



Next Lieutenant of the Western USA Lieutenancy

Dear Fellow Members of the Order:

My mandate as the seventh Lieutenant of the Western USA Lieutenancy ends on Sunday, September 29, 2019 at the Investiture Mass during the Annual Meeting in Phoenix.

With great joy, I announce that the Grand Master, Cardinal Edwin O'Brien, has appointed our Chancellor, Lady Margaret Romano, LGCHS, as the eighth Lieutenant of the Western USA Lieutenancy. We are grateful that the Cardinal Grandmaster accepted our recommendation that Lady Margie become the next Lieutenant. Her long and exemplary service to the Order as Chancellor and Los Angeles Area Co-Councillor has prepared her well for the role.

Lady Margie and I have enjoyed a strong partnership in leading the Lieutenancy for the past five years. Her dedication, energy and collaborative approach along with her vibrant faith and love of the Order make her an effective and fruitful leader. Our Grand Prior, Archbishop José Gomez, and Lady Margie have worked together on many projects and they enjoy a relationship of mutual trust, respect, and friendship. The Grand Prior heartily endorsed Lady Margie to be named Lieutenant.

I am delighted that Lady Margie has accepted the appointment and thankful to her husband, Sir Tom, for supporting her in this weighty decision. Margie and I will continue to work collaboratively together as I transition the responsibilities of the office to her over the next six months. We are so fortunate to have such an experienced and visionary leader willing to embrace this challenging mission. I look forward to supporting our next Lieutenant as she takes us forward.

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