Sacred Heart Parish Council of Catholic Women (Rosary Society) October 14, 2024, 1:00 pm Meeting

Opening Prayer was led by Arleen Gross, President PCCW.

Reports:

1. Reading & approval of September 9, 2024, meeting – Chris Zinda

Debbie Adamski moved approval of the September 9, 2024 minutes. Ann Omernik seconded. Motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

2. Financial Report – Judy Wroblewski

St. Ambrose PCCW General account - \$4,929.52

St. Ambrose Seminarian account - \$2,274.58

St. Ambrose PCCW Cookbook account - \$3,512.42

St. Ambrose PCCW Station of the Cross account - \$7,065.03

General checking account - \$6,6705.99

Sue Wanta moved approval of the financial report. Seconded by Debbie Adamski.

3. Communications

The PCCW received a card from the Shamrowicz family. "Thank you for the card and your love and support!"

Old Business

1. Cookbook Account

Betty Kowalski agreed that the cookbook fund should be switched to the St. Ambrose General Account. She said that this was the "end of cookbooks." People can look up recipes on the web and they cook differently now.

New Business:

1. Susanna Lepak – Steak night update

Suzanna and Kent Lepak are coordinators this year. The PCCW is responsible for the coffee, salads, deserts, mushrooms, onions and carry outs. Salad making will be on Friday starting between 7:00-7:30 a..m. At noon setting up tables will begin. Audrey Gagas will contact volunteers to set up tables. Karen Klesmith will purchase the food. Suzanna informed the ladies that 14 oz. steaks are being purchased from Country Meats. 400 steaks were ordered. Last year 366 tickets were sold. At the end of the night all steaks were sold.

This year the take home styrofoam boxes are half the size of the full sized to go meal boxes. Only one box per person.

Waitress shared ideas that could be used at the upcoming steak meal

Signs will be put up to "Register with the Hostess". An announcement for volunteers will be placed in the bulletin.

2. Kathy Groshek – Christmas Cookie Sale

The sale dates will be December 14 & 15 before and after masses. Cookie prep will start on Tuesday and continue throughout the week. They will be cooled one day and packed the next day. Considering baking ten different cookies. Kathy supplied samples for the ladies to taste. The kitchen only has five small cookie sheets because of how the ovens bake. Members were asked to bring their own sheets but mark them with your name. Baking would be from 12:00 to 4:00. They will be packaged in clear plastic containers with a donated ribbon on top. An announcement could be placed in the bulletin and perhaps in other churches. It was suggested that if it is opened up to other churches to start selling them at 2:00 p.m. Kathy had index cards with individual ingredients that are needed for the cookies. Members were asked to take a card and bring the item to the November meeting. Cost will be finalized at the November meeting.

3. Soup Sale Help Times

The sale will take place on Octofber 26th and 27th with orders ending Saturday, October 19th. Noodles will be made on Wednesday, vegetable prep on Thursday a.m. and fix the soup on Friday, bottling soup on Saturday morning. A worker sign up sheet was passed around at the meeting.

- 4. Steak Night help Times and sign-up sheets were passed around at the meeting.
- 5. Sixty year and plus member Mass is Saturday, October 19 for Dorothy Gagas, Phyllis Kedrowicz, Pauline Bembenek and Grace Gagas
- 6. Felician celebration November 21st update

About 100 people will be attending. Arleen Gross and Betty Ostrowski have made 72 cabbage rolls, and will be cooking Polish food. Michelle's restaurant will be catering. PCCW will provide deserts. Students will be singing at mass and are making placemats for the tables.

7. Christmas Party Planning

The party is scheduled for January 5th. Delores Lepak moved that Boothleggers be contacted. Debbie Adamski seconded. Motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

8. Early Voting

Barb Kurszewski announced that, for the Town of Sharon, Early Voting will be held on October 26th from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

9. PCCW Dates 2024 – 2025 Changes

March 2 Bingo Party will be held on March 13 April 17 Senior Bingo will be held on April 10

Arleen will be asking Veronica to post the dates on the web-site and it will be updated if any changes need to be made.

Next meeting scheduled at 1:00 pm Monday, November 11, 2024. Sign up for desserts.

Thank you to Judy Wroblewski, Barb Kurszewski, and Audrey Gagas for October meeting desserts and Debbie Adamski for the soup.

"So whether you eat or drink or whatever you do, do it for the glory of God" 1 Corinthians 10:31

Arleen Gross said the Prayer for Peace by Pope John II as the closing prayer.