



**CHRIST CHILD SOCIETY**  
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Resending this newsletter with a corrected link to RSVP for the Literacy Craftorama. Click on the revised link below in the section where the event is detailed to respond and participate. Apologies for the inconvenience from your newsletter editor!

# The Miracle Mindset

*Featuring Joan Luise Hill*

*member and co-author of "The Miracle Chase" and "The Miracle Collectors"*

*"The winds of grace are blowing all of the time; we just have to put up our sails."- Krishna*

## Drinks and Bites

September 23 | 5-7:30 p.m.

The Old Hacienda at  
Santa Catalina School



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**Service To Children, For Love of The Christ Child**

Hello Anne,

In July, our board takes the month off to restore and



recharge, spending summer moments with our families. This July, I was fortunate to have downtime in Martha's Vineyard with my immediate and extended family. The Vineyard, like here, has always held a special place in my heart. I am at peace amidst nature, viewing the beautiful flower boxes, colorful hydrangeas, and the charm of the

white clapboard New England homes. I hope you also find time this summer to fill your soul and spend it with those who are important to you.

Ramping back up, Yarns and Stitches will be meeting on August 9 and 23 from 10:30 to noon in St Angela's Hall--and on August 9 our meeting will be a **BABY SHOWER**--and baby viewing--for Andrea and her baby Hazel Peltier. As usual, we will pack and deliver our bundles this month, but both the Walking Group and Book Club are on hiatus until September.

We are also gearing up this month on August 30 at a "craftorama" to prepare to go back into the classroom with our literacy program both in Pacific Grove and at a new preschool in Salinas: The Martin Luther King Junior School. As we will be serving more than 80 preschoolers this year, this means **WE NEED VOLUNTEERS** to do reading and crafts in the classroom starting in October. Come to the craftorama to learn more . . .

We are very excited about our upcoming September 23 social event featuring our member and author Joan Hill at the charming Old Hacienda at Santa Catalina School. Make sure to **SAVE THE DATE!** Based upon the experiences underlying her first two books, Joan will share how to develop a mindset that is attuned to the miracles among us--which includes practicing generosity of spirit to deepen connections with others and finding meaning by being a miracle to others. Having just completed a very different third book, Joan will also provide context to the proactive ways we can help attract the "wind to our sails" as we live clear-sightedly towards the future and proactively manage our lives in ways that makes it easier to face our challenges. **LOOK FOR THE UPCOMING INVITATION** to this inspirational program--and the fun party surrounding it--in the coming weeks. **INVITE YOUR FRIENDS!**

Fall also brings our annual Shower of Love, held on November 4<sup>th</sup> at the

Carmel Mission from 10-noon. Our activities and events allow us to connect and invite new friends to learn what we do, so **SAVE THE DATE** for our signature fundraiser and friendraiser as well!

**In the name of the Christ Child,**

**Sarah Hills, President**

## Volunteer & Social Opportunities



### Yarns & Stitches

In August, we will meet at St. Angela's Small Hall on both **August 9** and **August 23**. As usual, we get together from 10:30 until noon. If you plan to attend the August 9 baby shower for Angela and Hazel Peltier,

**Let Ann  
Know**

**Literacy Program Craftorama**

**August 30 at 5:30 p.m.**



## St. Angela's Small Hall

Come help prepare our October lessons and learn about how we are going back into the classroom!

If you want to join us . . .

Let Ann  
Know



- Marilyn Gollihar (8/2)
- Lorraine Cornelius (8/14)
- Solange Hansen (Founder) (8/15)
- Linda Turpin (8/19)
- Barbara Aguilar (8/21)
- Gloria Rauber (8/28)
- Insuk Mullins (8/28)



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