

Madonna Guild Meeting Minutes
September 14, 2022

Meeting opened with a prayer at 11:30 am

Attendees: Katherine Larson, Cathy Baldwin, Arleen Caruth, Barbara Sue Smith-Shaffer, Dorota Rapacz, Shawn Gragoo, Tina Bird, Sherry Mannikko, Mary Matthew, Mary Kay Nelson, Christina Vasquez, Bernie Mc Connell, Margie Zavala, Vicki Picard and Terry Linn

Minutes of August 10, 2022, meeting were read and corrections made: Shawn Gragoo was in attendance, John was changed to Julian Castillo.

Treasurer's Report: Present Balance \$ 783.39

Expenditures: B. McConnell \$ 500 Christmas books, M.K. Nelson \$ 57.93 Castillo funeral luncheon, T. Linn \$ 183.65 "Mary" book study
Income: Book Study (Chosen II) \$ 33.50, Stocking Stuffer donation (anonymous) \$ 100, Brandenburg Funeral Donation \$ 100
Edward Jones: \$ 10,760.95

OLD BUSINESS

Calendar: Margie reported that mass will continue to be held in the SJFC until mid or end of October.

Fundraiser – Car Show: Terry

Sign up for distribution of pie tins at masses on 9/16,17 & 18
Sign up for tent & tables (4) set up on Fri 9/23 meet at church at 9am,
Sign up for loading/transporting pies, meeting at church at 6 am 9/24
Sing up for booth workers (Saturday only)
Coolers with ice requested (to store pies)
Water bottles requested (for workers)
Easel requested for Price Chart
Brief discussion on price of pies was held. Vote was held \$ 12 price was approved
Parking for booth workers to be determined
Requested volunteers to call for baked good donations
Baked Goods are to be dropped off Friday 9/23 from 12 to 4 pm

Prayer Shawl: Terry reported that currently there are 60 blessed shawls available. Connie and Arleen are going to Gallup to drop off lap robes and prayer shawls for the Little Sisters of the Poor.

Christmas Stockings: Terry reported that no more stocking stuffing items are needed.

Thanksgiving: Arleen reported that on weekend of 9/23,24 & 25 she will have updates in the church bulletin regarding Thanksgiving basket needs. In October she will contact the grocery stores to determine availability of turkeys.

Social Activities: Bernie updated progress on English Tea. Table and Room set up @ 9am on 9/15. Prep food and drinks on Monday 9/19 at 10 am. Event begins at 11am.

Sign up for hostess and servers as well as miscellaneous items
Christina to prepare questions for game to be held at tea

Spiritual Book Study: Bernie reported that the Chosen II program is well attended and coming to a close in two weeks. On 10/5 "Walking with Mary" will begin, presented by Terry Linn.

Rosary: Dorothy was not in attendance.

Funeral Luncheons: Mary Kay reported that currently there are no funeral luncheons set.

One did occur on 9/2 for Annie Castillo. Mary Kay thanked those that prepared food and helped at the function.

NEW BUSINESS

Bereavement: Mary M reported that she has not been contacted by anyone needing her service. She also presented two readings which were very moving in their description of the trials one experiences when you lose a loved one.

Outreach: Mary Kay had nothing to report.

Unbound: Julie not in attendance. Christina read a lovely letter from Reagan in which he described the grades from his studies and what projects he and his family are working on.

Additional Issues: None

Closing prayer was said at 12:30 and meeting adjourned.

Nest meeting: Wednesday, October 12, 2022, at 11:30 am

Prepared by Secretary Christina Vasquez