WSH Board Meeting February 13, 2025

Attendance: Janet Duffy, Christa Blake, Kathy Flautt, Denise Price

Opening devotional – Kathy Flautt

Agenda:

- *Nominating committee Janet gave the update. At the April meeting we will nominate those already on the committee at the General Meeting. If any nominations are made from the floor they will be entertained.
- *Thankyous from disbursements and Nancy Paulsen's funeral Janet announced that several are from WSH disbursements from Elphie, the deacons, and Nancy Paulsen's family.
- *Golf update Kathy Flautt reported that she and Ann Leonard met with Stephen Cryan on January 17, 2025. We established the pricing. It will be \$75 for golf and lunch (Longleaf members pay for lunch only \$25). The menu was set and the room configuration was discussed. We will be selling Mulligans at \$5 each (one per player). Last year WSH gave \$180 for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place prizes. WSH will contribute again this year. Closest to the pin, longest drive, and tips will come from money collected from Mulligans. To date we have 43 players registered. The max is 48 players.
- *Veteran's baskets Joan Ward will speak at the General Meeting about donations. A discussion about gifts cards came up. Joan will ask for increments of \$25 for food gift cards.
- *Treasurer's report Denise Price reported. The Christmas luncheon went over \$221 which was the cost for WSH guests. WSH is still in good financial standings.
- *Trinkets for March games Janet will collect the gifts for the March games. The March speaker has not confirmed. If we have no speaker, we will play more games.
- *Membership update post letters Helen sent our several gentle reminder letters to those who have not paid. There was some confusion with payments. Some may have paid and their payments were not posted to WSH. Denise will check into this.
- 115 paid members, 70 lifetime members, 34 unpaid from last year
- *Future lunches March 3/23 International Luncheon will be posted in the bulletin.

April 4/10 Soup – the soups will be limited to 8. The alphabet will be split for those not bringing soup.

May 5/8 Panera – Regina will coordinate this luncheon event.

Meeting adjourned 9:50

WSH General Meeting February 13, 2025

Pinehurst Golf Capital Course – Surprise entertainment! This organization gives all proceeds collected back to Moore County charities.

Raffle Tickets – Joan, Sandy, Paula Hospitality – Anne, Virginia, Sue, Kit

Opening – Prayer led by Christa followed by the pledge.

New Member – Susan Carlisle

February birthdays – 4 birthdays were celebrated

<u>Thank you</u> – The thank you from Nancy Paulson's family was read to the membership.

Golf Outing - – Kathy Flautt reported on the event. It will be \$75 for golf and lunch. We will be selling Mulligans at \$5 each (one per player). WSH provides 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place prizes. Closest to the pin, longest drive, and tips will come from money collected from Mulligans. To date we have 43 players registered. The max is 48 players.

<u>Veteran's Baskets</u> – Joan Ward provided a list of suggested items. The final pickup will be 4/10/25. Sample baskets will be presented at the March meeting. Last year 47 baskets were donated to the VA in Carthage. Food cards at increments of \$25 was suggested. Baskets can be dropped off in Jeanne's office or the Gathering Area in the church.

March Games – Trinkets will be collected by Janet as Lea is dealing with the results of a kitchen fire.

Treasury Report – Denise Price reported that WSH is still in good financial standing.

<u>Membership</u> – In Helen's absence, Janet reported that WSH has 120+ paid members, 70 lifetime members, and notes were sent to 34 unpaid members. All members are welcome at anytime.

Future Luncheons – Janet presented the following:

March – The International theme luncheon will be open to any dishes members wish to share.

April – Soup (contact Janet if you are bringing soup as there will be a limit of 8). The alphabet will be split for lunch items and deserts for those not bringing soup.

May – A Panera luncheon will be organized by Regina. More information will come.

50/50 Winners – Susan Carlisle (new member) and Debbie Hoffmann won \$54 each.

<u>Guest Speaker</u> – Life Care Pregnancy Center (LCPC)

Kathy Wharton thanked the WSH members for their donations and the hospitality committee for the beautiful decorations. WSH wrote words of inspiration / prayers for the women supported by LCPC. A "Guess the number of Teddy Grahams" was enjoyed by all.

History – Mary Stevens's son volunteered at the LCPC.

LCPC – Barbara Lamblin explained the end of the year flyers on the tables and bumper stickers on the tables. She also provided some information about the LCPC. They've been serving the community for 33 years. Last year 215 women were serviced. 70% of these women are unattended. The #1 support for a pregnant woman is a man. The #2 support is time. She also detailed the NC law on abortions. She introduced the guest speaker, Jeff.

LCPC guest speaker – Jeff (mentors men)

Everything he and the LCPC does is about Jesus. For a transformation to take place, the client comes to know Christ and that abortion is wrong. He gave the point of view of both the mother and father. He explained that just being prolife is not enough. Jeff gave the statistics on men who support impregnated woman, abortion, and the lives saved by organizations like LCPC. Jeff also provided information about the Summit Meeting held in Moore County. He noted that no pasters from the 8 largest churches in the area attended. Jeff is in need of women encouraging men to get involved with PCPC. He is currently involved in a study - faith without works is dead.

Jeff closed his presentation with a beautiful prayer.

He then entertained a short Q & A session.

Lunch was enjoyed by WSH and LCPC attendees.