A CCW Meeting was held on November 9, 2023 @ 9:30 a.m. in the Church Social Hall.

Present were Colleen Wildt, Denise Kalkhoff & Ruth Hacker.

Meeting was called to order by Pres. Colleen Wildt. Opening prayer was the Memorare.

Secretary's Report was read and approved. Correspondence was a letter from the We Care Project.

Treasurer's Report was read & approved. Income was: \$1,155.14. Expenses were: \$119.10.

Checking & Savings: \$5,882.18. Donations from CCW to Quilter's was \$100 for shower gifts & \$200 for batting.

Asked to pray for our Shepherd of the Field Fr. Bernard Steiner. No other Commission reports.

OLD BUSINESS: Fall Dinner Bakeless Bake Sale earned \$300 so far.

Next Funeral group is #2—Shalee Brown & Kathy Frederickson, co-chairs.

No report on the Respect for Life Month.

Fall Gathering for CCW Deanery 1 was at St. Raphael Church in Springfield. Keynote Speaker was Mary Warner. She talked about the Little Dresses Project. History of the project & guided tours are available 7 days a week, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at her home. Mission statement: "to come together as one and make a difference, uniting New Ulm and the world one little dress at a time."

Memorial Mass was November 5th. Next year it is scheduled for November 3rd, 2024.

NEW BUSINESS: Dues payable for the National, Diocesan & Deanery 1.

No date or chairpersons yet for Men's Sausage Dinner.

Holiday Gift's to Priests will be \$100 each.

Holiday Gift's for St. Michael's Staff & CCD teachers will be \$50 Becker's Gift Card.

San Lucas Mission donation was done in April.

The four Seminarians will receive \$200 each from our CCW.

No decision on the Christmas gift book from the CCW.

Share the Spirit will deliver fruit baskets to those whose names we submitted to them.

Divine Mercy Area Faith CCW members have been invited to St. Paul's CCW Christmas meal/party starting at 5:30 p.m. on Thursday, December 7th in their social room of the church.

Following the meal there will be BUNCO played. Come and enjoy the true spirit of Christmas.

Next meeting will be Thursday, February 8th.

Closed with the Glory Be.

Ruth Hacker, Secretary