

# **ST. ANNE'S SODALITY MEETING**

**MARCH 6, 2023**

President Doris Frank called the meeting to order. The meeting was opened with a prayer to St. Anne for Marlene Haller. There were six members present.

The minutes from the January 9, 2023 meeting were read by Secretary Diane Rackers. Carol Siegler said that the minutes should be corrected to say that Doris Frank delivered donated items to RACS. A motion was made by Sarah Siegler and seconded by Carol Siegler to approve the minutes with the correction. The motion carried.

President Doris Frank presented the financial report. Income since the January meeting totaled \$1,162.00 and expenses totaled \$1,073.68. Expenses include a \$100 donation to the Vitae Foundation. A motion was made by Diane Rackers and seconded by Doris Neier to approve the financial report. The motion carried.

## **Old Business:**

Doris Neier checked with Anna Marie Strobe who felt that she had plenty of tea towels on hand, so we will plan to cut up additional towel fabric at the May sodality meeting. Carol Siegler brought in 10 sets of tea towels that she has hemmed and Sarah has bleached. She said she has an additional 11 sets at home to be hemmed and bleached. The set of 7 tea towels and Bass Pro gift card donation to the Sacred Heart and School Silent Auction brought \$200.

The first order of votive candles from I. Donnelly has been received. The cost was \$834.68.

The March-April collection is for St. Raymond's Society. Sarah Siegler is coordinating this collection and has put up post-it-notes in church. Diane will look up the contact for St. Raymond's Society and send it to Sarah.

Diane sent valentines along with a prayer card to 11 parishioners in nursing homes or homebound.

## **New Business:**

Diane has updated the Sodality Work Groups. She has posted a list without phone number on the bulletin boards in the back of church. She emailed work group chairpersons the list of their work group members. Two possible additions for next year were noted.

Doris Frank has checked with Janice Boessen regarding Western Catholic Union matches for 2023. We were given \$200 each for two events or a total of \$400. After some discussion, it was decided to use the total \$400 match for the picnic auction.

The sodality bake sale is scheduled for April 15 & 16. Work Group 3 will be coordinating.

Doris Frank mentioned there some confusion about who has the keys to the cabinet of religious articles in the back of church. It was assumed that Marlene Haller and Jeanette Kramer had the keys. Diane mentioned that the sodality has not sold religious articles at recent picnics and fall festivals. Doris Frank will contact Marlene to find out if she will continue to be in charge of religious articles for the sodality. Janie Wallace considered taking it over, but then decided she was too busy with other things to do it.

The sodality collection for May is for the Good Shepherd Center. Diane offered to do the post-it-notes. Doris Frank will get a School's Out food list from them.

The next meeting is scheduled for May 1, 2023. There will be a Salad Supper starting at 6:30 pm. All members should bring a salad.

The meeting was adjourned with a prayer to St. Anne for Fred Bethmann, Sr.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane Rackers  
Secretary