



Dear Lay Salvatorians of the United States Unit,

I hope this letter finds you well as you prepare to celebrate the birth of our Savior and anticipate his second coming among us.

This is truly a new day for us. We are now officially part of the International Community of the Divine Savior. This brings many new opportunities to serve in terms of how and when we conduct our elections, length of terms, and sector reps and the LSNB (now the UCT, Unit Coordinating Team).

Bobby Pantuso has accepted a position in the leadership of the ICDS (the General Committee) and has resigned as our National Director. The National Director (now the Unit Coordinator) position passed to me. I am honored to serve you in this position and look forward to moving forward together.

Some of the latest news:

The Convocation (now Unit Assembly) for the United States will be held in Milwaukee this summer from June 24-27. Jubilee will be celebrated on June 28. Please mark your calendars and plan to join us.

We will hold two Zoom conversations to explain some of the changes that being part of the ICDS brings. The meetings will be held on January 29 and February 1st. More details and the Zoom link will be sent later.

Please send your donation for the United States Lay Salvatorians to our treasurer, Claire Williams (2207 Shades Crest Rd, Huntsville, AL 35801-1618). I thank all of you who have given- and will give - so generously. No amount is too small; please do what you are able.

Thank you for your many ministries, your selfless service, and your prayers.

I'd like to be in touch with each of you. Please call or write with your concerns, questions and suggestions. (414-520-8434, schaertel@att.net)

Yours in Christ and Blessings for a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.
Sue Haertel,
United States Unit Coordinator