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ALTAR SOCIETY—APRIL 2025 -- NEWSLETTER

On April 6th our monthly meeting was held after morning Mass in the Centennial Room. Thirteen members and all officers attended.

The Bylaws Committee presented a proposal for two changes to consider: to change the name of the society from “Altar Society of the Visitation Parish” to “Church of the Visitation Altar Society”; and to delete the requirement of members to attend Mass and receive Holy Communion for a deceased member. These two proposals were approved.

Easter flowers were ordered and should arrive on Good Friday. The Society will purchase an altar cloth for the Table of Sacrifice, a cope, and five corporals—per Father Darrell’s request. Four Scholarship applications were turned in to be reviewed by a committee from St. Jerome’s in Waco.

We will host socials after Sunday Mass for: 1st Holy Communion—May 4th—please bring food of your choice to share; Graduation Mass—May 18th—donuts will be served; Confirmation—July 12th—lemonade and cookies (from Sams) for the social.

The church cleaning list is being worked on. If you need to be dropped from the list (for health reasons) let an officer know.

It was decided to have a “Craft Show” in November this year—without the quilt display—making it possible to allow more vendors. The cost for a booth/vendor will remain the same.

The last item on the meeting’s agenda was election of officers: Peggy Wilkey moves to the office of President; Catherine Kahlig will serve as our Vice-President; Rita Kleypas—Secretary; Pauline Hoelscher—Treasurer. The installation of officers followed.

The ADCCW Convention (since this newsletter is written afterwards) was attended by four of our society members—including Renae Willberg who was the President-elect and was installed to serve as President of the ADCCW until the next convention.

Reminders:

- Killeen/Temple Deanery meeting on May 21st at St. Mary’s in Temple
- Rural Mass at St. Monica’s in Cameron on August 28th at 6 pm.

Seminarians Info: (let’s support them w/ prayers, cards, etc.)

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