COMMITTED TO FAITH AND FAMILY

ITALIAN CATHOLIC FEDERATION
80th Annual
NATIONAL CONVENTION
Archdiocese of Los Angeles
Los Angeles, CA
September 2, 2010 – September 6, 2010
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2010

11:30 a.m.   Bocce       Redondo
5:30 p.m.   Buses Depart for Dinner     Lobby
6:30 p.m.   Dinner       St. Raymond Church

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2010

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.  Convention Registration       CA Foyer
8:00 a.m.    Depart for Tour      Lobby
8:30 a.m.    Depart for Golf       Lobby
9:00 a.m.    Mass          Redondo
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  Convention Registration       Foyer
12:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.  Pedro Tournament       Malibu
3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.  Bingo           Hermosa/Laguna
1:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.  Convention Registration       Foyer
7:00 p.m. - 7:45 p.m.  Orientation for New Delegates     Redondo

8:00 p.m.  OFFICIAL OPENING       Grand Ballroom

Call to Order

Steven R. Fuentes - Convention Director’s Chairman
Past Grand President - Life Member of the Central Council

Master of Ceremonies
James Friebel - Grand Trustee
Member of the Central Council

Opening Prayer
Rev. Msgr. Daniel Cardelli - I.C.F. Spiritual Director

Presentation of Colors
INI Staff Golf Company
2nd Battalion 23rd Marine

Italian National Anthem
Peter Vecchio - Los Angeles District

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Presentation of Central Council Grand President - James Jones
Life Member of the Central Council

Welcome
Theresa Shaw - President of the Los Angeles District

Welcome by James Jones

Roll Call of Districts

Grand President’s Award Presentation to Charlene Drobeck

Closing Prayer
Rev. Msgr. Antonio Cacciapuoti - Archdiocesan Chaplain
Archdiocese of Los Angeles

“Noi Vogliam Dio”
Peter Vecchio - Los Angeles District
Accompanied by Pat Mueller - East Bay District

9:00 p.m. Meet the Candidates Hermosa/Laguna

9:30 p.m. Hospitality Rooms

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2010

7:45 a.m. - 8:15 a.m. Final Registration Foyer

8:30 a.m. Depart for Tour - Non Delegates Lobby

8:30 a.m. - 9:20 a.m. Workshop Hermosa
Public Relations - Vision of Our Future Through the Use of Computers.
Leonard Zasoski, Jr. - Grand Trustee
Member of the Central Council

Workshop Laguna
Heritage - Fun, Family and Tradition.
Nina Malone - Grand Secretary
Life Member of the Central Council

Workshop Malibu
Scholarships - “Tutto Danno” (All Giving)
Make More Students’ Dreams Come True.
Dante Galeazzi - Life Member-Elect of the Central Council

9:30 a.m. - 10:20 a.m. Workshop Hermosa
Successful Branches - Learn and Share the Secrets of a Successful Branch.
James Friebel - Grand Trustee
Member of the Central Council

Workshop Laguna
Leadership - The Positive Influence of Good Leadership.
Robert Basuino - Grand Second Vice President
Member of the Central Council
Workshop
By-Laws and Rituals - Why They Are Important.
Leonard Rossi - Past Grand President/Parliamentarian
Life Member of the Central Council

10:30 a.m. - 11:20 a.m. Workshop
Successful Branches - Learn and Share the Secrets of a Successful Branch.
James Friebel - Grand Trustee
Member of the Central Council

Workshop
Spiritual - Spirituality is Our Most Important Mission in the Federation.
Rev. Robert Capone - Diocesan Chaplain
Diocese of Orange

Workshop
By-Laws and Rituals - Why They Are Important.
Leonard Rossi - Past Grand President/Parliamentarian
Life Member of the Central Council

11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Memorial Mass
Gateway

12:15 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Lunch Break

12:15 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Chaplains' Luncheon Meeting
Salon 103

2:00 p.m. CONVENTION GENERAL SESSION
Grand Ballroom

Opening Prayer

Introduction of Central Council, Clergy, Staff and Local Committee

Credentials Committee Report

Adoption of Rules and Regulations

Welcome New Branches and Delegates

Approval of Officers' Reports

Presentation of Proposals/Motions

Nomination of Hospitalization Committee

Speeches of Central Council Candidates

Family of the Year Award Presentation to The Leonard Family

Young Adult Leadership Award Presentation to Jean Bridges

Convention Site Report

Attendance Drawing
Adjournment

6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Delegates’ Reception
Grand Foyer

7:30 p.m. BANQUET
Grand Ballroom

Welcome
Theresa Shaw - President of the Los Angeles District

Mistress of Ceremonies
Jane Dianda - Grand First Vice President
Life Member of the Central Council

National Anthem
Nina Malone - Grand Secretary

Invocation
Rev. Msgr. Daniel Cardelli - I.C.F. Spiritual Director

Remarks
Local Dignitaries

Presentation of Pope John XXIII Award
James Jones - Grand President

Response - Della Spinelli

Closing Prayer
Rev. Msgr. Antonio Cacciapuoti - Archdiocesan Chaplain
Archdiocese of Los Angeles

“God Bless America”
Nina Malone - Grand Secretary

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2010

9:00 a.m. GENERAL SESSION
Grand Ballroom

Opening Prayer

Election of Central Council Members

Election of Hospitalization Committee

Election of Convention Site

Mother Teresa Award Presentation to Father Louis Vitale, OFM

National Charity Presentation

Response - Dr. Elliott Vichinsky

Resolutions and Communications
Presentations:

- Apostolate/Charity
- Membership
- Scholarship
- Gifts of Love
- Heritage
- Ways and Means

Announcement of 2010 - 2011 National Charity

Donations to Scholarship, National Charity and Gifts of Love

Good of the Order

Attendance Drawing

Closing Prayer

CENTRAL COUNCIL MEETING (Lunch)  
Salon 112

following General Session

3:30 p.m.  
CONCELEBRATED MASS  
Grand Ballroom

6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.  
No Host Cocktails  
CA Foyer

7:00 p.m.  
Dinner  
California Ballroom

7:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.  
Entertainment & Dancing  
California Ballroom

10:00 p.m.  
Convention Raffle and Drawing

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2010

9:00 a.m.  
CLOSING SESSION  
Gateway

Prayer Service

Installation of Central Council Officers

Installing Officer - Michael Rossi, Past Grand President  
Life Member of the Central Council

Remarks by the Grand President

“Noi Vogliam Dio”

Adjournment