Women's Club of St. Patrick's

May 5, 2024 Meeting Minutes

Present: Jane Hess, Anne Newman, Joan Pechter, Dorine Connelly, Kathy Armstrong, Mary Ellen Bolt, Eunice Groschen, Kay Manthe, Ginny McGoldrick, Grace Hanson, Jackie Davidson

Meeting opened with a Joan of Arc prayer led by Joan Pechter. The 4/14/24 Meeting Minutes were approved.

Promoting the Women's Club- Weekend of June 8th and 9th

- A beautiful promotional flyer was designed and passed around for review and comments.
- The wording was modified slightly to say "Participation provides a sense of belonging, friendship and connections to the broader community."
- Tables will be set up in the Celtic Center for distribution of the flyer and discussion about the Women's Club. Volunteers needed to help distribute the flyers and promote the Women's Club, as well as St. Bridget Guild and Little Flower Guild.
- Emphasis is on "All Women of the Parish are Members."
- An e-mail contact list of ALL the women in the parish would be most helpful for the Women's Club to acquire. Does this exist? This would help to keep the women of the parish informed and up to date on events and activities happening at St. Pat's.

Social

The Women's Club Social will be held at The Hilltop in Edina. The date has been changed to:

- Tuesday, May 14th
- Time: 3:00PM 5:00PM
- RSVP: Cappy Moore at cappy544391@gmail.com as the restaurant needs a head count.

Mother's Day Orchid Corsage Sale - Bernadette Daly and Grace Hanson

- 40 orchids were ordered. 20 were sold as of Sunday, May 5th. Need to sell 20 more.
- If you would like to purchase an orchid for \$10. for Sunday, May 12th, contact Bernadette or Grace and let them know what mass you will be attending.

Spring Luncheon/ Fashion Show: Sunday May 19th at 11am- Dorine Connelly

- The menu was discussed. Chicken salad will be served with sides of fruit, croissants, etc.
- Gluten free meals are available
- You can reserve a table for 8, if desired
- Please sign-up!

Reaching Beyond Ourselves

Stephanie Buschko is checking on a date in May for us to participate in volunteering to prepare, serve and clean up lunch for the children at Minneapolis Crisis Nursery. If interested contact Stephanie at slewis036@me.com

Next Meeting Date

This will be our last meeting this season, as we recess for the summer months. Our next meeting will be on Sunday, August 4^{th} at 11am.

Meeting was adjourned at 11:45am.

Respectfully submitted,
Anne Newman/ for Jackie Davidson, Secretary