

ITALIAN CATHOLIC FEDERATION
88TH ANNUAL NATIONAL CONVENTION
SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA
AUGUST 30 - SEPTEMBER 3, 2018
“OUR MISSION OF FAITH”

AGENDA

THURSDAY August 30, 2018

5:30pm	Buses depart for Dinner	Convention Center Foyer
6pm	A Tribute to Frank Sinatra Dinner	Saint Therese Parish Social Center
10:30pm	Buses depart for hotel	Saint Therese Parish Social Center

FRIDAY August 31, 2018

Breakfast	No Host Breakfast Options	The Market, Room Service
8am-9am	Convention Registration Chairpersons: Deborah Rodondi, Grand 2 nd Vice President and Lauren Kilcullen, Grand Secretary	Golden Foyer
8am-2pm	Blood Drive Presented by: The Live to Give Committee	Pacific 3
8:30am-4pm	Tour #1 Mission San Diego Acala, Junipero Serra Museum, & Old Town San Diego Museum	Golden Foyer
8:30am-4pm	Tour #2 Little Italy and Coronado Island	Golden Foyer
9am	Mass Convention Masses coordinated by Jim Jones and Bob Basuino, Past Grand Presidents	Pacific 1
Following Mass	Pray the Rosary	Pacific 1
10am-12pm	Convention Registration	Golden Foyer
10am-6pm	Italian Marketplace	Terrace Salon 2
10am-6pm	Drop-in Bocce	Pacific 2
Lunchtime	No Host Lunch Options	Charlie's, The Market, Room Service
12:30pm-2:30pm	Pedro Lessons Instructed by Deborah Rodondi, Grand 2 nd Vice President	Pacific 7
1pm-2pm	Reconciliation	Pacific 1
2pm-6pm	Chapel	Pacific 1
2:30pm-4:30pm	Pedro Tournament Chairperson: Deborah Rodondi	Pacific 7
3pm-5pm	Bingo Presented by: The Ways and Means Committee	Tiki Pavilion
4pm-6pm	Convention Registration	Golden Foyer
Dinnertime	No Host Dinner Options	Charlie's, The Market, Room Service

6:30pm-7:15pm	Orientation for New Delegates Led by: Grand 1 st Vice President Vincent Piro and Grand 2 nd Vice President Deborah Rodondi	Pacific 1
7:30pm-8pm	Italian-Sing-a-Long Led by: Past Grand President Leonard Rossi, O.L.J., and Former First Lady Karen Rossi	Golden Ballroom
8pm	<p>Official Opening</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Call to Order: Roselynn Jarrett, Convention Director •Master of Ceremonies: Robert Basuino, Sr., Life Member and Past Grand President •Opening Prayer Reverend Monsignor Daniel Cardelli, ICF Spiritual Director •Presentation of Colors Boy Scouts of America •National Anthem Karen Rossi, Former First Lady •Presentation of the Central Council Grand President: Andrew Pappani, Life Member Elect •Welcome from the Host District Chris Murphy, San Diego District President •Greeting from the Grand President Andrew Pappani •Roll Call of Districts •Key Note Speaker Reverend Joseph Tabigue, C.R.S.P., San Diego Diocesan and District Chaplain •Closing Prayer •Federation Anthem “Noi Vogliam Dio” Karen Rossi, Former First Lady 	Golden Ballroom
Following the Opening Ceremonies	Meet the Central Council Candidates - Reception	Tiki Pavilion and Courtyard

SATURDAY September 1, 2018

Breakfast	No Host Breakfast Options	The Market, Room Service
8am-8:30am	Final Registration	Golden Foyer
8:30am-9:20am	<p>Workshop Session A</p> <p><u>Spiritual</u> Presented by: Reverend Chris Bennett 2017 Recipient: St. Teresa of Calcutta Award</p>	Pacific 1 and 2

	<u>Successful Branches</u> Presented by: Branch 291, Arroyo Grande and Branch 362, Downey	Pacific 3
	<u>Heritage</u> Presented by: The Heritage Committee	Golden Ballroom
9:30am- 10:20am	Workshop Session B <u>Spiritual</u> (repeated) Presented by: Reverend Chris Bennett 2017 Recipient: St. Teresa of Calcutta Award	Pacific 1 and 2
	<u>ICF Programs</u> Presented by: The Apostolate-Charity, Hospitalization and Scholarship Committees	Pacific 3
	<u>Open Forum</u> Presented by: The Executive Committee	Golden Ballroom
10am-6pm	Italian Marketplace	Terrace Salon 2
10:30am- 11:20am	Workshop Session C <u>ICF Programs</u> (repeated) Presented by: The Apostolate-Charity, Hospitalization and Scholarship Committees	Pacific 3
	<u>ICF Best Practices: Leadership, Marketing, Retention</u> Presented by: You!	Golden Ballroom
11:30am	Memorial Mass	Pacific 1 and 2
12:45pm	Chaplains' Luncheon	Dover
Lunchtime	No Host Lunch Options	Charlie's, The Market, Room Service
2pm-4pm	Convention General Session <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Opening Prayer •Introduction of Central Council, Clergy, Staff and Local Committee •Young Adult Leadership Award Presentation to Joanna Mackinson, Branch 442 Pleasant Hill •Family of the Year Award Presentation to The Alessandrino Family, Branch 380 Thousand Oaks •Adoption of Rules and Regulations •Credentials Committee Report •Welcome First Time Delegates and New Branches •Approval of Grand Treasurer's Report •Presentation of Proposals/Motions •Speeches of Central Council Candidates •Attendance Drawing •Adjournment 	Golden Ballroom

**7:15pm
Seating
7:30pm
Program**

Pope Saint John XXIII Banquet

Golden Ballroom

- Welcome
Chris Murphy, San Diego District President
- Master of Ceremonies
Forrest Price, Member Emeritus
- Invocation
Reverend Monsignor Daniel Cardelli,
ICF Spiritual Director
- Remarks
Local Dignitaries
- Presentation of the Pope Saint John XXIII Award
Andrew Pappani, Grand President
- Response
Bryan Stow, Branch 227 Capitola
- Closing Prayer
Reverend Joseph Tabigue, C.R.S.P.,
San Diego Diocesan and District Chaplain
- “God Bless America”
Karen Rossi, Former First Lady

SUNDAY

September 2, 2018

**Breakfast
9am-12:30pm**

No Host Breakfast Options
Convention General Session

The Market, Room Service
Golden Ballroom

- Opening Prayer
- St. Teresa of Calcutta Award Presentation to
Reverend Monsignor Joseph Milani,
Santa Clara Valley Diocesan Chaplain
- Grand President’s Award Presentation to
Josephine Bertaccini, Branch 191 San Jose
- Election of Central Council Members
- National Charity Presentation
- Response
Dr. Thomas Coates,
Children’s Hospital Los Angeles
- Resolutions and Communications
- Presentations:
Apostolate/Charity
Membership
Scholarship
Heritage
- Announcement of 2018 - 2019 National Charity
- Charitable Donations to Cooley’s Anemia, Gifts
of Love, Providenza Fund and Scholarships

- Convention Site Report
- Attendance Drawing
- Closing Prayer

10am-6pm	Italian Marketplace	Terrace Salon 2
Lunchtime	No Host Lunch Options	Charlie's, The Market, Room Service
12:30pm	Central Council Meeting	Sunset
2:30pm-6pm	Clergy Vesting Room	Pacific 7
3:30pm	Concelebrated Mass	Pacific 1 – 3
7:00pm	Salute to Swing Dinner Dance	California Room
Seating 7:30pm-11pm Dinner and Dancing		
9:30pm	Convention Raffle	California Room

MONDAY September 3, 2018

Breakfast	No Host Breakfast Options	The Market, Room Service
9am-10am	Closing Session	Pacific 1 – 3

- Prayer Service
- Installation of Central Council Officers
Installing Officer, Leonard Zasoski, Jr.,
Life Member and Past Grand President of the
Central Council
- Presentation to Life Member Emeritus
Michael Cannady, Past Grand President
- Remarks by the 2018 – 2019 Grand President
- Attendance Drawing
- “Noi Vogliam Dio”
Karen Rossi, Former First Lady
- Adjournment