

St. Paul CCW Meeting, February 6, 2020

St. Paul CCW met Thursday, February 6, 2020 at 7:00 pm in the Church Social Hall. Meeting was called to order after Inspiration by Judy Augustin with a reading titled "Sometimes I Don't Remember" and the Pledge of Allegiance and Prayer led by President, Leah Eischen. Twelve members were present.

Secretary's report was read from November 7, 2019 meeting and were approved as printed / published in church bulletin. M/S/C Betty Z./Cecelia Z. The CCW received several notes of Thanks for Christmas Joy Meal's that were prepared and delivered on December 6, 2019 and also Thank You's for Christmas gifts received over the Holidays.

The Treasurer's report showed a balance of \$1,306.99. There was income for church kitchen cleaning, lunch at meeting, and funerals. Paid out expenses/donations were made for Christmas gifts (amaryllis) and cash gifts. Donations to Mary's Meals and Mercy Center. Final balance on hand is \$775.04. Due to be paid are the Deanery 1 Dues of \$65 (which previously was \$50), the Diocesan Dues of \$50, the CCW National Dues of \$100 and the St. John's Dues of \$15. A M/S/C Betty Z./Martha F. to pay these dues.

Business:

1. World Day of Prayer: Have not received any information as of yet.
2. Valentine Mission of Love – We will do the same as last year, which was sending a set amount of \$100 to the San Lucas Mission.
3. CCW Dues – Will continue with \$5.00 per year per member.
4. Confirmation – St. Paul's does not currently have anyone being Confirmed this year.
5. Deanery 1 Spring Gathering will be Thursday, March 19th at St. Raphael's in Springfield with Registration starting at 5:30pm.
6. NUDCCW 61st Annual Convention will be held on Saturday, April 25th at Holy Redeemer Catholic Church in Marshall, MN. The keynote speaker is Angela Kennecke from Sioux Falls, SD. She is a veteran broadcast journalist and award-winning investigative reporter. She has started a charity called "Emily's Hope," because she never gave up hope on her daughter and now wants to offer to other families struggling with addiction.
7. Thank You's – Additional Thank You's from everyone who attended our CCW Christmas Potluck. It was a great success. Everyone had a great time! Also, Christmas Joy meal works great around St. Nick's Day.
8. Winter 2021 Board Meeting is to be held in January 2021 here at St. Paul's in Comfrey.

Other Business:

2 more packages of 165 Eco-friendly plates were purchased from Sam's Club (used for funerals) Arlene Helget questioned if we should order more Baptismal and Wedding gifts. It was M/S/C Betty Z./Lori S. to order more.

First Communion is Sunday, April 26th, 2020.

Baccalareate date is May 3, 2020 for the seniors, Kaylee Romsdahl and Erin Veerkamp.

Meeting adjourned at 8:00pm.

St. Mary's entertains at Brickstone in February and St. Theresa's Circle is in March.

St. Anne's Circle serves for the next funeral.

Hostesses for the next meeting on Thursday, April 2nd are JoAnn Eischen and Laura Eischen.

(No meeting in March)

Door Prize was won by Nellie Richter.

Secretary, Sue McMullen

