

CCW BOARD MEETING MINUTES 4/13/23

The meeting began with The Mother of Good Counsel prayer, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. The Board welcomed its' new Spirituality Commissioner, Nancy Fier.

Each Board member took a turn sharing their spiritual inspiration story.

Leadership Commissioner Bridgette Adler explained the process of two \$1,000 scholarships given out to female High School seniors who belong to St. Patrick's Church. The applications will be sent out April 17th, asking for them to be returned by May 1st. Decision on the 2 winners will be selected by May 15 and will be given out at the Baccalaureate on June 4th. Bridgette will inform the winners and Treasurer Nancy Sarno will contact the winners with the explanation of how the monies are distributed to their respective colleges. Bridgette is also working on the flyer for the May Altar event coming in May.

Service Commissioner Nancy DePauw reported on the upcoming CCW Social on Sunday, April 23. She will contact her worker list for help with the baking and serving of cinnamon rolls.

Treasurer Nancy Sarno gave an account of Thanks Yous received from various charities that our CCW had sent contributions to: Operation Help - \$200; Backpack Program - \$300; Charity Quilters - \$200.

Current checkbook balance: \$6,973

Secretary Leigh Weiss relayed the details of the upcoming CCW Bake Sale to be held the weekend of April 22 and 23, in conjunction with the CCW Social. Leigh will contact the Bake Sale volunteers for donations of baked goods and to help with selling the items.

President Barbara Gagliardi is researching replacing the church's kitchen counter tops with stainless steel. Another possible project is refinishing and/or updating the outdoor St. Patrick Church wooden sign and its' plantings. She will also look into the CCW taking a weekend manning the KC's Brat Wagon as a fundraiser. The St. Patrick Patron Saint dinner, held the evening of March 17, was very well received with 42 in attendance. St. Patrick's Day falls on a Sunday in 2024, so the suggestion of a breakfast that includes families is being considered.

Barbara explained the itinerary for the May Alter event to be held on Thursday, May 25, inviting all women of the parish. Officers will be reinstalled, Pax Christi nominee will be honored, High School scholarships will be explained, and a recap of the 2022-23 year will be given, followed by dessert.

Respectfully submitted,
Leigh Weiss
Secretary