

# Women of Mary Meeting

## September 2, 2015 1pm

The meeting was called to order by President Linda Gillespie with 32 members present at the Parish Center. The Pope's intentions were read and special intentions from members were voiced and prayer was said for these. Also read by Linda was a prayer that was composed by members from a previous meeting.

Abe Aubuchon presented a video and presentation on the Prayer Process. This is in the second chapter of the "Dynamic Catholic". Also made available were written materials on the process of how to pray.

Minutes from last meeting were approved.

New members attending were urged to include their email address on the sign in sheet to receive minutes via email.

### Treasurer's Report:

Charlotte VanderBol presented a written report for expenses over the summer. The following is a report of the last month (August 2015)

Balance as of August 1, 2015	\$8,511.84
Deposits	0.00
Expenses	\$351.47
Balance as of August 31,2015	\$8,160.37

### Correspondence report from Sue Brown:

14 Sympathy cards,25 Get Well cards and 12 Welcome cards were mailed. Thank you notes from some of the receipts were read by the members. She also reported that 6 funeral luncheons were served to a total of 313 , 1 Bit of Comfort dinner which served 45, also 1 meat tray was purchased.

## Bereavement Teams:

Team D is scheduled to serve the next funeral luncheon.

## Sacristans:

Connie Grindel reported that some help is needed with laundering the albs that the servers wear.

## Quilters:

JoAnn Fortman reported that more help is needed with the quilting. They will begin quilting again on September 15<sup>th</sup> in the rectory basement on Tuesdays from 9am to 3pm.

## Rosary:

Jo Rustemeyer reported the rosary is prayed on Tuesday at approximately 9:40am at Presbyterian Manor and on Thursday mornings at 9am at Ashbrook Manor.

## Prayer Power report :

Pat Boatright read the names currently on the list and a Hail Mary was recited by all for them.

## Announcements:

Men's ACTS retreat will be at the end of September this fall, and the ACTS retreat for the women will be in November. Sign up sheets for these were available at the meeting.

A new vacuum was purchased for the cleaning of the Church by Women of Mary and Marilyn Baumgartner is doing the vacuuming now.

Linda Gillespie reported that we need a new historian to take pictures .

The meeting adjourned with reciting of the Memorare, followed by an activity presented by Linda Gillespie and members, entitled "Parable of a Bubble ". Refreshments were provided by officers.

The next meeting/activity will be The Mystery Trip scheduled for October 7<sup>th</sup>, 2015. We will leave from the Lober Bldg. parking lot at 8am and return at 3pm.

Refreshments for the November 4<sup>th</sup> meeting are to be provided by Barb Doss, Judy Alig, Jane Wooldridge and Pat Boatright.

Respectfully submitted,

Brenda Donze