# CATHOLIC WOMEN'S GUILD

Established 1951 at

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church



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- Current Relationship
- **❖** A New Beginning
  - Changes in Archdiocese
  - Options available to the Women's Guild
- Embracing Change
  - Accepting change
  - Concentrate on the future

#### ARCHDIOCESAN HANDBOOK

6.3.3 Bank Accounts, Purchases and Controls Bank Account Titles and Tax Identification Numbers

Fiesta and other parish or school groups may not apply for or use their own EIN and must use a parish or school EIN and subaccount for their banking purposes.

### OPTIONS

- 1. Ministry of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church.
  - -BEING UNDER THE UMBRELLA OF THE CHURCH
- 2. Become Independent.
  - -Not affiliated with Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church or Ministry.

This presentation focuses on the advantages and disadvantages of being under the umbrella of the Church.

The second presentation will focus on comparing Independence vs being a Ministry.

#### MINISTRY UNDER OLPH CHURCH

#### **ADVANTAGES**

- **❖**Official Ministry of OLPH
- Liability Insurance
- Church Facility Access
- ❖"OLPH" in the Guild's title and letterhead
- **♦** "OLPH" Icon

- Church's Federal Tax ID
- ❖Access to the Guild's Website through the Church
- **❖**Storage Space
- ❖"OLPH" Email Address
- **❖**Solicit Grants available to Church Ministries

## MINISTRY UNDER OLPH CHURCH

#### **DISADVANTAGES**

- **❖** No Guild Checking Account
- Subaccount under Church (undefined)
- **❖** Pastor is sole signatory.
- **❖**Deposit handling undefined

- ❖P-Card (for debits):Pastor's discretion
- C.C. Scanner has not been addressed
- **❖**Approvals for check
  - requests(undefined)
- **❖**Timely action on account not assured.

## MEETING WITH CHURCH ADMINISTRATOR IS SCHEDULED FOR JANUARY 23, 2024.