

SJTW Women's Group Meeting

Minutes / September 15, 2018

- **President Barbara Callan** called meeting to order at 10:05 A.M. with an opening prayer. Fourteen members were present.
- **Minutes** from the August meeting are posted on the website for all members and parishioners to view. Barbara summarized August Minutes; they were accepted and archived. Barbara Callan took notes for minutes for the September meeting.
- **Nancy McHugh gave the Treasurer's report:** Beginning balance is \$4840.97. There were no transactions. The ending balance is recorded as \$4840.97. Treasurer report is archived

Old Business

- **Visiting home-bound** – Marion has made one visit.
- **Grotto update** –Barbara contacted Eileen to express our gratitude for all she does for the grotto. Eileen noted the questionable condition (blight of some kind) of the roses, saying that we will watch their progress and make an assessment for future action.
- **Book club-** *Origin* by Dan Brown; the meeting date to be announced
- **Volunteers** for help at funeral dinner on Saturday September 22 at 11:00 are needed. Our group will purchase the meat and fixings for sandwiches. Side dishes and some desserts are needed as well as help serving the meal. Several members agreed to help that day and Nancy recorded their names to contact later. Thank you for supporting out parish outreach.
- **Italian Dining Out will be on Saturday, October 20 at 5:30 PM.** We finalized the menu and cooks for our event. We kept the cost of tickets at \$10.00. Our menu is even more varied than last year. Careful attention was paid to have the supplies (tablecloths, plates, napkins, decorations, etc.) in place. Irene will tend to some of these details. The group worked out the types of beverages needed. We will get a notice of the event in the bulletin. Some members took tickets to sell at the weekend Masses. **We will set up the room that morning at 10:00 AM.** Some cooks will bring food at 4 PM and others before 5 PM. Be sure to get your tickets early as this is always a fun event.

- Our group is interested in **purchasing nice tablecloths that are wipe clean** for alternative use for events in our hall. We discussed this at our last meeting in more detail and found the cost to be quite high. Nancy has been searching for vendors and upon her recommendation, we may order a sample or two before moving forward on this venture.

New Business

- **Margaret Cummings** reminded all about **the Good Shepherd fundraiser on October 4th**. It is a big event at the nearby winery including music, food, and auction items. She has tickets for sale at \$50.00 each.
- **Ginnie made a motion** to join with the Knights of Columbus to order some new vestments for Father Julius. The motion was seconded. After questions and discussion, the group voted unanimously to help fund the purchase.

Meeting adjourned at 11:15 AM.

**October 20th is our next meeting (10 AM) This will be a time to set up for our Italian Dinner and not a formal meeting. If enough members come to set up, we will be finished and ready in no time. Thank you for your support and may God bless you all.

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara Callan

