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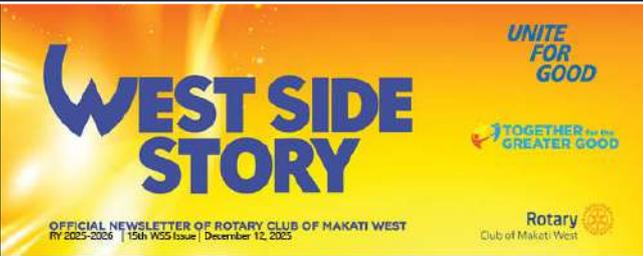
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**Thursday Lunch Meeting
with guest speaker
Dr. Bernardo M. Villegas
December 4, 2025**





MONTHLY ACTIVITIES



ROTARY CLUB OF MAKATI WEST CHRISTMAS PARTY

Venue: Rtn. Ramesh & Sps. Geeta Dargani's Residence
December 13, 2025, 6pm onwards

GIFT OF LIFE CHRISTMAS PARTY

Venue: Solaire Resort Paranaque
December 15, 2025, 10am to 12nn

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HEART WARRIORS OF THE PHILIPPINES CHRISTMAS PARTY

Venue: Philippine Heart Center
December 16, 2025, 10am to 12nn

GIFT OF LIFE PROJECT

18 beneficiaries to be operated on that day
Venue: De Los Santos Medical Center
December 17, 2025, 9am onwards

GIFT OF LIFE PROJECT

PP Eric Angeles' Birthday Celebration with GOL beneficiaries
Venue: 4th Floor De Los Santos Medical Center
December 18, 2025 at 9am



DECEMBER CELEBRANTS



December 3
SPS. LISA ALVENDIA
Birthday



December 4
PP BOBBY CABRAL
Birthday



December 7
RTN. RON CANG
Birthday



December 9
RTN. TIMMY CHUIDIAN
Birthday



December 9
RTN. PAOLO PINEDA
Birthday



December 11
RTN. DAN LIM
Birthday



December 12
PP AP BARTOLOME
Birthday



December 12
SAA DODIE POBLETE
Birthday



December 13
RTN. ROBERT YUPANGCO
Birthday



December 14
RTN. ZDENEK JANKOVSKY
Birthday



December 16
SPS. GIGI DAZA
Birthday



December 16
SPS. MITCH DUMATOL
Birthday



December 18
PP ERIC ANGELES
Birthday



December 19
RTN. STEVEN CARL
Birthday



December 21
RTN. JUN CUARESMA
Birthday



December 22
SPS. DAHLIA BALOIS
Birthday



December 22
SPS. JENNIFER MORIARTY
Birthday



December 27
PP LITO JIMENEZ
Birthday



December 29
SPS. MARIVIC LIM
Birthday



December 30
TREASURER JUDD BALAYAN
Birthday



December 30
SPS. JENNY DELOS SANTOS
Birthday



December 2
RTN. JAN CAMPOS & SPS. GINA
Wedding Anniversary



December 7
PP DENNIS DECENA & SPS. SARAH
Wedding Anniversary



December 10
PP ERIC TENSUAN & SPS. FIDES
Wedding Anniversary



December 12
RTN. BERN REYES & SPS. TRINA
Wedding Anniversary



December 12
RTN. RJ TABUENA & SPS. CARLA
Wedding Anniversary



December 13
RTN. ISAJI MINORU & SPS. YOKO
Wedding Anniversary



December 15
RTN. RAMESH DARGANI & SPS. GEETA
Wedding Anniversary



December 16
RTN. MARIO CHAN & SPS. VINA
Wedding Anniversary



December 20
RTN. AMEL MOTI & SPS. ADDIE
Wedding Anniversary



December 20
RTN. JEFF DYTUCO & SPS. MARGIE
Wedding Anniversary



December 28
PP TG LIMCAOCO & SPS. HELEN
Wedding Anniversary



December 31
RTN. COCOY TACANDONG & SPS. FE
Wedding Anniversary



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Christmas Message

Dear Fellow Rotarians,

My warmest greetings to all of you as we celebrate this joyful Christmas season. With the year coming to an end, I find myself reflecting on the many moments that have defined our journey together as Rotarians, moments of service, fellowship, and commitment to making a difference.

In the first half of our Rotary Year, we have so much to be thankful for. We witnessed the impact of our Gift of Life project, where we facilitated approximately 170 life-changing heart surgeries for children in need. This would not have been possible without the dedication of Chairman Lemarc, PE Paul Daza, the support from the Gift of Life International, Jaden and friends, and, of course, the doctors. Their hard work gave many families renewed hope and a brighter future.



We also celebrate the success of our other service initiatives, from our breast, cervical, and prostate cancer screenings led by Chairman Dodie Poblete, our HIV screening programs, and other projects that provided essential support to the communities we serve.

Let us also acknowledge the Pickleball Fundraising Tournament led by IPDG Jay Tambunting, together with the members and spouses of Makati West, whose hard work and generosity made it a success. Also, let's not forget to thank the Rotarians who participated in the district golf tournaments, where RCMW won the 2nd leg.

Beyond these service efforts, we appreciate the camaraderie and active participation that enriched our lunch meetings and fellowships throughout the year. We are also thankful for the meaningful joint meeting with RC Manila, RC Makati and RC Muntinlupa Central with Senator Bam Aquino as our guest speaker.

Christmas is truly a time to express gratitude to all who contributed to these accomplishments, sharing their time, resources, and steadfast support for our mission.

I would also like to give special thanks to our hardworking secretariat, whose dedication behind the scenes ensures that our programs, meetings, and activities run smoothly. Their commitment allows us to serve effectively and consistently as a club.

Now, as we look back on our efforts, let us also look forward with renewed purpose for the coming year, presenting new opportunities and challenges for the Rotary Club of Makati West.

Until then, may this season bring peace, joy, and warmth to your homes and family. And may the New Year bless you with good health, prosperity, and continued inspiration to uplift others.

I wish you and your families a blessed Christmas and a happy New Year.

Christopher Dino C. Dumatol
President, RY 2025-2026
Rotary Club of Makati West



Breast and Cervical Cancer Screening project through the District Grant and in partnership with Philippine Cancer Society at Barangay Pasong Buaya Imus, Cavite on December 9, 2025





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RC Makati West Golfers won the Championship in the 2nd Leg Governor's Cup at Malarayat Golf and Country Club on December 5, 2025





Rtn. Toshi Ishikawa - CHAMPION
MEN'S CLASS B



Rtn. Monsour Del Rosario - FIRST RUNNER UP
MEN'S CLASS A



PP Mon Guerrero - SECOND RUNNER UP
MEN'S CLASS B



PP Mon Guerrero - NEAREST TO THE PIN



RC Makati West - Champion Club Competition

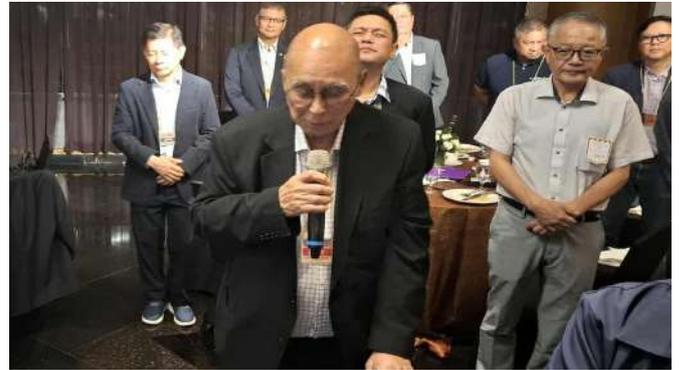


THE WEEK IN REVIEW

December 4, 2025



Dir Lemarc Limosnero as Moderator



PP Ruy Moreno as Invocator



PP Dax Carlos during President's Time



PP Larry Ocampo introduces the guest speaker



Dr. Bernardo M. Villegas in his speech



Dr. Bernardo M. Villegas received from the Club the Gift of Life Certificate



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THE WEEK IN REVIEW

November 20, 2025



PP Fern Peña as Moderator



PP Lito Jimenez as Invocator



PP Dax Carlos during President's Time



PP Ruy Moreno introduces the guest speaker



H.E. Yulia Fediv in his speech



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Thank you PP Jojo Querubin for sponsoring
Gift of Life beneficiaries



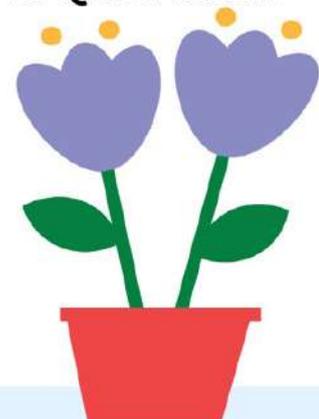
**Princess Aive
Arcamo**

I am 2 years old.
My birthday is 
November 3, 2023

I live in General Santos.
I was born with a hole in
my heart.

Because of your help, I
will get a surgery to close
it so I can live a normal
life.

Thank you so much, OMB
PS 5 most especially
MBM Querubin.





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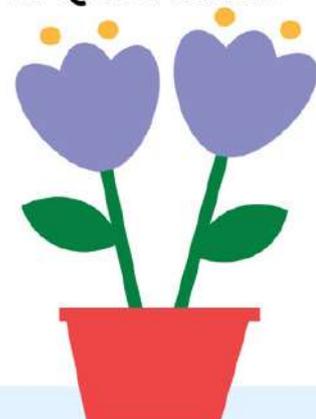
YOUR PARAGRAPH TEXT

I am 3 years old.
My birthday is 
July 30, 2022

I live in Zamboanga.
I was born with a hole in
my heart. 

Because of your help, I
will get a surgery to close
it so I can live a normal
life.

Thank you so much, OMB
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Dios Mabalos for helping Catanduanes!

As our gift to you, we donated stuffed toys and blankets to bring warmth and joy to 3,500 typhoon-affected Catanduanon kids.



Have a Merry and Blessed Christmas!



Rotary
December is
Disease Prevention &
Treatment Month



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56th Induction & Handover Ceremony



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