

WOMEN'S ORGANIZATION MEETING MINUTES

October 2, 2026

Attending:

Holly Prince-Kessler, Nan Rusczyk, Melinda Bender, Elyce Reynolds, Cathy Buck, Susan Turner, Kristen Fleck, Greg Fleck and Mary Todor

Opening Prayer:

The meeting was open by praying the Hail Mary.

Secretary's Report:

M. Todor read the minutes from the meeting of September 11, 2026. There were two corrections: The St Theresa Retreat will be at Our Lady of Lourdes, not St Ann. The second correction was the next meeting is November 6, 2026 not November 2, 2026.

Treasurer's Report:

C. Buck presented the Treasurer's Report

Sunshine:

No Report

Mass Card/Correspondence:

No Mass cards were sent since the last meeting, however, Joseph Roman passed away this week and a Mass card will be sent to his family.

Fall Festival Pierogi:

There were approximately 51 dozen pierogies not sold at the Festival. There were pierogies were sold after the Festival up until today's meeting. A vote was taken, it was unanimous that all money from the sale of those pierogies sold will go to the Festival. The pierogies remaining in the freezer will be sold by the WO and the money will be deposited in their account. The total amount going to the Festival is \$302.

Decorating:

A discussion was held regarding which plants to move inside and where they should be placed. The Decorating Committee will be decorating the Church for the holidays. A meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 7, at 10:00 am to discuss the decorating plans.

Festival Donation Baskets:

Thank you to everyone who worked on the baskets for the Festival. The basket donated from the Women's Organization was very nice.

Fall Wreath Making Activity:

Pat Merrifield informed M. Bender that her neighbor, Pete G. is out of fall supplies and is all booked. A discussion was held whether to try to make a wreath in December. It was decided that it is too busy during the month of December to schedule an event.

Outdoor Rosary

The outdoor Rosary will be on Wednesday, October 14, at 6:00pm. P. Chuprinski was not able to attend the meeting but will attend the Rosary and build a fire. Bring a snack, chair, blanket and your intentions.

November Pierogi Making

Pierogies will be made on Tuesday, November 10. Pierogies and baked goods will be sold the weekend before Thanksgiving. Calls will need to be made for volunteers to make pierogies. Flocknote texts will also be sent as reminders.

November Bake Sale and Selling Weekend

The following people said they would be able to sell after Mass:

5:30 N. Rusczyk, S. Turner, will contact Confirmation class

8:30 M. Bender, E. Reynolds, M. Todor

More people will be contacted to see if they are available, four people are needed to sell.

Adult Meeting Room

Two of the tables purchased have been put together, the other one will be assembled after the meeting. One more needs to be ordered. The chairs are defective and H. Prince-Kessler is working with the Seller on this problem. Different chairs, which do not need to be assembled, have been ordered and received. They were not shipped to the church because of the Festival. They were delivered to H. Prince-Kessler's house.

Any Other

K. Fleck informed the group that the Scarecrow Contest was cancelled and will be revisited next year.

The December 4th meeting is the meeting where everyone brings a snack for a luncheon and a wrapped gift for a Yankee Gift Exchange. More information to follow.

Meeting

Friday, November 6, 2026

Friday, December 4, 2026 with snack luncheon and Yankee Gift Exchange.

Other Important Dates

Potato Peeling Monday, November 9 at 8:30am

Pierogi Making Tuesday, November 10

Pierogi and Bake Sale November 21/22, 2026

Next Meeting

Friday, November 6, 2026

Respectfully Submitted,

Mary Todor
Secretary