ST. ANNE'S SODALITY MEETING

MARCH 3, 2025

President Carol Sieger called the meeting to order. There were eleven members present. The meeting was opened with a prayer to St. Anne for Don Pearon.

The minutes from the February 3, 2025 meeting were read by Secretary Diane Rackers. A motion was made by Joyce Neuner and seconded by Doris Neier to approve the minutes. The motion carried.

Treasurer Janie Wallace presented the financial report. Income since the February meeting totaled \$772.30 and expenses totaled \$1,315.40. Income included a donation of \$200 from the Mary Lou Zeilman family and \$95 in sodality dues. Expenses included \$250 in scrip given to Linda Neuner in honor of her 50th teaching anniversary. A motion was made by Diane Rackers and seconded by Karen Goodenough to approve the financial report. The motion carried.

Correspondence:

A thank you note was received from Carol Rudroff thanking the sodality for the valentine and prayer card.

A thank you note was received from Linda Neuner thanking the sodality for the generous gift the sodality gave her in honor of her 50th teaching anniversary.

Received Birthright of Mid-Missouri newsletter that included a thank you to the sodality for contributions to Birthright.

Old Business:

Diane reported that there are 14 sets of 7 and 35 single tea towels available for sale. Doris Neier reported that there are 5 stamped singles available in the quilting room. The sodality received \$113.50 from sale of tea towels in Joyce Neuner's booth during November and December 2024. After the meeting, sodality members cut up the remaining two rolls of 200 yards of tea towel fabric. Wilma Laughlin from Frankenstein Parish asked to purchase 9 sets of 7 tea towels cut 22" wide. This request was approved by sodality officers. Doris estimated the amount to charge Frankenstein Parish for the 9 sets of tea towels as \$103.95 (38½ yards x \$2.70 a yard).

Doris Frank plans to send care packages to college students again in the spring and Jace Eisterhold in May.

Holly Krieg volunteered to work on the flower arrangements for the high altar in church. Holly will check out the flowers available in church and report on anything needed at the May meeting.

Janie Wallace has talked with Cat Scheulen about flowers for the pots outside of church. Cat will let Janie know the cost when she purchases the flowers.

Diane Rackers reported that she sent 15 valentines along with prayer cards from the sodality's religious articles to parishioners in nursing homes and homebound in addition to Donna Plassmeyer and Lorraine Rehagen.

Diane asked about confirmation for the matches from Western Catholic Union and Catholic Financial Life. Doris Neier volunteered to contact Geralyn Kleffner and Shirley Hasenbeck to confirm the matches.

Diane reported that she updated the sodality work group list and posted a copy without phone numbers on the bulletin boards in the back of church. She noted in the sodality minutes placed in the bulletin that the list was updated and posted.

New Business:

Carol Siegler will notify Work Group 4 about coordinating the April 26-27 Bake Sales. Sarah Siegler volunteered to coordinate the St. Raymond's Society collection in March. Diane Rackers, Doris Frank and Karen Goodenough volunteered to coordinate the Good Shepherd Center School's Out Collection in May.

Linda Neuner reported that there are three high school graduates this year. Doris Frank reported that there are visor clips in the cabinet of religious articles.

Diane asked about selling religious articles at the picnic and fall festival. Karen Goodenough asked about selling religious articles at the April Bake Sales. Carol suggested putting an announcement in the bulletin that religious articles are available for sale. Someone suggested selling religious articles at the picture settings for the new parish picture directory. Linda Neuner volunteered to help Doris Frank with religious articles.

The next meeting is scheduled for May 5, 2025. The salad supper will be at 6:00 pm followed by the meeting at 6:30 pm.

The meeting was adjourned with a prayer to St. Anne for the Bill Bax, Shelly Herzing, Lorraine Rehagen and Pope Francis.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane Rackers Secretary