



PALM BEACH DIOCESAN COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN

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The Lord is My Shepherd; There is Nothing I Lack

The Palm Beach Diocesan Council of Catholic Women, with Bishop Barbarito's blessing, will again present to exceptional young women in our Diocese the Golden Rose Award. Last year 14 parishes chose a young lady to be their Golden Rose recipient. This year we are hoping for more recipients from the parishes throughout the Diocese.

I am writing to request that you consider recommending a young lady who is currently in high school and is active in parish and community activities. Please share this letter with your Religious Education or Youth Director.

We will celebrate each of these young ladies at a luncheon ceremony on Saturday, November 4, 2023, at the Cathedral of St. Ignatius Loyola Parish Center. The young ladies will receive the Golden Rose Award and an individual membership in the National Council of Catholic Women. Furthermore, one young lady will be chosen by our committee to represent the Diocese of Palm Beach on the National level. More information on the ceremony will be forthcoming in the invitation letter.

There are many programs out there that promote academic or athletic abilities, but almost none that celebrate leadership, service and spirituality. Our goal is to recognize and promote the value of young women "making a difference" in today's world, one good deed at a time.

Attached is the form for you or your Youth Minister or Director of Religious Education to submit. **Deadline for submission is September 30, 2023. This will allow us time to invite your nominee and her parent(s) to the award ceremony.**

Thanking you in advance for helping recognize the good works of a young lady in your parish.

Sincerely,

Dorothy Harper

Dorothy Harper, President

Enclosure

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GOLDEN ROSE RECOMMENDATION FORM 2023

Qualifications:

- A young woman who is a **high school student**
- She should show **leadership abilities.**
- She should portray **spirituality**
- She should be involved in a **service project**
- She should be a **practicing Catholic who attends Sunday Mass regularly.**

Please submit a description of her accomplishments along with her name, and phone number.

Application submitted by: _____

Contact information: _____

Pastor's Approval: _____

Please submit the forms to:

The Golden Rose Committee
c/o Katie Kisielewski
425 SW Irving Street
Port St Lucie, FL 34983
katiekisielewskicw@gmail.com

or

c/o Doreen Recco
425 SW Irving Street
Port St. Lucie, Florida 34983
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Thank you for helping to recognize an outstanding young lady from your parish.

Please see reverse side

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Recommendation for GOLDEN ROSE AWARD

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Parish _____

Please tell us why your Parish choose this young lady.

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