

President Kathy Epple called the meeting to order and led the group in prayer. There were 21 members present representing all 8 circles.

There was no treasurer's report due to the absence of the treasurer, Mary Ranallo.

Secretary's report: Minutes of last month's meeting were accepted with one correction. Mary DeFoe requested a correction regarding a statement from Sharon Herman. Statement regarding rules for serving food should read...all meals served from the church must be served from a serving line and all servers must wear masks and gloves. Take out meals and box lunches are also to be served wearing gloves and masks.

Old Business:

- Kathy Epple reported 9 people attended the video presentation on "Catholicism" after mass to view the 5th episode. Discussion afterwards included all good comments and agreement that Bishop Barron's message was excellent and gave us a lot of information to think about.

New Business:

- Kathy shared information regarding the mini retreat in Somerset on Saturday, Nov. 13. She will be attending and a few others showed interest in car pooling with her. Members will be reimbursed for the cost of the retreat.
- Elaine Ricci shared information for a planned fundraiser for the new church building. Elaine, family and volunteers will provide "to go meals" to parishioners in celebration of the Feast of St. Anthony on Sunday, January 16th mass at St. Anthony. The cost will be \$15.00 and include stuffed manicotti dinner and dessert. Members of the CCW voted to donate \$500.00 for the cost of the food.
- Kathy shared information regarding a fund raiser by selling Christmas cards. Kathy also shared information of the opportunity to "ring the bell" for the Salvation Army (call 715-651-6430 if interested). Members will consider and follow up with their own interest to the phone numbers provided. All money donated at the Cumberland location will go back to the Cumberland community.
- Members approved the motion to organize a fund raiser for the new church building fund. We will plan a variety show for April 22 or 29, depending on what date the American Legion is available to rent. The following committees and chair people have been established: Meal-Sharon Herman, Show-MaryDeFoe, Publication-Kathy Epple, Set-Up & Take-Down-Mary Frietag, Silent Auction- Liz Larson. Members were asked to save baskets for use in the silent auction.
- Valarie Kohn provided updated information regarding our donation to The Family House. The shelter has moved from Rice Lake to Barron and are providing services at the new location. The Barron County Salvation Army Director was pleased to accept our donation and would be willing to speak with our members about the program whenever we invite her.

Prayers are requested for: Geri Pederson, Cheryl Overby, Jared Pederson, Nancy Ruppel, Josh Epple, Logan Mott, Blake Siebert, and Gunner Olson.

Our next meeting will be on Monday, December 6 at 5:30 at the Parish Center.

All members joined in the prayer to St. Michael the Archangel.

Respectfully submitted: Valarie Kohn, Secretary