



## Dinner and Business Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, March 15, 2023  
Coco's Italian Restaurant  
411 51st Ave., Nashville, TN 37209

### *Living our Catholic faith through fellowship and service*

5-6 p.m. **Social Hour** — Connect, mix and mingle

6 p.m. **Welcome** by Lynne Warne, President

New Members and Guests: Stand and introduce yourselves

Our mission: To provide opportunities for Catholic women to engage in fellowship through stimulating programs and meaningful service.

Our vision: To connect, support and encourage Catholic women to live their faith.

**FAITH:** Claudia to introduce our new Spiritual Advisor, Fr. John Sims Baker

- Brief introduction (he will be profiled in our April newsletter)
- Fr. John Sims Baker to lead us in saying a blessing/grace before we eat

6:10 p.m. Dinner and **FELLOWSHIP:** Enjoy each other's company!

6:25 p.m. **FAITH:** Reflection by Fr. John Sims Baker

6:30 p.m. **PROGRAM:** Erin Van de Voorde and Mary Katherine Wathen, two founders of West of Perfection (which is four Catholic women God brought together to lead women to work from a better place physically, mentally and spiritually. They focus on connecting professional and personal development, to serve the whole woman.)

Title of talk: *"A New Perspective on Leadership"*

7 p.m. (or so) **NCBWL Business Meeting**

1. Upcoming meeting: April 19 at the Catholic Pastoral Center. It's our annual membership meeting, installation of next NCBWL Board of Directors, and blessing of new members.
2. Social Action for April: Catholic Charities (Kroger gift cards)
3. Leadership Catholic and the CBL: Margaret Smith, Catholic Business League President
4. Results of email membership voting on:
  - Slate of officers for 2023-25 Board of Directors
  - Bylaw changes
5. Kroger Cares and Amazon Smiles Programs: Trisha Casa
6. The "ask" — any business-related or spiritual requests? We want to support you!
7. Lent Activity: Stations of Cross/Fish Fry @ Holy Rosary: Cheryl Prior

Closing prayer: Hail Mary

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