

## Women of St. Joseph Meeting Minutes

October 19, 2017

President Linda Mitchell opened the meeting at 9:30 am.

Paulette Edison prayed the opening prayer.

President Linda Mitchell led the Salute to the Cross and the Salute to the Flag.

**New Business:** Trish Gaine introduced the Guest Speaker Joanne Kidd. Joanne explained how the Sequim Community Helping Kids can help teachers and students during the school year at the two elementary schools. Brochures were passed out. Members of WSJ can help in different areas.

**Secretary's Report:** Paulette Edison read the minutes from the September 21 meeting. Sharon Ross moved that the minutes be accepted. Jacqueline Witte seconded the motion.

**Treasurer's Report:** Pat Orella reported the current balances and any expenses.

**Announcements:** The next meeting date is November 16, 2017, beginning at 9:30 am.

Guest Speaker is Emily Sly from the Sequim Library.

Opening prayer will be led by Joeline Perri

Closing prayer will be led by Karelene Olson

Setup and Treats – Grace Knapp and Linda Mellon

**Old Business: Irene Schmidt** reported on the Autumn Bazaar. She discussed the plans for pricing and costs. A tag party is planned for November 2 in the classroom from 1 to 3 pm. Judy Price reported on the publicity adds submitted to different vendors. A post Bazaar meeting will be held to discuss the good and bad of the Bazaar.

**Trish Gaine** discussed the silent auction and the baskets raffle. Trish will wrap the baskets which can be given to her at the tag party.

**Christmas Gathering:** Karelene Olson will help coordinate the gathering.

Closing: Linda reminded the members that we were responsible for the Coffee Hour on October 22. Additional members signed up to help.

Closing prayer was led by Trish Gaine. Meeting was adjourned at 10:58 am.

Respectfully Submitted

Paulette Edison