

Women of St. Joseph Meeting Minutes

March 15, 2018

Welcome: President Irene Schmidt opened the meeting at 9:30 a.m.

Opening Prayer: Trish Gaine prayed the opening prayer.

Salute to the Cross and Salute to the Flag: Irene Schmidt led the Salute to the Cross and Salute to the Flag.

Program: Speaker cancelled due to arrival of new family member. President Irene Schmidt asked Karelene Olson to speak about evangelization and discussed some of the items that were available to be checked out. This includes CD's, books EWTN program schedules.

Treasurer's Report: Pat Orella reported on the income and expenses for the past month.

Secretary's Report: Paulette gave the report. The revised minutes for January were accepted. Trish Gaine moved the minutes be accepted and Donna Conn seconded. The revised February minutes were accepted. Jacquelyn Witte moved the minutes be accepted and Lillian Wood seconded.

Old Business:

Nominations or volunteers for the Vice-President and Secretary positions must be received in April so the board members be installed at the May meeting.

Coffee Hour: Karelene Olson is the Coffee Hour coordinator. Need 2 members to help after the 8:30 mass and 3 to help after the 10:30 mass. Individuals can also sign up to bring snack items.

Bulletin Board: Karelene asked to be removed. Gloria Knapp volunteered to help with the bulletin board along with Irene Pierro. The display put together by Linda Mitchell was found. Part of the display may be used for the bulletin board.

Graduation Reception: Date is still unknown. Once known, plans can be made.

Rummage Sale: Dates are April 13 & 14. Set up dates are April 11 & 12. Still need volunteers to help with this event.

September Tea Party: Under discussion. Would like to make simpler. Suggestion was made that individuals could manage and decorate their own table. Ella Shepard and Karelene Olson agreed to put a plan together for discussion at the April Meeting.

New Business:

Tag production party for Autumn Bazaar on May 9th at 1 pm in the hall. All are invited to help.

Sewing Club: Ella Shepard has volunteered to chair this group.

Keys for the WSJ Cupboards: Please give your key to Irene Schmidt. We have board members that need a key.

Announcements: John McGrath attended many funeral receptions. He loved attending them. His daughter, Kathleen Blum donated \$250 to the WSJ due to his praises. The \$250 donation was discussed and it was decided that this money would go towards buying 25 tablecloths for the Parish Hall.

Next meeting: April 19th, 2018. Treats - Lillian Wood; Opening Prayer – Irene Schmidt; Closing Prayer – Donna Conn.

Closing prayer was led by Pat Orella;

Respectfully Submitted,

Paulette Edison