

CHRISTIAN MOTHERS/WOMEN MEETING

April 13, 2016

The meeting was called to order by President, Marylin Lashinski, at 6:40 p.m. after the Salad Supper with 23 members and 17 new members present. Marylin led the prayer.

The secretary's minutes from the January meeting were read and approved. Jan Dahmen made the motion to accept, Barb Zajac second

The Treasurer's report was read by Jo Loidolt and approved. Michelle Litke made the motion to accept, seconded by Doris Thyen. We have \$2,920.55 in our Savings and \$300.98 in our checking account.

COMMISSION:

Church Commission:

Family Concerns: Ann Kimman and Karen Athman - Ann Kimman talked about the Christ Baby Child Project which is held during Advent. The majority of items went to the Pierz Food Shelf with the rest going to the New to You Thrift Shop in Little Falls which supports the Boys and Girls Club. Other years those items would go to Public Health but with a change of regulations they can no longer use them. Ann asked everyone to keep their ears open for needy families in the area for next year. Again she had an anonymous family that donates the bottles for holy water at Easter time. This year she made up about 300 bottles.

Legislative: Jan Kimman

International Concerns:

Organization Services:

Community Concerns & Rural Life: Margaret Albrecht

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Rosary: Elvira Stumpf would like a group of 10-12 people that would commit themselves for praying the Rosary for the deceased. A list for names and phone numbers was passed around and given to Elvira.

Prayer Line: Karen Gross was not present.

OLD BUSINESS:

Four Parish Retreat (Mission): went well, very good crowds, and plenty of bars for our night.

Roofing Project: The weekend of April 9 and 10 was held information meeting in the church basement. Very small crowds. We were asked to bring bars for Saturday evening and donuts were bought for after Sunday's mass.

Holy Trinity Sedar Meal Michelle Litke made up 170 Plastic Eggs with a little treat and a religious bracelets for the kids.

Emails: The list was passed around for people interested to add their emails.

NEW BUSINESS:

New Members: The following 15 new members were welcomed into our organization Pam Evans, Beth Fischer, Deanna Fuhrman, Denise Girtz, Denise Gruber, Nita Hayes, Wendy Kapsner, Heather Kimman, Stefanie Kirschbaum, Cindy Pohlkamp, Jenny Sadlovsky, Chris Stangl, Lynnette Woznak, Mary Young, Rachel Young, along with 2 transfer members Diane Popp, Maggie Wehseler

40 year members:. The following were given 40 year pins Donna Boeder, Phyllis Hoheisel, Betty Schomer, and Arlene Smude. The following 40 year members were unable to attend Chris Banick, Brenda Girtz, Fran Janson, Peggy Hoheisel, Kate Millner, Marceline Millner, JoAnn Smude, Pat Tomala, and Pat Zimmerman

LF Deanery Meeting: is May 22 at Belle Prairie Rose Surma Head of Oasis Share a Meal will be the guest speaker.

May Crowning: will be May 7 at the 4:30 Mass. Jan Kummert has the family of Jenna Gross and Mac Thomas to do the crowning. A couple of our officers will carry up the gifts.

Baccalaureate: May 22 The Gifts are already ordered. Michelle Litke will be the guest speaker. Looking for a cook

St Joseph's Roof: Jan Kimman made a motion, Elvira Stumpf seconded to do a Bakeless Bake Sale with proceeds to go to the Church roof repair project. Mary Kimman made a motion and Michelle Litke seconded that 100 % of the proceeds would go to the roof Repair.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Fun, Food, Fund Day: June 9, 2016 St Francis Sartell

Oasis Share Meal: June 23, 2016 Margaret Faust will chair again.

Villa Birthday Party: July 15, 2016

Coborns Brat Sale:

Patriotic Rosary: Sept 16, 2016 Note change of date to accommodate Bishop Kettler's schedule very unique with usually around 400 people attending and Holy Trinity leading the last decade facing the people.

DCCW Fall Conference: Sept 17 Place to be determined

Oktoberfest:

Next meeting: July 13 at 6:30

Adjournment:

Nita Hayes made motion, seconded by Gerri Boser to adjourn the meeting at 7:49 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Eileen Pohlkamp
Secretary