AVE MARIA WOMEN'S SOCIETY SPIRITUAL/CHARITABLE/SOCIAL

Minutes of meeting of October 9, 2024

The meeting started with a prayer

Present: Rose Lilly, President Sharon Hinski, Vice President Cathy Watson, Acting

Secretary Cindy McDaniel, Treasurer Board Members, Marg Filipiak & Doris Hudson

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 Gloria LaDouceur and

seconded by Merrieanne Hughes. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

- The profit from the White Elephant Sale was \$9163.50. Mary Anne Castle and Rose Lilly expressed they're thanks to all those who helped to make this project so successful.
- East Region of Catholic Women will have their meeting at Ave Maria Parish at St. Denis on Oct.19th. This meeting will start at 9:30 and end about 2:30. Rose discussed the benefit of attending this meeting.
- 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.

- St. Mary Christmas Boutique is ready to go. St. Denis
 Boutique is in the works. Both Boutiques will need cookies
 to be baked. Prizes for each of the Straw Raffles are needed.
- Fr. Balla's Chasuble was displayed. It was beautiful.
- Barbara Hazuka and Rose Lilly have volunteered to work on the By-Laws Committee.
- The Retreat will be Oct. 25th through Oct. 27th. The theme of the retreat is It's all About Presence. If you wish to attend let Rose Lilly know. We will carpool to this event.
- The nominating committee is working on getting a roster for our upcoming elections. Our Feast Day Celebration was a success with 65 people in attendance.

NEW BUSSINESS

- The cheese balls are in the works. Kathy Vanhoudt will be getting a crew to work on this project.
- Darlene Anderson's Resignation was accepted with regrets. We wish you well on your new move.
- St. Nick's Sale is in the works. Gifts for the children to buy are needed.
- Susan Plonka is in a nursing home. She would love to hear from you. This is her address:
 4851 Lakeshore Rd. Room 112 Fort Gratiot, MI 48059

The motion to adjourn was made by Nancy Appel and seconded by Pat Grzesiak at 12:15pm.

Respectfully submitted by Cathy Watson