

Our Lady of the Prairie – Council of Catholic Women

Minutes – October 4, 2018

Attendance: Georgine, Maureen Daly, Janice Teal, Paula Covington, Karen Brenke, Carol Schultz, Susan Cole, Pat Kane, Sallie Raleigh, Maureen Busse,

The meeting was called to order at 7:05 with Prayer, Mission Statement and Pledge

August 2, 2018 minutes stand as read.

Treasures report: Checking \$5420.53 Savings \$1,990.59 Total of \$7411.12 \$10.00 has been collected in dues, and there were 2 funerals since August meeting. An electronic deposit was made for \$100.00 for fall decorations/flowers. It will cost \$124.17 to clean the Advent vestments. Goal is to get all of them cleaned in the next eight months. ACCW and Deanery dues were paid. File for audit.

President's Report: Georgine summarized a few articles from The Image, the Deanery newsletter. She gave Mission Event (Appalachia Kentucky) details, October 25 in Jordan. Bring shoe boxes packed with something *fun, hygiene items, something useful, warm* and a *religious item*. The entry item- diapers or wet ones. Don't forget your address labels for your raffle tickets.

Maureen recapped the visit of the Kitui, Kenya representatives. They enjoyed their visit; they had a nice variety of activities but were not overscheduled and were fed well with homemade food!

The Kitui dormitory has 1 of 4 floors complete. Their goal is to raise \$1000 from each Parish in the Archdiocese for this project. OLP CCW plans on donating.

Service groups: --

Unfinished Business: The New Ulm Sisters are no longer having 'work days' the Convent is complete. They could still use food donations. The traveling **St. Padre Pio Relic** will be in New Ulm on Sunday October 28, beginning with the 10:00 Mass until 6:30p.m.

Georgine is looking for a Secretary for the Southwest Deanery next year. Also need new officers for OLP CCW.

New Business: --

Meeting Dates: November 1, February 7, April 4, May 2, August 1. Additional Dates: November 2 – Remembrance Mass; November 20 - Ecumenical Service; February 19 – Deanery Board Meeting at OLP

Deanery: December 8th is the ACCW Advent Morning of Reflection at Holy Name of Jesus, Wayzata; February 19, 2019 is the Board meeting at OLP; March 2019 is Spiritual Day at St. Wenceslaus, New Prague; April 2019 is the Open meeting at Immaculate Conception, Lonsdale; May 3 and 4 is the ACCW Convention at St. John Neumann, Egan. Georgine will be installed as our Deanery President at this Convention.

Pat Kane won the door prize, a vase from Maureen Daly

Sallie Raleigh's name was picked as the star of the meeting and she said two things about herself that we may not have known.

Maureen Daly motioned to adjourn the meeting at 8:05p.m. Pat Kane 2nd. We closed with a Hail Mary, with intentions for the sick of the Parish.

Next meeting: November 1, 2018 Janice Teal will bring the treats and the door prize.

