

ST. ANNE'S SODALITY MEETING

MARCH 2, 2026

President Sarah Siegler called the meeting to order. There were nine members present. The meeting was opened with a prayer to St. Anne for Marlene Haller and Jessica Luebbert.

The minutes from the January 5, 2026 meeting were read by Secretary Diane Rackers. A motion was made by Doris Neier and seconded by Joyce Neuner to approve the minutes. The motion carried.

Treasurer Janie Wallace presented the financial report. Income since the January meeting totaled \$1,294.50. Income included a total donation of \$125 from the Bernadine Pope family and \$200 from the Joey Neuner family for funeral meals served, \$160 in history books sold and \$15 in religious articles sold. Expenses totaled \$1,024.08. 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 along with \$200 was received from the Joey Neuner family thanking the sodality for serving the funeral meal.

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

A newsletter was received from Birthright that included a thank you for the October collection donations.

Old Business:

Diane reported that there are 3 sets of 7 and 12 individual tea towels in the school basement. Joyce Neuner reported that she has 2 sets and a dozen individual tea towels in her booth. The tea towels donated to the Sacred Heart School Auction brought \$75 for a set of 6 and \$90 for a set of 7 for a total of \$165. A total of \$182.50 in tea towels were sold since the January meeting. There are still sets of tea towels to be embroidered in the quilting room.

Doris Frank will send out care packages in April when the students are taking finals.

Janie will wait for Cat Scheulen to contact her with the price of summer flowers for the flower pots in front of church.

New Business:

Work Group 2 was assigned to coordinate the April 11-12 bake sales.

Sarah Siegler is coordinating the March collection for St. Raymond's Society.

Diane Rackers and Doris Frank will coordinate the May School's Out collection for the Good Sheperd Food Pantry.

Doris Frank has ordered additional religious articles for this year's high school graduates. It was decided to only give gifts to the high school graduates as done in the past. President Sarah Siegler offered to present the gifts to the high school graduates after graduation mass. Holly Neuner will try to get a count on the number of high school graduates this year.

The sodality will donate \$50 for the 8th grade graduation party and \$100 for the end of school party. Janie will get a check to Debbie Reinkemeyer.

Other Topics

Diane Rackers sent valentines and prayer cards to 11 parishioners who are in nursing homes or homebound including Lorraine Rehagen and Donna Plassmeyer. Doris Neier suggested that Georgia Mebruer be added to the homebound list. Diane will check with Georgia to see if she wants to be added.

Doris Neier reported that she has heard from Shirley Hasenbeck and Geralyn Kleffner about the Catholic Financial Life and Western Catholic Union matches. The exact amount of the matches is not yet known.

Karen Goodenough discussed a Catholic Missourian article about the Blessing Barrel being done at St. Martin's parish. There doesn't seem to be a place for the Blessing Barrel in our church. It was decided to continue the bi-monthly collections coordinated by the sodality.

The next meeting is scheduled for May 4, 2026. There will be a salad supper at 6:00 pm in the quilting room followed by the meeting at 6:30 pm.

The meeting was adjourned with a prayer to St. Anne for Melissa Koengsfeld and the military in Iran.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane Rackers
Secretary

