Women's Council Minutes August 10, 2022

The women's council meeting was called to order at 9:20 on August 10, 2022 with president Mary Marinucci presiding. There were 8 members present.

Kathleen Seiler provided warm caramel rolls.

We welcome Deb to the group.

The opening prayer was read with a Hail Mary for the novices.

Secretary's minutes were read. MSA There was no treasurer's report.

It was Motion, Seconded and Passed to do away with the dollar donation for our meetings. It was originally set up when we were members of CCW and had to send them a percentage of our dues.

Audrey would like to knit or crochet hats for the missions. We will check with Gladys. Rosanne donated several pillow cases for the mission kits.

Sharon Thole reported on the Food Shelf. She brought up issues of help and problems with clients coming in late. Also security was discussed.

Rosanne purchased creamers for Sunday coffee.

Mary will check in to purchasing new rugs for the kitchen. We will have them by the Hunters Dinner.

Kathleen reported there are no sign up donations for flowers for August so the Women's Council will purchase a bouquet. TC's Floral has received \$270 since May for flowers. Most were donations in memory of loved ones.

Janice reported on the Parish Council Meal for Oct. 2. It will be held at St. Paul's. The Woodsman will cater a meatloaf supper. Reservations will have to be in by Sept. 27.

The Parish Council will work with both churches on the funeral folder and welcome folder. Deacon Rick was very receptive to both.

The Finance Committee will be meeting later in August.

Janice has been hired as the housekeeper for the rectory. She will clean twice a month.

It was suggested that St. Edwards have a bulletin board for just Saint Edwards since the community bulletin board is usually filled. Audrey will check on purchasing a board. Audrey will make a calendar with quarterly activities for Saint Edwards. Thank you Audrey.

The AED was discussed. There may be a training in the community that we could attend. We will keep our options open.

We will not be participating in the Art Crawl. Our name is mentioned in the booklet listing the participants. Mary called the director, and she was disappointed but understood the reason for not having the bake sale.

We will have the Christmas Bake sale the first Saturday of December. December 3. We will need people to come on Friday and pack baked items on Christmas plates and in Christmas tins.

Father Joe has indicated he would like to do a bread and cinnamon roll sale before Thanksgiving.

Mary ordered 18 (20 #) turkeys from Troy at TC's foods in Remer. Menu for the Hunter's dinner will remain the same as last year. The date of the dinner is November 5.

Mary will send Deb a summary of the Women's Council to post on the website.

The meeting adjourned at 10:30 Respectfully submitted: Kathy Andert