

AVE MARIA WOMEN'S SOCIETY
SPIRITUAL/CHARITABLE/ SOCIAL

Minutes of meeting of November 12, 2024

The meeting started with a prayer

Present: Rose Lilly, President Cathy Watson, Acting
Secretary Cindy McDaniel, Treasurer Board Members, Marg
Filipiak & Doris Hudson

Absent: Sharon Hinski, Vice President

Rose thanked the lunch crew for preparing the lunch. It was a job well done.

Secretary's report was read and accepted.

Cindy McDaniel read the Treasurer's report. A motion was made by Sharon Sanchez and

seconded by Barbara Schultz. Motion carried.

Rose Lilly thanked Cindy McDaniel and Cathy Watson for a job well done.

OLD BUSINESS

- Kathy Vanhoudt thanked everyone who help make the cheese balls. 96 Cheese Balls were made and sold at St. Mary's Boutique. More Cheese Balls will be made for St. Denis
- East Region of Catholic Women meeting at Ave Maria Parish at St. Denis Campus was well attended by the Ave Maria Women's Society. Rose thanked the women for representing Ave Maria Parish at this meeting and encouraged them to attend other meetings in the future.

- Kathy Marschall discussed Advent Tea. It will be on December 2nd at St. Mary Campus at 2:00. The women from the Magic Carpet will be performing Parables Part 2. Table hostesses are needed. Kathy handed out the duties of the hostess.
- St. Mary Christmas Boutique was a success. The profit from this event was \$2192.63. St. Denis Boutique is in the works. St. Denis Campus Boutique will need cookies for the cookie walk. A list was passed out to get the volunteers to work at this event.
- Barbara Hazuka and Rose Lilly have volunteered to work on the By-Laws Committee. If you would like to delete something, add something or change the wording in the by-laws give your suggestions in writing to Rose Lilly as soon as possible.
- The Retreat was exceptional. We would recommend that you plan on attending in 2025.
- The nominating committee almost has a roster for our upcoming elections. The only position that is needed is the Secretary position.
- The Straw Raffle at St. Mary Campus was a success. The profit was \$367.00. The straw raffle at St. Denis needs someone to help Cindy McDaniel run this event. Diane Gray volunteered to help.
- St. Nick Sale will be on December 18th at 6:00 at St. Mary Campus. Volunteers for this event are needed. A list will be passed out at the December meeting.
- The Giving Tree for St. Denis Campus is in the works. Marilyn Amormino is chairs the gifts and Marsha Hart and Jane Orr take care of the food part of this event.

NEW BUSSINESS

- There will be a Cookie Social sponsored by LCIU on 12-11-24 from 1-3 at the Lexington United Methodist Church. Anyone from Ave Maria Parish is invited.
- Fashion Show sponsored by the Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary will be on May 17, 2025. The Town Shop in Lexington will be showing their clothes
- Gifts for the homebound at Christmas time will be passed out. A motion was made by Barbara Schultz and seconded by Arlene Leigh to donate \$200.00 for this project. Motion carried,
- Christmas gifts for the Faith Formation Children were purchased. Sr. Teresita showed us the gift that will be given out this year.
- The Ladies asked for prayers for loved ones. We said an Our Father, Hail Mary and Glory Be for them.

The motion to adjourn was made by Barbara Schultz and seconded by Arlene Leigh at 12:17.

Respectfully submitted by Cathy Watson

