

AVE MARIA PARISH- WOMEN'S SOCIETY

SPIRITUAL/CHARITABLE/SOCIAL

Minutes of meeting of June 12, 2024

Present Rose Lilly, President, Darlene Anderson, Secretary, Cindy McDaniel, Treasurer, Doris Hudson, Board Member.

Rose led our group in a prayer session with a beautiful prayer she called a Prayer of Love. The meeting started after.

Darlene Anderson read and showed the group the proposed new hymnal bookmarks which contain our parish's mission and value statements. She asked that \$228.00 be approved for the purchase of 1000. A motion was made by Barb Schultz and seconded Merrieanne Hughes. The motion was approved.

Rose thanked the Lunch crew, Cindy McDaniel, Karen Delage, JoAnn Martenka. for the lunch preparation. Thank you Rose for your delicious sloppy joes•.

Secretary's report from the May 14, 2024 meeting was read and accepted.

Cindy McDaniel read the Treasure's report. A motion was made by Doris Hudson and seconded by JoAnne Martenka to accept the report as read.

Rose explained the many ways are funds are used and how we might see a decrease because of the location change for the White Elephant sale.

OLD BUSINESS

- Rose heralded the success of the two Meet and Greets because of enthusiastic support by current members. Six potential new members was the result. Starting in September a night meeting will be held.
- Mary Anne Castle spoke about the book sale and asked for volunteer help. Mary Anne gave all needed details about the book sale.
- The "for sale" status of the white building will not affect the parking events, if it's not sold prior to the events. The White Elephant Sale will be held with adjustments because the white building will not be utilized.
- The White Elephant sale will be held September 26, 27, 28, and 29th. We need as much help as possible. Watch The Bulletin for details.

- Project Blessing donations will be taken at each meeting, Adele Rossi updated us on their most urgent needs.
- Thanked Cindy McDaniel for-hand-ling the Corpus-Christi Alter in our behalf.

NEW BUSINESS

- JoAnn Martenka will chair the coffee and donuts welcome for our new priest.after 10:30 Mass on July 7th. Cindy McDaniel volunteered to pick up donuts.
- Father Eppenbrock's thank you coffee and donuts reception on June 30th will be handled by the Knights of Columbus.
- The International Festival, .to be held on June 29th.at St. Mary's is in need of volunteers. The mission of this event is to introduce people to our parish.
- Society member Judy Paradowski's funeral will have a Society honor guard. Volunteers are needed for her funeral luncheon.
- Prayers needed for society member, Margaret West. She is having surgery.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:20am by Rose Lilly.

Respectfully submitted by Darlene Anderson