



Diocesan Assembly of Central Florida

Faithful Daughters Growing In His Light

2024 - 2027 Goals and Actions

Diocesan Assembly Goals and Actions are set to align with six goals for 2024 - 2027. Each goal is also aligned with The Prayer of the Order. Actions may change pending the approval of the Assembly Board.

Goal # 1 Inspire Spiritual Growth and Development

Prayer Connection: "Pour out upon us the seven-fold gift of the Holy Spirit"

Action(s)

- Provide Spiritual / Christian Study opportunities at Chapter meetings
- Provide Devotional Moments at all Chapter Meetings, Board Meetings, Deanery Meetings, and Assemblies / Retreats.
- Create a Speakers Directory for Chapter and Deanery Meetings.
- Continue to provide and promote the use of a Prayer Chapel hosted by Daughters at the Central Florida Diocesan Annual Convention.

Goal #2 Strengthen Our Call to Service and Evangelism

Prayer Connection: "Give us the grace to work to spread your kingdom."

Action(s)

- Encourage the "de-churched" to return to church and grow our churches; invite new or returning members to join Daughters.
- Provide service opportunities at Diocesan Spring Retreat and Fall Assembly and Deanery meetings, for Daughters to consciously reflect Christ's love.
- Highlight the ways Daughters share God's love in the Diocesan Assembly.
- Share our stories in the Diocesan newsletters, including but not limited to, The Episcopalian and The Flame.

Goal #3 Nurture and Grow Our Members with Women of All Ages

Prayer Connection: "...to gather your scattered sheep within your fold."

Action(s):

- Intentionally reach out to women of all ages and, in particular, Gen X, Millennials and Gen Z; host introductory events and activities; be flexible and willing to adopt new strategies, methods, or ideas; troubleshoot obstacles on the local level.
- Actively promote and encourage the establishment of new Chapters of Junior Daughters; support Junior Daughters in attending Retreats and Assemblies. Work with Youth Ministry Clergy in Diocese to support JR DOK.
- Embrace and encourage the preservation of the history of The Order at the Diocesan Assembly and Chapter levels.
- Establish Chapters in Latin and other cultural communities

Goal #4

Raise Up and Mentor New Leaders

Prayer Connection: *“Always remember it is your work we are called to do.”*

Action(s):

- Participate in and utilize the National Enrichment Training Program.
- Develop team-building strategies to encourage local leadership and ownership / implementation of Diocesan Assembly goals.
- Implement mentoring program to foster future leadership.
- Encourage Daughters of all ages to stand for office on the Chapter, Assembly, and National levels.
- Invite Board Members to Executive Board Meetings

Goal #5

Foster Community and Build Connections.

Prayer Connection: *“Give your blessing to our Order wherever it may be Throughout the world.”*

Action(s):

- Encourage Daughters to regularly attend Chapter meetings.
- Encourage Daughters to attend in-person Deanery, Diocesan, Province and Triennial events.
- Encourage each Chapter to have a Chaplain for spiritual guidance
- Offer a variety of online opportunities for Prayer, Bible Study, and Conversations with Daughters within the Assembly.
- Use a variety of communication methods (calls, cards, emails, social media, e-newsletters, websites) to keep Daughters informed and connected.
- Exec. Board will visit all Chapters over 3 yrs. Being a Light to Chapter members and igniting excitement to answer “Lord, what will You have me do?”

Goal #6

Instill a Spirituality of Giving

Prayer Connection: *“That all we think, do or say may be pleasing in Your Sight.”*

Action(s)

- Actively encourage giving in support of the National Funds of the Order.
- Raise awareness of and promote Lifetime Memberships
- Provide and promote opportunities for sacrificial giving to the Diocesan Assembly Annual Outreach Project.
- Provide and promote opportunities for giving to the Diocesan Assembly Scholarship Program.