



Monday, April 8, 2024 Venue: St. Thomas Church, Fireside Room

Officer's Name	Title	Present
Patti Hanken	President	X
Becky Larkin	Vice President	X
Carol Mitchell	Recording Secretary	X
Laurel Cupper	Treasurer	X
Father Saji	Pastor	
Father Cunningham	Parochial Vicar	

Meeting Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 1:00PM

- Mary Lehnertz led the group in an opening prayer.
- The minutes of the previous meeting, having been distributed to all present, were approved as written. A thank you note from Father Reeves on the occasion of his birthday was read.
- The Treasurer reported a checkbook balance of \$10,530.00 as of April 8, 2024

4. Reports of Committees

Year-Round Activities		Updates plus any issues to discuss.
Altar Care	Yes	More help is needed to help clean sacred vessels .
Altar Flowers & Holidays	Yes	The 24 Easter lilies that adorned the altar were purchased, in part by the leftover proceeds from poinsettia donations. Lori Sharp volunteered to care for the large flower pots in front of the church on both sides of the main doors.
Coffee and Donuts	Yes	Going well. Could still use more permanent help after the 10:00 mass
Quilting	Yes	The fabric (green and beige tones) has been purchased and is mostly cutout.



Funeral Luncheons	Yes	The funeral luncheon For Dick Milroy will be on April 20 in the gymnasium . A committee, headed by Patti, will provide a write-up for the Church office manager that can be used to let families know what the AS provides for Funeral Luncheons.
Sunshine/Homebound/Meal Ministry	Yes	It was reiterated that cards will be sent from the AS for deceased parishioners, masses offered upon request. Jan sent around a signup sheet for meals to be taken to Father Todd (surgery May 24)
Religious Gift Counter	Yes	It's a busy time at the gift counter with first communions and confirmations!!

6. OLD BUSINESS:

- Men's Conference March 16,2024 90 men attended. Janet Nesbitt, Becky Larkin, and Mary Lehnertz were thanked for all their help!

7. NEW BUSINESS

- Officer Elections : The present officers were thanked for their past two years of service. A nominating committee of Marjorie Joll, Mary Lehnertz, and Carol Mitchell was appointed. They will present a slate of officers for the upcoming two years at the May luncheon/meeting.
- Spring Cookie Sale : A beautiful flier was passed around. Cookie sale to be held April 27-28 after all masses. Lots of cookies are needed. Raffle tickets for the beautiful quilt donated by Patti Hanken will be sold at \$5.00 each! Cost of cookies: 18 cookies (3 bags of six) for \$5.00. ALL proceeds will go to the building fund. Much discussion followed as to the need to do two cookie sales a year. It was decided to only have the December Cookie Sale and Raffle
- Rummage Sale, July 12-13 : The chairmen for this event (Patti H, Becky L., Marjorie J, Mary L and Julie C.) will meet in May for a planning session!
- May meeting: Will be held May 13th in the side vestibule with officers providing desserts, AS providing chicken, and others providing side dishes.

8. The meeting was closed by President Patti at 2:15 following a closing prayer.

Next Meeting —- May 13, 2024 @ 12:00pm in the Side Vestibule (Potluck)

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