

TRANSFORMING THE WORLD TOGETHER

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FOR SUCH A TIME AS THIS



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UPDATE: WOMEN OF GRACE IN UKRAINE

Thank you for supporting them!

We were filled with relief and gratitude when we received an update from our Regional Coordinator in Ukraine, Oksana Osadchuk, after not hearing anything since shortly after the war began.

Oksana shared, "It's very important for me that we can be in contact in this difficult time for my country. Our mission of Women of Grace should go on in Ukraine anyway. Some groups are still gathering even during the war. Some of the women contacted me and wanted to start the groups at their places. We must reprint the materials as there are only 50 workbooks left. But I hesitate if we can do it now. The price for the paper is so high now in Ukraine."

Her efforts to support the women of her region continue, despite the challenges and risks. Social media is the only viable means of communication with them and the need for additional printed and translated materials grows with each passing day. She remains steadfast in her desire to support them and expand her outreach to women across the war-torn area.

She closed her note, "...we are praying for my Ukraine, my heart is there. It's full of pain and tears. And I am grateful for all your prayers and prayers of the Women of Grace and dear priests from the US! It's so important to know that there is an army that intercedes for my country. With love in my heart, Oksana"

Your support enables our outreach in this region as we pray for a peaceful resolution, and in a special way for the safety of our Women of Grace in Ukraine.



A YOUNG WOMAN OF GRACE RETURNS TO MALVERN!

MEET LYNNE O'CONNOR: DIRECTOR OF MISSION EXPANSION AND GROWTH

What a joy and privilege it is to address our Women of Grace family of supporters as the newest staff member. This powerful apostolate has been an integral part of my life for over a decade, first as a retreat attendee turned facilitator and then as a Regional Coordinator. I've encountered the transformational power of our apostolate firsthand through ongoing spiritual formation in a beautiful Marian tradition and support through a community of sacred sisterhood. I've also witnessed the life-changing impact this apostolate has, helping women to grow in their faith and spiritual maturity, experience hope and healing, and come to appreciate their own purpose as daughters of God.

Women of Grace also prepared me to hear and respond to God's call to serve the Church through a lay ministry vocation after a long professional career as a business consultant and marketing executive. When Johnnette approached me about this new position, I sensed God's perfect timing at work.

My overriding goal is to advance our mission of "transforming the world one woman at a time" through our high-impact programs, talented team, and thousands of "advocates" among our Women of Grace community. We have significant growth potential and through your continued prayers and support we hope to increase the reach of our mission and to empower women "to aid humanity in not falling!"

"I first agreed to join my mom on the 2018 Young Women of Grace retreat as a birthday gift to her. She said I would love it. My heart had to travel a long distance and even the sound of it made me cringe.

I envisioned this event as my being taught how to conduct myself as a lady, but I wasn't interested in hearing about sitting up straight, or being graceful. Almost immediately, I was engrossed as our leaders spoke about our feminine genius, our authentic dignity as daughters of God, and the strength in being a Women of Grace. It made such a huge impact on me that I continue to refer to the notes that I took to this day.

Young Women of Grace come in all shapes and sizes. I'm grateful to have been a part of such a wonderful experience and I encourage all young girls to go. Pax, Angelina"

SPIRITUALLY ARMED AND READIED AT MALVERN RETREAT HOUSE, THANKS TO YOU!

Because of your consistent prayers and financial support during these challenging years, Women of Grace was finally able to return to the Malvern Retreat House for the first time in two years! Over 250 women (and a few men) were readied with the weapons of spiritual warfare to be instruments of healing, hope, and transformation in our world!

"I loved the event. This is the first retreat I've ever been on. Everyone was welcoming, and it was easy to connect with people even as a (younger) solo attendee. My favorite part by far was the healing service on Saturday evening. The talks were informative and so valuable, and THANK YOU for the sacramentals we received! The opportunities to encounter Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament are what made my experience truly enriching. I LOVED having 4 priests with us. Thank you for making that happen.." - Linda

HERE ARE A FEW HIGHLIGHTS...



The full event photo library is viewable at: [flickr.com/photos/womenofgrace/albums](https://www.flickr.com/photos/womenofgrace/albums)

- 1) Fr. Jose Francisco Syquia
- 2) Speaker dinner table
- 3) Priests interceding before Our Lord at healing mass
- 4) Regional Coordinators after commitment renewal
- 5) Young Adult Women of Grace
- 6) Johnnette Williams
- 7) Benedicta participants
- 8) Mother/Daughter participants

MAKE AN IMPACT AS A FACILITATOR!

Women of Grace® is currently seeking individuals, both English and Spanish, to facilitate the highly acclaimed Women of Grace Foundational Study Series, designed by our Founder and President Johnnette Williams. For information email facilitatorgrowth@womenofgrace.com.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Weekly Warrior Rosary Crusade: Join our praying army EVERY Wednesday at 4PM ET

Morning (or Evening) of Grace Online: Friendship, encouragement, and sisterhood with like-minded Catholic women on the 2nd Tuesday morning and 2nd Thursday evening of every month

Mission Partner Growing Together Gathering: Every 2nd Friday of the month.

Women of Grace 20th Anniversary Pilgrimage Mexico City: Join us! Celebrate the 20th Anniversary of "Women of Grace," begins Friday, December 08, 2023

For details and registration visit womenofgrace.com/events

SHE NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Women and girls are confused about who woman is and who God created her to be. We have the answers but we need your help to reach every woman (and girl) with this saving message, so critical for our time. Please continue your prayers and financial support. We can't do this without you!



LEAVE A LEGACY THAT UPHOLDS YOUR CATHOLIC VALUES

As Director of Development at Women of Grace, it's important for me to practice what I preach. Not only when it comes to living my faith, but also when it comes to charitable giving. My husband James and I have been Mission Partners for many years now. This year, we decided to take the next step in our legacy planning.



Both of us being cancer survivors, we thought it was an important time to update our wills. We sat down and thought of the organizations that were closest to our hearts and whom we've personally witnessed making an impact in our culture and in our world. Of course, Women of Grace was at the top of our list of charities. We never know when the Lord will come knocking on our door. Please take this important step to secure your Catholic heritage. If you would like to speak about how to make a lasting impact in our mission by putting Women of Grace in your will, or if you've already done so, please reach out to me at 813-343-2056 or email me at iliberatore@womenofgrace.com. With sincerest gratitude, Isabelle Liberatore♥

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