

Ladies Guild Meeting

Sunday, June 10, 2018

Present: Marie Van Heusen, Betty Gurney, Fr. Sam Najjar, Kathy Criminger, Mary Louise Barefoot, Ingrid Franklin, Lynn Vaughan, Freida Fadel, Darlene Darling, Wanda Foster, Mary Rorke, Emma Montaldo, Sheila Monsour, Marie Reale, Lucy Zahran, and Heidi Creef.

Marie Van Heusen, President, opened the meeting with the Miraculous Medal Prayer.

The minutes of the last meeting are on the internet.

Because of the Liturgy being said in the Hall today, the Rosary will be said next week, June 17.

The Eucharistic Adoration will be on Tuesday.

Treasury:

Lynn Vaughan gave the balance as \$1007.36, which is the same as last month.

Old Business:

Fundraisers

Bingo Night – Bingo Night has been tabled for now.

Yard Sale – A suggestion was made to have a yard sale in the fall, concentrating on seasonal crafts and holiday items. These sold well last year.

Serving light breakfast was suggested in lieu of a bake sale.

We always have an abundance of mugs that are donated, so it was suggested to sell mugs and make the coffee available free of charge.

The yard sale could be planned for late October or early November. The sale could possibly coincide with other churches in the community and their festivals and sales events. Marie Van Heusen will discuss this further with Fr. Sam.

New Business:

Liturgy in the Park – The Liturgy in the Park will be held on September 30. It was suggested that if the park is not available, the Liturgy could be held in the Arsenal area or in the backyard of the Rectory.

Facebook Page – There was a discussion as to whether the church should have a Facebook Page. Marie Van Heusen will discuss this idea with Chris Cooper.

New fundraising ideas

Auction

Mary Louise and Lynn suggested an idea of having the ladies make crafts to be auctioned off. Tickets could be sold outside of the church for a lunch that could be provided. They will look further into this subject.

50/50 Raffle

Sheila suggested having a 50/50 raffle and selling tickets outside of the church as well as to members. Marie Van Heusen added looking into asking for donated items to raffle off in conjunction with the 50/50 raffle. Sheila will look further into this subject.

INASMUCH Breakfast – volunteers are asked to help serve breakfast on the first Tuesday of each month at Operation INASMUCH. Marie Van Heusen will get more information as to how and when volunteers can help.

Refreshments – Marie Reale asked for help in providing refreshments following Liturgy in the Hall. June and July are being provided on a weekly basis. The other times of the year are being provided on a monthly basis. Marie wants everyone to know that providing refreshments includes making the coffee, putting everything out and cleaning up afterwards. Marie Van Heusen suggested making a list of the duties so when someone shows interest in helping; they can see what the duties are.

SESOBEL (Update) - Sneakers and other shoes will be collected through the end of July.

Marie Van Heusen closed the meeting with the Miraculous Medal Prayer.

The meeting was adjourned. The next meeting will be Sunday, July 8, 2018.

Submitted by Betty Gurney

Secretary