

St. Boniface Altar Society

Minutes from March 21, 2022

The St. Boniface Altar Society meeting was held Monday, March 22, 2021 with 14 members present. The meeting opened with prayer. Minutes from the last meeting and the Treasurer's Report were read.

Treasurer's Report (January 17 – February 16, 2022)

Beginning Balance..... \$ 11,239.42

Receipts \$ 8.36

Expenses \$ 1,035.93

Ending Ckbk Balance.....\$ 10,211.85

CD Balance 12/31/20 \$39,548.21

Money for Penney and a Prayer was collected.

Correspondence: A thank you from The Jr. Right to Life. They thanked us for the money donated for the Right to Life trip. Unfortunately, the trip was again cancelled because of COVID and the money was returned to Altar Society.

Old Business:

1. The St. Boniface Parish Auction food stand was discussed. There was a mix up on the number of buckets of sloppy joes that was needed so several buckets were auctioned off at the end of the auction. Bars brought was about the correct number. Brenda thought they served about 156. Brenda will make up some notes for set up and clean up for circles to follow for the future. Carol Eischeid made a motion that next year the Altar Society purchase the hamburger and chips. Anna Meis seconded the motion. Motion passed. A circle or two will still be assigned to make the sloppy joes, but the meat will be purchased by Altar Society.
2. A thank you went to Jayne Arehart for making up the wine basket, it sold for \$120.
3. New member's names were reviewed and mentioned to Circle Leaders to reach out to them and explain about what the Altar Society Circles do.
4. Brenda reminded the Circle Leaders to keep working on getting dues collected and thanked the leaders for what they are doing.
5. Brenda gave a report about the refrigerator in the gym kitchen. It has been fixed and is working now. She did go to the finance committee meeting and they said if a new refrigerator would need to be purchased it is the finance committee's responsibility for the cost they also said it would be their responsibility for the update to the NE corner of the gym kitchen. It was discussed that the Altar Society could make a donation for these updates when the time comes. Brenda contacted a contractor about putting in a new sink, garbage disposal and sprayer in the NE corner of the gym kitchen.

She will contact another contractor so we have two bids for this, she will keep us updated about the information.

New Business:

1. A motion was made by Lynelle Morgan and seconded by Carol Eischeid to give \$3,000.00 for the church insurance payment in March.
2. The Rural Central Deanery Meeting is Tuesday April 12th @ 1:30 in Petersburg (registration begins at 1:00).
3. A reminder was given to circle leaders that whoever is at the Altar Society Meeting it is their responsibility to get all the information to their other Circle Leaders. Brenda will get information to a Circle if there isn't anyone present at a meeting.
4. For funerals now the KC Hall is open at 6:30 in the morning. Thank you, Lynell, for doing this.
5. Scott Beckman is looking into possibly getting replacement parts for the older Shark vacuums. He will keep Brenda posted if this is possible.
6. Connie Dvorak contacted Brenda about the Altar Society helping with redoing the landscaping by the sign and highway. It was discussed and a motion was made by Lynell Morgan that Altar Society would spend \$300 - \$500 on the landscaping project, a second was made by Jan Heithoff. The motion passed. Circle 4 was assigned as a charity to help with 3-4 men and a couple of women. Connie will contact them when she needs help with the landscaping project.

Work List:

***** Encourage spouses and children to help out when calling parishioners

Church Cleaning - Circle 2 (April 14th) This will be the week before Easter. It was also brought up that anyone going to Saturday night Easter Vigil if able to help clean up wax and vacuum the church after services would be appreciated.

Next Funeral - Circle 3 (Circle 2 has Betty Salbers)

Next Charity - Circle 5 (Circle 4 will do landscaping project)

Possible Next meeting: Monday, April 18, 2022 @ 7 P.M.

Meeting was closed with a Hail Mary.

Respectfully submitted by Deb Beckman