

St. Paul Parish CCW Meeting

Thursday, September 10, 2026

St. Paul's CCW met Thursday, September 10, 2026 in the Church Social Hall following a Patriotic Rosary for the States in the US by Marianne Schotzko. Roll call was taken with 12 members present.

The Secretary's Report from our last meeting on May 7, 2026 were reviewed and approved as written. There were no minutes from the Executive Board meeting held on June 4, 2026 where our 2026-2027 Parish Handbook was reviewed and changes made. They can be picked up in the back of church now.

Treasurer's Report: Balance on hand on May 7, 2026 was \$2,643.06. We received \$150 from the Family of Tom Maloney. Other expenses included reimbursement to Leah Eischen for CCD final classes DQ Treats-\$67.03/Flowers for Mother's Day-\$30.72/Mini Flashlights for Father's Day-\$65.00 and she put together a Silent Auction basket- \$30.00 for our Silent Auction held in May for a total of \$192.75. Thank You Leah for all of your help and time to do all of these things 😊 Other expenses: Donated \$50 towards the Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Collection, Flower garden/planters expense. Our May 17, 2026 Brunch (Free Will Offering) brought in \$288.75. Dues collected from members was \$115.00, for a Balance on Hand of \$2,846.78.

National CCW Dues of \$100 were paid. June, July, August Income received included \$110 from the Family of Bernice Goldschmidt. The St. Paul/St. Mary Financial Catholic United donated \$1,500 to put towards the purchase of a flower cooler and another \$1,000 to use by the CCW for their ongoing expenses, etc. A \$10 stipend towards a Mass on 10/11/26 for CCW Sunday and Living & Deceased Members of the CCW was also approved and paid. We will also have a scheduled Mass in May of 2027 and October, 2027.

The Annual Sauerkraut and Sausage Dinner is on October 25, 2026 and motion was made to donate \$50 towards the General Raffle Ticket and \$50 towards dinner expenses. Motion was made to purchase a new larger coffee pot. One of the 100 cup pots has been leaking and the 50 cup given to us by Catholic United quite a few years ago has not been working also. Suggestion is to purchase a new 50 cup coffee maker. Also discussed purchasing a couple new roasters – some of them are in pretty rough shape and are getting old.

Deanery 1 Fall Gathering is on Tuesday, September 29, 2026 at St. Mary's in Arlington, MN. Registration is at 5:00pm, Mass 5:30pm, Dinner at 6:15pm and Speaker is at 7:00pm. The speaker is Geri Groebner of New Ulm and is talking about "Dementia Friends" – Helping to become better friends to individuals, living with & caring for those with dementia.

Sunday, September 27, 2026 is our CCW Egg Bake Brunch serving from 11:00am to noon in the Church Social Hall. It is a Free Will Offering and it is also our Annual Kick-off for our Phantom Bake Sale (running the month of October) and Salvation Army's "Bundle Me Warm" coat drive collection (new or clean/gently used winter coats) which is one of our Service Projects this year. We will be making 8 pans of "Fr. Guetter's Recipe" egg bake and nine pans of rolls (4-caramel, 3-cinnamon, 2-orange caramel). Other items to purchase for the brunch include 4 bags diced ham, gallon of milk, 3 lbs butter (Joyce Moldan will get this), 14 dozen eggs, 2 gallons juice and disposable pans. Paper plates were checked. We were also going to check with Karla Fischer to see if the Confirmation students could help out for a Community Service Project.

October 4, 2026 is Respect Life Sunday. October 11, 2026 is CCW Recognition Sunday – Marianne Schotzko will do a bulletin insert of what St. Paul CCW has done throughout the year.

Shepherd of the Field: Fr. Michael Doyle – Church of St. Anthony, PO Box 409, Watkins, MN (Birthday January 28 and Ordination June 3, 1989)

7 Sisters Apostolate (Fr. Nathan Hansen): Marianne S.–Sunday; Joyce M.–Monday; Judy A.–Tuesday; Denice E.–Wednesday; Marge P.–Thursday; Lori S.–Friday; Cecelia Z.– Saturday.

Diocesan Service Projects this year: Grandma's House (Contact-Deanery 1 Diocesan-Jane Zimmerman-Service Chair Person)

Our own Service Project – Community – Birthday Kits for Food Shelf (donating \$300 and making up 14 kits this year). Also motion made to donate to "Carter's Fund" for a Community Service Project. M/S/C Jody C/MaryAnnS.

Meeting Adjourned at 9:00pm Prayer Partners were exchanged and closing Prayer was recited.

Secretary,



Sue McMullen

Circle that serves the next funeral: St. Martha's

Next Meeting is 7:00pm October 1st