

President, Kathy Epple called the meeting to order with a special prayer. Kathy welcomed new member, Darlene Buckner. Total attendance from seven circles was 18. Minutes from September 12 meeting were approved.

Treasurer, Mary Ranallo was absent. Kathy Epple reported a balance in our checking account of \$20,448.48 as of Sept. 22, 2022. The balance includes the plant sale, CCW dues/bake sale, variety show income, cookbook sales, and Louie's Brat Stand. Members voted to present a check for \$13,500.00 to the church for the building fund. Kathy will talk with Father Tom or Deacon Steve to coordinate this. We also received checks and cash for cookbooks from the office totaling \$245.00, that will be added to the checking account. Checking balance minus the \$13,500.00 and plus the \$245.00 will be \$7,193.48

Review of profits/expenses from the Variety Show and Plant Sale:

Variety Show Income: \$9,240.00 Expenses: \$1,816.42 Profit \$7,423.58

Plant Sale: \$6,009.10 No expenses

Total profit from both events \$13,432.68 will go to the building fund.

Old Business:

- Cookbook Fundraiser: Current profit from cookbook sales is \$1,489.38 (includes \$245.00 just received). Members discussed keeping profit in our CCW checking account to utilize for new refrigerator in kitchen when it is needed. We are in the process of compiling a list (corrections to Michelle) and will review the cookbook for accuracy on Thursday, Oct. 6. When that is complete, there will be printed corrections available for CCW and parishioners.
- AEDs (defibrillators) are on order. St. Anthony will have 2, Sacred Heart (2) St. Ann's (1). Money has been donated by CCW's, Knights and Parish councils.
- Church Socials after Mass are going well. St. Bernadette will host October 16th.
- Sharon Rydberg volunteered to help sew baptismal gowns. We will check on this with Mary Ranallo to determine present needs.
- Kathy Epple shared that the anniversary for Father Tom's ordination went well and she also thanked all those who donated pies and helped serve.
- Rita Niebuhr reported that Ruby's Pantry distribution went well and thanked volunteers. They passed out 150 shares and were done by 10 am.

New Business:

- Sharon Herman reported the kitchen inspection went well. She explained a future need for a new refrigerator in the kitchen. Average cost to replace is about \$4,000.00. Katherine Husby will check with the Knights about cleaning oven surfaces after cooking peppers.
- Katherine Husby spoke with Diane Thorp and learned about the need of items for local school children, such as clothing size 5-8 (underwear, pants, socks, sweat pants, waterproof mittens, boots) new or lightly used condition. Kathy will prepare announcement for needed items and ask for donations. We will accept items and gift them to schools. Cumberland grade school and Ascension Academy in January.
- Sharon Herman suggested a Spaghetti Sauce & Pizzelle Fund raiser. Members agreed with the idea and suggested doing it in February around Valentines Day. Darlene Hausdorf would help coordinate with Sharon.
- Kathy Epple announced the new leader for Mother Cabrini Circle is Beth Narges.
- Discussion of new church directory was put on hold until new church is completed.
- Kathy passed around current listing of circle members and leaders to begin to update records. Toniann volunteered to make changes to our lists.

Prayers are requested for Stacia Lane, Dcn. Greg, and the people in need after Hurricane Ian.

Meeting closed with prayer

Next meeting: Monday, November 7, 2022 at 4:30 in Parish Hall

Respectfully submitted: Valarie Kohn