PCCW Meeting Minutes

December 7, 2018

Opening

The regular meeting of the PCCW was called to order at 10:00 a.m. on Dec 7, 2018. Sixteen (16) members were present and one guest.

Approval of Minutes: Minutes of the November meeting were read and approved.

Financial Report: Marilyn Guy reviewed the financial report stating that a donation of \$50 was made to Hospice Compassus from reserve funds.

Report of Officers: President: Kathy Strader introduced Phyllis Winzenried with Taney County Ministries. Mrs. Winzenried spoke to the group about Taney County Ministries, their history, current status and how they impact the community via their program. The Ecumenical Cookie Sale has become one of their main sources of income. Kathy Strader reported she was contacted by DCCW regarding donating an item for their fundraiser.

Vice President: Nancy Thomas reviewed up-coming events: The December 8th Cookie Sale at the Methodist Church has been postponed until December 15th due to weather. Cookies can be brought in on December 14th. The Parish Christmas Potluck and gift exchange is December 16th.

Parish Council Report: Sister Charlotte reported the Parish Council received a bid of \$2500 for a bell for the bell tower. Additional bids are being sought. Nancy Loughner sent a letter regarding the possible sale of Fr. Phil's lawn mower via sealed bids. The Council is also seeking input about the need for ceiling fans in the Sanctuary. The speaker for Lent will be Theresa Monaham on Saints. The Parish Council is also considering policies for rental of the hall. Next meeting is slated for January 2019.

Unfinished Business:

Men's Charity: The men have chosen to donate the \$300 to Vincentian Marian Youth –USA in Perryville, MO. Craft Fair: Craft Fair sales came to \$999 and remaining items will be used to create a gift basket for the Silent Auction and a basket for the DCCW Spring Assembly.

CAM Festival of Trees: Ornaments made by Mike Stenger for the Festival of Trees all sold for a total of \$270.

Large incoming Rummage Sale items will be sold early via the gathering space bulletin board. We received an offer of \$400 for a gold necklace, motion made to accept offer, vote taken, motion passed.

Two Hundred and Fifty (250) people attended the Community Thanksgiving Dinner. Left overs were taken to the Women's Crisis Center.

Kitchen Cabinet – no report

Trudy Kreuger reported Two Hundred and Thirty Nine (\$239) dollars were spent on purchasing items for the Forsyth Elementary School.

Kathy Strader showed the items purchased for the PCCW Options Pregnancy donation at a cost of \$150.98.

New Business: Barbara stated that a new hose reel storage box needed to be purchased as one was broken and suggested we purchase a used one for \$5 from Cedar Creek. All were in favor of purchase.

A Fifty Dollar (\$50) donation was made to Hospice Compassus so the residents could purchase Christmas gifts for relatives. The Knights also donated \$50.

Cookie Sale at the United Methodist Church has been re-scheduled to December 15th.

The Parish Christmas Party will be on December 16th at 2pm. Set-up and hall decoration will take place on Saturday, December 15th at 10 a.m. Kathy Strader will put out table centerpieces on Wednesday, December 13th after mass. Help is needed the day of the party to help in organizing food when it arrives; Volunteers are: Nancy Loughner – Appetizers, Barbara Peterson and Marilyn Guy –Main Dishes and Sides, Gardis Ohlson –Desserts, Kathy Strader-Drinks. Sister Charlotte will take care of the music and Jake & Toni Silvis will conduct gift exchange.

Decorating the church for Christmas will be on December 21st and 23rd.

The next PCCW event will be the Soup Supper on January 24th from 4:30 – 6:00p.m., Nancy Loughner to coordinate.

The PCCW Christmas Party is at the Wagon Wheel following meeting. The PCCW will take care of the tip and Darlene will write a thank you note.

Sister Charlotte asked if the PCCW could purchase flags to replace flags as needed. The cost is approx. \$60 for both. Motion made, vote take, motion passed.

Adjournment: The meeting adjourned with prayer. Next meeting of the PCCW will be held on January 11, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.

Respectively submitted by Barbara Sakowicz Peterson