

Sacred Heart Cathedral Council of Catholic Women  
March 18, 2017

- I President, Linda Struble, opened the meeting at 9 AM. Jane Balthazor lead an opening prayer.
  - III. There were 1 addition to the Agenda: idea from Roger Kaiser (Chair of SH Auction) for a live auction item to be discussed.
  - IV The February minutes were approved as printed.
  - V Correspondence included: a thank you with \$100.00 donation for the funeral dinner from the family of Kenny Windholz family, a thank you from women of Faithful Families for our donation of \$500.00, a letter from Roger Kaiser with an idea for SH Auction, a request for donation from the Rescue Mission for their capital campaign, an invitation to the open house of Catholic Charities new offices, and a flier from the Dominican Sisters of Peace, Columbus, OH, about their ministry.
  - VI The Treasurer's report for February was approved as presented. There were no bills submitted.
- Alice Fox presented a letter from Roger Kaiser, Chair of SH Auction, for an item donation to the live auction. It was to provide a meal a month for 12 months. It would be up to the donor what would be included. Some ideas were presented. The discussion by the women present was that we had too many things going on in the coming months to consider the idea for this year's auction. Sheryl Roberti moved and Charlotte Roets seconded that we table the idea until Jan. 2018 for possible donation to next year's auction.

#### VIII COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. The Respect Life report was read by Sheryl Roberti for Marlene Hermes
  1. Thursday, March 16<sup>th</sup>, the Kansas Supreme Court had a hearing on Dismemberment Abortion Law that has been held up since 2016.
  2. Women's-right-to-know legislation was strengthened by Senate Bill 98 - Disclose Act. It provides that an abortion consent form include background information on the Doctor doing the abortion.
  3. On Feb. 18<sup>th</sup>, Norma McCorvey ("Roe" in Row v. Wade Supreme Court case) died.
  4. National Catholic Register (3/19-4/1) says in Trump's 1<sup>st</sup> sixty days his agenda finds some common ground with Catholic Social Teaching on wages, jobs, and education choice.

#### IX OLD BUSINESS

- A. The March. 5<sup>th</sup> breakfast served 40. Menu was eggs, sausage, hash browns, & fruit. It made \$159.00.
- B. The St. Jude Pilgrimage filled the church
- C. The Lent Soup Supper, March 10<sup>th</sup> served 37
- D. The RCIA Rite of Election reception served 130 with cookies and coffee. Charlotte asked whether we could purchase cookies rather than ask for baked cookies. Discussion was inconclusive.
- E. The Dues Committee report was distributed and it was asked that a copy be sent to the parish office to be included in the parish bulletin prior to our April meeting and discussion. A vote will be taken in May.
- F. Representatives to the Old Parish Hall Kitchen Committee reported that a joint meeting with the Hispanics was needed in order to move forward. They don't have a committee and it was suggested that the Madres might lead that effort if asked.

#### X NEW BUSINESS

- A. March 27<sup>th</sup>. Rotary Dinner menu includes pork chops, corned beef, red potatoes/butter, creamed cabbage, green beans, salad, rolls, and brownies & ice cream. Preparation will start at 8:30 am after Mass.
- B. April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1<sup>st</sup> of month breakfast menu includes biscuits & gravy, eggs, sausage and fruit. Preparation will begin at 7 am.
- C. April 6<sup>th</sup> Chrism Mass preparation will begin Wednesday at 8:00am. They anticipate serving 130. Help is needed on Thursday morning from 8am on. The Chancery will be charged \$5/person.
- D. April 7<sup>th</sup> Fish Fry - Linda suggested that sliced bread & butter in a waxed paper bag be used rather than cluttering the kitchen with making Texas Toast. It was decided to make brownies for dessert (to be made after the Chrism Mass) They will charge \$10/adult, \$5/child 8 & under. They will ask callers to call for extra workers.

- E April 8<sup>th</sup> next meeting will be a week early. Easter baskets will be made everyone is asked to bring treats for 15 baskets.
- F A nominating committee was formed (Marie Hieger, Nancy Jaquay and Alice Fox) to solicit new candidates for officer of President Elect and....
- G Price List for receptions and dinners: for Ordinations - \$10/meal, for Receptions - \$4/person

FYI: Upcoming Events:

- April 15<sup>th</sup> - Easter Vigil Reception, plan for 75. Serve cheese, crackers, salami, wine
- Apr. 22<sup>nd</sup> - Transitional deaconate reception (1), 10 AM Mass
- Apr. 23<sup>rd</sup> - Confirmation reception - 3 PM (50-60)
- Apr. 30<sup>th</sup> - 1<sup>st</sup> Communion reception 10:30 AM (30)
- June 3<sup>rd</sup> - Priesthood Ordination (3) 10 AM Mass, reception at SHHS
- June 10<sup>th</sup> - Permanent deaconate ordination (3) 10AM Mass, 11:30 AM Lunch

XII Next meeting: April 8, 2017 at 9:00 AM in the HOB. Fill Easter gift baskets at 8:30 am.

Judy Michaelis will lead the opening prayer.

Hostesses will be Donna Schneweis and Charlotte Roets.

Thanks to hostesses Judy Michaelis and Nancy Jaquay for providing refreshments.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by Peggy Hebert, Secretary