

Ladies Guild, Sunday, November 13, 2022

**Present:** Nicole Andres, Betty Gurney, Mary Louise Barefoot, Fibronia Kornbluth, Wanda Foster, Connie Reidlinger, Lynn Vaughan, E. Anne Williams, Darlene Darling, Kathy Crimminger, Patti Reynolds, Ingrid Franklin, Gabby Parkhurst, Melissa Dinse, and a new member, Stacie Ferry. Nicole led the meeting and opened with the Miraculous Medal.

- Nicole thanked the ladies for their participation and help at the yard sale. \$4,200.00 was made at the sale. The money will go to fixing things in the church.
- Patricia thanked everyone for the card following the passing of her mother, Matilda Atkinson. Nicole thanked her for all she and Ace do for the church.
- The items for the giveaway this month were a keychain and tissues. They were won by Ingrid and Stacie.
- Nicole encouraged the ladies to wear their medals at the ordination

The minutes from the meeting on October 9 were accepted and approved.

### **Treasurer's Report**

The balance in the Treasury is \$560.00. The petty cash fund is \$300.00.

### **Committee Reports**

**Sunshine Committee** – Patti thanked the ladies for the meal that was provided for the Carswell family with the birth of their new baby.

### **Topics of Discussion**

**Christmas Cookie Platters** – Orders are now being taken for the Christmas Cookie platters. A discussion was held concerning how to wrap the cookie platters. Colored cellophane bags were suggested to wrap the platters. Mary Louise and Lynn will purchase the needed items for the platters, wrappers, and holders for the fudge. November 30 is the last day for taking orders. The cookies need to be brought to the church no later than December 6. The cookie platters will be assembled on December 7.

**Angel Tree** – The names for the Angel Tree have been provided by DSS. The number of children that will be helped is 50. The tree will be put up and available for the names to be added to the tree on Wednesday, November 16. Toys and educational items are the presents to purchase for the children. All items must be new and unwrapped when bringing them to the church. The presents must be returned by December 11.

**Christmas Party** – The ladies will hold their Christmas party on December 2, from 6:00pm to 8:00pm. Heavy hors d'oeuvres and desserts were suggested for the menu. A decision will be made for the types of hors d'oeuvres.

**Coffee** – Fibronia suggested that regular and decaffeinated be offered at the social hour after Liturgy on Sundays. She will check with Marie Catalana for approval.

**Ordination** – Marie Van Heusen spoke concerning Chuck’s ordination. The food for the reception at St. Ann’s has been ordered. There is a need for help in setting up at St. Ann’s following the ordination and in setting up the social hall following Chuck’s first Divine Liturgy. The social hall will be set up on Friday morning, November 18 following Liturgy and Friday evening at St. Ann’s at 5:30. Help will also be needed Saturday morning to put out the food for the reception at St. Ann’s. There will be no Liturgy on Saturday evening, November 19. A paper was sent around to sign up for the various times the ladies can help on Friday morning, Friday evening, and Saturday morning. Please email Nicole with the food you will be able to provide for the meal following Chuck’s first Liturgy.

**Seminarians** – Lynn suggested helping the seminarians as we have done in the past. The suggestion was to plan for something in the spring. There will be further discussion.

Nicole closed the meeting with a prayer and The Hail Mary.

Respectfully submitted by Betty Gurney