

ICCC Altar Society May Minutes

Date: June 4, 2023

Location: ICCC Church Basement

Opening Prayer

Old Business:

- Altar Society Scholarship winners were announced: Dana Mattison & Kenny Downs
- Welcome Committee has started going to new members' residences
- Quilt ladies donated \$400.00 to Altar Society this past month.

New Business:

- Life and Hope Banquet, 8/31/23, Danna Schneider is aiming to fill two tables, cost is \$100.00/seat. Registration due by July 1. If interested, call Dana so that she can fill 20 spots.
- Welcome Committee- There are six current members in the committee. When new parishioners arrive, they visit the office. The office asks the family if they would like a personal greeting. Two committee members go at a time and bring baked goods and parish information.
- 4th of July Community Park Event- "Freedom Fest"- Cookie give away, homemade cookies and/or a few store-bought to offer to children. Labels will be printed to put on the cookies. 'Walking with Mom's in Need' signs will be placed near table. Cookie stuffing into bags will take place during 7/2/23 Altar Society meeting. Bring cookies (2 or 3 dozen per person) to the 7/2/23 meeting. Becky will bring Ziplock bags. Bring EZ-Up and folding table to event. If we do not have enough home baked cookies, will purchase from Sam's to supplement. We have 9 ladies who've signed up. (If you'd like to contribute cookies, please call Becky Golba at 913-709-7572)
- Fathers' Day, 6/18/23- Stones with messages and holy cards. Suzie will pack stones and prayer cards. Sign-up to distribute at all three Masses. Wear Altar Society aprons.
- Cross in Your Pockets (50 count)- will be used for future Confirmation gifts.
- Get pictures of Altar Society doing activities.
- Welcome Back to Fr. Bruce- - will brainstorm with Knights. He returns July 1/2.
- Thank you to Deacon George- will brainstorm with Knights.
- Fundraising Idea: George DiCappo's Homemade Spaghetti Sauce- freezer containers- sell ahead of time. (George has agreed to work with us on this project.)
- Prayer List updated.
- Voh's Pharmacy is willing to place "Walking with Mom's" sign at their pharmacy. Six other signs have been requested to be placed around town.
- ***New information: T-shirt information: Shirts will cost \$16/shirt and will take 2 weeks advance notice to make them.

Treasurer's Report: Current Balance: \$5,527.68.

- \$1,000 for scholarships will be paid out and sent to Dana's and Kenny's schools, as soon as we get their college information.

Agenda Items for next meeting(s):

- Get additional pictures of the group doing Altar Society activities.
- T-shirts with Altar Society logo for community events
- Ideas for fundraising:
 - DiCappo's Delicious Spaghetti Sauce
 - 50/50 Raffles attached to other parish events
 - Heart-shaped pizza fundraiser near Valentine's Day
 - Demo-Dinner with father

Upcoming dates:

3rd Thursday Gathering at Miss B's: Next date 6/15/23, 8:30a.m.

3rd Sunday Prayer Time between masses at 9:00a.m. 6/18/23

Next Altar Society Meeting: 7/2/23 at 9 a.m.

Thank you all for coming!