

ICCC Altar Society September Minutes

Date: September 3, 2023

Location: ICCC Church Basement

Opening Prayer

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Old Business:

- Scholarship money has been distributed.
- George DiCapo's spaghetti sauce sale began. \$251.00 raised so far.

New Business:

- Knights' trip to Pilsen & Wichita, KS to visit Fr. Kapaun's home.
 - Insert information in bulletin
 - \$87.00 due by 9/24/23
 - Leave 9:00a.m. on 10/3, return morning of 10/4
- Altar Society trip to Gower, MO in September to view Sr. Wilhelmina's incorrupt body.
 - Be prepared to have head and shoulders covered when entering. Further details about attire will be researched.
 - Wea has also been invited. Bus/van from retirement community will be used and car caravan with another car.
- Virtus training will be required for all those working with children as well as adults (elderly)- those who are vulnerable. This includes any events that you have where you invite youth group to volunteer. Welcome Committee will need to be trained.
 - Course will need to be arranged through parish office
 - Ongoing work- weekly email/bulletin sent that includes an article and question.
 - Sunday, Sept. 10, 6:00-9:00p.m. QHR Parish Hall
 - Must register on www.virtusonline.org
- Upcoming Women's Retreat at Wea- Holy Spirit: Source of True Joy
 - Saturday, Oct. 7, 7:45-1:00p.m.
 - Registration due by Oct. 3
 - Speaker Sr. Doris Engeman
- Confirmation, Sept. 21, 7:00p.m., reception to follow
 - 11 students in class
 - Gifts to be decided and ordered
 - Cookies ordered
- Welcome Committee
 - 2 new members still need to be greeted
 - Additional committee members are welcome
- George DiCapo additional sale of spaghetti sauce
 - Will sell at next Knights' spaghetti dinner

- First sale also required purchase of ingredients, next sale will have less overhead
- Treasurer position- Jeanette Smotherman will be resigning the position. Accepting interested candidates to fill the position. Accepting nominations and volunteers- Joanne Thompson interested.
- Decorating Committee: Fall decorations will go up after Confirmation.
- October Raffle: Indoor statue/nativity, outdoor statue/Christmas quilt
 - Will start selling tickets possibly, dependent on date of Spaghetti Dinner
 - Sell after mass
- Prayer List updated.

Treasurer's Report: Current Balance: \$4,454.25

- \$500.00 scholarship check still needs to be confirmed as cleared.
- Will check if Altar Society dues have processed
- Will people contributing through online giving have an option to contribute to special collections? (i.e., Altar Society dues, Catholic Education, Capital Improvement, etc.)

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
- Demo Dinner- Fr. Bruce is considering it, would occur in February

Upcoming dates:

Sunday Holy Hour for Life: Sunday, 9/17/23

3rd Thursday Gathering at Miss B's: Next date 9/21/23, 8:30a.m.

Next Altar Society Meeting: 10/8/23

Thank you all for coming!