QUEEN OF THE APOSTLES PCCW MEETING May 15, 2025

The meeting was called to order with a prayer and the pledge at 4:03 pm by Natalie Divyak.

Fourteen women were present.

Approval of the April minutes: Anna Ledvina, 2nd- Jan Koranda

<u>Correspondence</u> A thank-you note was received from the Neighbor for Neighbor for our donation.

Treasurer's Report Current balance is \$9,240.50. This report was filed for audit.

Pastors' Update No report

Commission Reports

• Spirituality: "One" by unknown author was read.

• Service: No report.

• Leadership: No report.

Committee Reports

- Martha's Group: A bulletin notice will be placed, requesting helpers for the 6 funeral groups.
- Rosary: A good representation was present for the rosary for Fran Pollard and Leila Moseley.
- **Kitchen**: If you need anything please contact Sue Murphy.
- Guild Update: Please contact Barb Cram with guild member changes: 608-372-2580 or johnbarbcram@gmail.com
- **Respect for Life:** Right to Life dinner is planned for 6:30pm, June 24 at Pizone's. The theme is "Human from Day One". Angela Copenhaver will be the speaker. Tickets will be available the beginning of May from any MCRTL member. Cost: \$40.
- Church Cleaning: Jan Koranda, as well as Anna Mae Rudolph are retiring from this position. Thank you, Jan and Anna Mae, for your many years of service! These women have set up church cleaning schedules for St. Mary's and St. Andrew's that now, only require someone to update and implement them on an annual basis. Please consider chairing this committee. Contact Natalie or Carol.

Old Business

• Charitable Distributions: These organizations received the designated amount by unanimous vote: Anna Ledvina, 2nd Monica Haun

Teacher Development at Steubenville OH for QA staff \$1600

Youth Conference \$1000

Support for Kathy Flatoff (Maryknoll Missioners) \$1000

Family Promise of Great River (Jackson & Monroe Counties) for upgrading security \$1000

Queen of the Apostles 7 grade supplies \$1000

Wisconsin Right to Life \$300

Funeral crucifix for caskets \$100

- Coffee Social Report: Tabled.
- Sunshine Committee: Correspondence from Cheryl Baumgarten, very touching.
- Spring Gathering: Held at St. Mary's Ridge Catholic Church, 8 QA members attended.
- **Divine Mercy Collection:** \$1672 was collected and sent to LCDCCW to provide services to the diocese.
- **Honorary Luncheon:** Honored a little over 60 members. A special thank-you to Mrs. Wacker's QA school choir, Melanie Frei, and Barb Zupancich for their lovely musical presentations! Thank you to all who attended!

New Business

- Mary's Garden: Executive decision to allocate \$200 for present garden upkeep. Next meeting to discuss adding to budgeted items.
- Rummage & Bake Sale: Verifying department head availability. Currently setting up the sign-up sheets and bulletin inserts.

Future Events

- May 21 Confirmation Reception St. Dorothy/Joan
- June 10 21 Rummage Sale Setup and Collections
- June 27-29 QA Rummage & Bake Sale
- September 22 Rural Life Day at Van Wychen Cranberry Marsh
- October 11 Deanery Share Shop at KC Hall
- November 8 Fall Gathering here, at QA

Prayer Intention: For mental health issues and to help find the help they need.

Next meeting: Thursday, June 19 at 4pm. Conference Room (upstairs)

Meeting adjourned at 5: 36 pm. Sue Murphy, 2nd Ruth Ann Schober

Respectfully Submitted, Rose Vanderbloemen