

ST. WILLIAM WOMEN'S GUILD MEETING MINUTES

OCTOBER 3, 2018

-President Theresa Craiger called the meeting to order, led us in an opening prayer, introduced new members Lisa Fauvie and Theresa McKnight, and thanked the evening's hostesses. There were 31 members in attendance including Vice President Linda Horm, Treasurer Maureen Thuman and Secretary Cathy Poponak.

MINUTES- from the September meeting were read by Secretary Cathy Poponak. President Theresa Craiger asked if there were any corrections or additions. Patty Augustinsky moved to accept the minutes as read, Karen Hardman seconded the motion. The motion was accepted and passed.

TREASURER REPORT-Maureen Thuman reported on the **August** monthly account breakdown. -Mo also reported that the Quarterly Audit was completed by Therese Tuttle. The bank register is balanced to the accounting books.

PASTOR'S REPORT -Theresa Craiger reported for Father Balash in his absence. The State Attorney General's Office sent a letter to all charitable organizations stating that Quarter Auctions are considered illegal gambling in the state of Ohio. As a result, the quarter auction fund raiser that had been scheduled for February by our Women's Guild has been cancelled.

PASTORAL ASSOCIATE'S REPORT-President Theresa Craiger reported for Tina McCue in her absence. The Catholic Diocese of Youngstown's 75th anniversary dinner lecture is being held at St. Christine Parish Center on Monday October 22, 2018. The evening will include prayer, dinner and a lecture on what it means to be Catholic today. Registration information was provided to anyone interested in attending.

-PSR and Youth Ministry students are in need of t-shirts to wear on "make a difference day" and other events in which they will participate this year. The theme will be in conjunction with the 75th anniversary of the Diocese of Youngstown; "Pride in the Past, Faith for the Future". Seventy t-shirts are needed at approximately \$8.00- \$10.00 per t-shirt. Would the Women's Guild pay for these t-shirts? After much discussion, Therese Tuttle moved that the Women's Guild donate money for 70 t-shirts as requested. Pat Scanlon seconded the motion. The motion was accepted and passed.

OLD BUSINESS

-TNT chairperson Theresa Craiger reported on TNT night. "Till Beth Do Us Part" was an entertaining show, despite the reviews. 119 out of 162 tickets were sold. \$420.00 was made on the basket raffle.

Total profit for the Women's Guild was \$1,530.00. Theresa submitted a detailed account to the treasurer. Theresa thanked all those who helped in any way to make the evening a success.

NEW BUSINESS

-President Theresa Craiger reported that the Knights of Columbus asked for a basket donation for their corn hole tournament. A decision had to be made prior to this business meeting. Therefore Theresa contacted the executive committee via e-mail. A decision was made to donate a \$50.00 basket.

UPCOMING EVENTS

-The Knights of Columbus are holding a homemade spaghetti dinner fundraiser on October 20th from 6PM to 7:30PM in the social hall. Please support them by attending.

-“Make a Difference Day” will be held on Saturday October 27th. Notify the religious education office if you can offer help that day, or if you know of someone who needs help with general fall clean-up.

-The Thanksgiving Food Drive will be held at St. William this year. See the bulletin for details.

-The Kolachi Bake will be held on November 28th. More information will be provided at the November Women's Guild meeting.

WRAP UP

-The designated donation site for the evening was Mothers Against Drunk Driving. \$60.00 was donated by the guild members.

-Refreshments and door prizes were provided by Tina McCue, Linda Horm, Patty Augustinsky, Denise Butcher, Jean Kittle, Lana Majersky, and Ida Mae Switter

-The November meeting will be a craft night. Examples of items being made are on display, along with a signup sheet. The designated donation site will be the St. Vincent DePaul Food Pantry.

-President Theresa Craiger asked to adjourn the meeting. Ann Coursen moved that the meeting be adjourned, Karen Hardman seconded the motion. The motion was accepted and passed.

-The evening's program followed the business meeting and was presented by Lieutenant Philip Robinson, Hiram Post Commander and Matt Gurwell, former state trooper Ohio state highway patrol on “Safe Driving for Seniors” The program was open to the entire parish.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Secretary Cathy Poponak.