

Our Lady of the Prairie - Council of Catholic Women

Minutes from Saturday March 5 2016

Attendance: Georgine Gansen, Loree Heinkel, Janice Teal, Karen Vandermark, Sallie Raleigh, Maureen Busse, Sue Halloran, Carol Schultz, Jeanette Gloege, Lisa May, Mary Murphy

Prayer and Pledge began at 9:45 am

Minutes from February 4 meeting were read and approved with revision of typing errors.

Secretary read a letter from Bishop Hebda about local priests /parishes recognizing CCW and the many good works the organization does. Also read a Thank you note from NCCW for the \$95 we sent them.

Treasurer Report: Checking \$3,981.04 minus \$2,128.45 spent on the kitchen = \$1852.59. Savings \$1,668.31. Spring donuts brought in \$93.50 for the Madonna Fund. Money from the bake sale was sent to the Cancer Home. Stands as read and filed for audit.

The ordinary time and Easter banners for the choir loft will cost \$714. Sue has talked to Kristine Schutte at Twistwire Marketing, they are coming along.

Lisa May read the reorganization letter that was approved at the March 3 committee meeting. We will stuff envelopes March 7 and mail them.

Clergy Appreciation Dinner - May 11 - 8 tickets to each Parish at \$18 each.

At this point the nominating committee hasn't had anyone accept.

Installation of new officers at May meeting (Bylaws need to reflect this change)

Loree and Maureen will work on the clothing swap set for April 23.

Sallie Raleigh and Carol Schultz will prepare the breakfast for the First Saturday in April.

Bylaw and Constitution committee meeting set for March 14.

ACCW is looking for 'advertising' for their convention booklet. Sallie moved that we donate \$50 for 1/8 page in recognition of the Madonna Circle. Motion passed. The Convention is \$35 for 1 day or \$60 for both days.

Audit Committee will be Mary Pat Murphy, Sue Halloran, and Pat Krant

2016 Spiritual Day in Elysian - Pam Stelten donated towels for the silent auction. Loree motioned that we 'buy' 2 Masses at \$7 each for the Stelten Family. Motion passed. Pat Kane and Georgine also donated garden decoration/plant.

RCIA Reception following Holy Saturday Mass - 2 cakes will be ordered by Maureen Daly and it was suggested to ask last year's RCIA candidates to help with this.

Sallie informed us of 12 Sisters coming to town on June 18th. Janice motioned that Sallie turn in receipts for the reception expenses. Carol 2nd and motion approved.

Meeting adjourned with the Year of Mercy Prayer