

Outgoing President, Rita Niebuhr opened the meeting installing Liz Larson as President, Elaine Ricci as Vice President, and Jean Erlewine installed as Chaplain. The meeting then proceeded with Liz Larson as President.

Opening prayer was said by Chaplain Jean Erlewine.

Roll call by circles was taken with 23 members present representing 7 out of 7 circles.

**Review of Minutes:** Minutes from May 12, 2025, were approved as read.

**Treasurer's Report:** The treasurer's report was given showing a balance of \$9,308.07. A donation of \$500 was received by the Knights of Columbus for help with the costs of the variety show.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

**Church Socials** after 10:30 Mass

**Sept. 21<sup>st</sup> – St Andrea**

**Dec 21<sup>st</sup> – St Rebecca**

**Mar 15<sup>th</sup> – St Theresa**

**Oct. 19<sup>th</sup> - St. Ann**

**Jan 18<sup>th</sup> - Madonna**

**Apr 19<sup>th</sup> – St Ann**

**Nov 16<sup>th</sup> – St Margaret**

**Feb 15<sup>th</sup> – St Andrea**

**May 17<sup>th</sup> – St Margaret**

A list of duties for the social is posted in the kitchen. Each leader should also have a copy. Please remember to have a gluten-free choice and fruit available along with a pot of decaf coffee.

**Maintenance to Mission Update:** Elaine R. gave an update on happenings with M2M. Two upcoming programs will be introduced in the next few weeks. The first program, an evangelization program with small group participation is called The 99. The 99 program is based on the story of the Lost Sheep, emphasizing the importance of recognizing one's own relationship with Jesus and the call to share that relationship with others.

Another M2M program is promoted by Bishop Powers and the Diocese of Superior and is called 33 Days to Eucharistic Consecration, a pilgrimage journey for deeper conversion. Each parishioner will receive the book, 33 Days to Eucharistic Consecration. More information will be shared at our next meeting.

**Community Outreach:** Liz reminded members that the collection boxes/totes remain in the area where the coat rack is off the church entry.

**The Diocesan Convention:** This was held July 31<sup>st</sup> – August 1<sup>st</sup>, with Kathy E., Elaine R., and Rita N. attending. Kathy gave a summary of the event. Kathy said it was a very good convention and that others should think about attending next year.

**The Pax Christi:** Our candidate from St. Anthony's is Katherine Husby. Liz read the dossier on Katherine's life, which was done by Darlene Bratager. A bouquet of flowers was presented to Katherine.

**Louie's Brat Stand:** Rita reported the brat stand from May 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> brought in \$1,278.25. She mentioned we may need more volunteers to make more bars for this event.

Katherine said there are two openings to do another brat stand this year, one is on the weekend of September 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> and another weekend opening on October 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>. Discussion followed, however, there did not seem to be much interest in doing a weekend at this time.

**Blood Bank:** Rita reported on the blood bank that was held on Tuesday, July 15, 2025. Lunch was provided with a pasta salad, pulled pork sandwiches, and cookies. Sandwiches for the donors were made on that morning. To date, no bill has been received from Louie's Finer Meats.

**Fall Variety Show:** Each committee chair reported on the status of their committee. To date, 89 tickets have been sold. After discussion, food for 140 people will be ordered. It was mentioned that servers should dress appropriately.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

**Superior Diocese Women's Retreat:** Think about attending this retreat to be held at Trinity Woods on January 31, 2026 – February 1, 2026, or February 7, 2026 – February 8, 2026.

**Cluster Parishes CCW Dinner:** Elaine R threw out the idea of having a CCW dinner where the women of all three parish would get together. Since this is just an idea, no plans have been made as of yet, but members thought this would be a good idea.

**Prayer Requests:** Prayers are asked for: The Donatelles—Jim, Jean, and Robert; also, Elizabeth Ricci, Peggy Kinney, and Jean Erlewine.

**Support Ministry:** Please call Rosemary Rydberg (715-419-1940) with any requests for Get Well Wishes – Prayers – Support – Sympathy.

The meeting was adjourned and closed with prayer.

**NOTE: The next CCW meeting will be held on Monday, October 13, 2025, at 3:00 pm.**

Respectfully submitted,  
Mary A. Ricci