St Anne's Council of Catholic Women Meeting February 8, 2024 Meeting Minutes

A CCW meeting was held on February 8, 2024 9:30 AM in the church social hall.

Present were: JoAnn Green, Barb Billmeier, Judy Walter, Colleen Wildt, Denise Kalkhoff, & Ruth Hacker. We opened the meeting with the Memorare.

Secretary's Report was read and approved. Many thank you cards were passed to read.

Treasurer's Report was read and approved. Income was: \$853.76. Expenses were: \$2330.00. Checking and savings total: \$4405.94.

Cheer Com./Shepherd of the Field - JoAnn Green reported our Shepherd of the Field, Fr. Bernard Steiner will celebrate his ordination anniversary on February 19th and JoAnn & Barb Billmeier will be making "Thank You" cards available in the back of church for parishioners to write their appreciation to Fr. for answering the call to the priesthood. Return them to the back of church before the 19th so they can be hand delivered to Fr. Steiner on his anniversary.

Barb Green has application forms in the back of church for the scholarship program. The Bakeless Bake Sale made \$330, half will go to the scholarship program.

No other Commission Reports.

Judy Walter reported the Respect for Life contribution from our parish of \$447 and what it was used for.

OLD BUSINESS: No one attended the Deanery 1 Winter Board Meeting on Jan. 20th.

Instead of Bakeless Bake Sale for the Sausage Dinner we will donate foods for the KC Auction event.

No word on the CCW Christmas book.

Funeral Group 5, Eileen Rothmeier & Sara Schultz-co-chairs.

Donation of \$500 will be given to the We Care Project.

NEW BUSINESS: Mission for Love Valentine Project is available in the back of church. CCW will donate \$200 when the San Lucas Mission matching grant is available.

Scholarship donation is due February 22nd.

Confirmation Reception at St. Mary's, Sleepy Eye. Will provide workers if needed. Our gift for the Tool Box will be a Holy Spirit card.

Lenten Reflection gathering after Sunday Mass is with refreshments and the CCW will give Miki \$100 to help pay those expenses.

Deanery 1 Spring Gathering will be at st. Mary's in New Ulm on March 19th. Speaker will be Gabrielle Cohrs Rohlik. If you plan to attend, let Colleen know by March 13th.

Welcoming Mass is April 21 - a carnation is given to each.

NUDCCW Convention is April 27th in Glencoe. Our silent auction item will be made by Becky Mathiowetz. The CCW will give Becky a \$100 gift card to Sleepy Eye Stained Glass in appreciation for her creative gift to the convention from our CCW.

May Crowning will be held in Sleepy Eye on the last day of CCD classes.

Baccalaureate Breakfast will be Sunday, May 19th, 2024. Jess Guetter, Ann Christensen, Rondi Kodet, & Shalee Brown, co-chairs.

Church cleaning is June 24th, 2024. All members of our CCW are asked to work.

Next meeting is Thursday, June 13th at 9:30 AM. Closed with the Glory Be.

Ruth Hacker, Secretary