

**Altar Society Meeting**

**May 12, 2011**

**Host: St. Anne Guild**

**28 Members Present**

The meeting was called to order at 6:30pm by Pam Johnson. Members enjoyed a potluck dinner hosted by St. Anne Guild.

**PROGRAM by Janet Clark**

Janet talked about skincare products available from Avon let members choose product samples based on skin types.

April minutes were approved as written.

**TREASURER REPORT by Marilyn Wendling**

Checking account balance is \$7,050.21. Each guild's charity was given a donation of \$200 from the soup supper collection.

**GUILD REPORTS:**

**ST. ANNE** – hosted meeting tonight; will have SCRIP in May as well.

**ST. BERNADETTE** – no news

**ST. FRANCIS** – met April 18 at Lisa Pappas, who announced she is moving at the end of May; discussed soup supper; will meet May 18 at Lucianos and June 6 for a picnic at Sue B.'s (with significant others); will host Bingo this summer and the September General meeting.

**MARIAN** – Met on the 4<sup>th</sup>; will meet next on the 31<sup>st</sup>; Bingo in July

**OUR LADY OF LOURDES** – Met at Dillons and packaged diapers for Guadalupe, will meet the 18<sup>th</sup> to make birthday bags; May 26 Bingo; SCRIP last month; funeral for Josie Ketzner Saturday, May 14.

**SACRED HEART** – Met at the end of April, Bingo last month, donated to the Center of Hope in honor of Ruth Hendrickson

**SCRIP REPORT by Jessica Rose**

Lisa is moving to Omaha at the end of May. Susie Compton will take over Lisa's position. Cinda York will take over volunteer coordination. She asked that you please call to find a replacement within your guild if you are not able to make your shift. She also recommended we thank Lisa for her years of service to the SCRIP program.

**FUNERAL DINNERS**

OLoL will serve Josie Ketzner this Saturday. Marian did Jimmy Chapman in April. Sacred Heart is up next.

**OLD BUSINESS**

**DOING GOOD TOGETHER**

Was held April 13.

**GARAGE SALE**

Will be held June 2-4. Drop off times are May 28 (10am -2pm), May 29 (1pm -3pm), May 30 (9am-11am), May 31 (7pm - 9pm) and June 1 (6pm -9pm). There will be a sign up sheet at the SCRIP table or school office. You can make something for the bake sale, volunteer to set up or clean up, volunteer to work the sale, bring your treasures, donate to prize drawing, or come shop! Contact Deanna or Sylvia with any questions. All proceeds go to the building fund.

## NEW BUSINESS

### JOHNSON FAMILY FUNDRAISER

Please keep Nikalan and Jenny (Andreas) Johnson, members of our St Mary Parish family, in your prayers. Nik is battling cancer. Their neighbors are hosting a Block Party Benefit for them on Sunday, May 22, from 5-7 pm, at 204 Crosswood Lane. The block party will include Old Chicago sandwiches, dessert and drinks, a bake sale, raffle, plus music provided by Another Dimension DJ service and inflatables for the kids. If you can't attend the benefit but would like to make a donation, drop a check off at the parish office.

### ALTAR SOCIETY BOOKLETS

Thanks to Kristina Egan for putting together Altar Society information booklets. They include the calendar, meeting dates, guild contacts, etc. If you would like one, contact Pam Johnson.

### COOKBOOKS

Will now be given to new families when they register. Thanks Vicky.

### POTENTIAL NEW MEMBERS/CURRENT MEMBER LIST

We discussed the fact that some people who fill out stewardship cards to join Altar Society are not feeling welcome. We decided that Vicky should put the new parishioners and interested women in contact with the guild chairpersons. Also, it was voted on that **all guilds will bring an updated list of active members to the general meeting in September.**

### GIFT FOR LISA:

Members voted to give Lisa 200\$ in gift cards to thank her for her dedication to the SCRIP program. We will let Jessica pick out the stores.

### NEW MEMBERS

Please welcome Jamie Rosa who just moved from Yorktown, VA and Betty Weilert from Rose Hill.

### CALENDAR

#### JUNE

SCRIP: Bernadette  
2-4 Rummage Sale  
22 Bingo (St. Anne)

#### JULY

SCRIP: St. Francis  
22 Bingo (Marian)

#### AUGUST

SCRIP: Marian  
25 Bingo (St. Francis)

#### SEPTEMBER

SCRIP: Our Lady of Lourdes  
8 Covered Dish Meeting (St. Francis)  
21 Bingo (St. Bernadette)

### DOOR PRIZE

Free Avon products were won by Marilyn Wendling, Carol Kelly, Pamela Johnson, and Barb Betzen.

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Warren  
Secretary