspire and empower those who hunger to deepen their spirituality.

Commission members are responsible for participating in a rebirthing process for the women's Commission; reaching out to other women; being more inclusive of all the women of the diocese.

As a woman of faith you are part of the spiritual richness that makes the Women's Commission a resource for the women of the diocese. We invite you to share your journey as a member of the Women's Commission.

For questions and to inquire about membership on the Women's Commission please contact any of the current members listed below.

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