

MINUTES
OLMC PARISH SOCIETY MEETING
March 4, 2014

The Parish Society Officer gathered at 6:30 to do general dusting around the altar area. President Pat Ackley called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm, and opened with an Our Father. Present: Pat Ackley, Gladys & Bill Hruska, Bernie & Don Leibold, Keely Mueterthies, Geraldine Busta, Roger DeSloover, Tom & Anita McGowan, Don and Irene Lynch and Secretary Grace Arens. Rose Njus was absent.

The agenda was approved as submitted.

Treasures Report: Keely Mueterthies went over the income and expenses for the past month. The checkbook shows a balance of \$3,800. Grace informed the members that altar and votive candles will need to be ordered before August. She will look in to borrowing from one of the parish neighbors to see if we can replace them in the fall.

Old Business:

The February Soup Supper was attended by 50 persons. The last soup supper will be held in March; and on April 6, the first Coffee & Rolls will be served after the 8:00 AM Mass.

Waffle Breakfast will be discussed at the April 2 meeting. Pat asks that everyone be ready to with ideas and questions. She said that she is thinking of asking the committee to be chairpersons for each major job, to work with the volunteers.

New Business:

Soup Supper will be Saturday, March 8, after the 4:00 PM Mass.

Senior Recognition will be Sunday, May 11. Grace will contact Martin for a list of names for the April meeting. A breakfast will be served with the seniors and their families as guests.

There was nothing new regarding the heating & cooling project; therefore, the general church cleaning was put on hold.

President, Pat Ackley read a letter she received from Fr. Nick regarding the Parish Retreat to be held in April at St. Luke. All agreed they would do whatever was asked.

Roger said that he has been approached by people wondering about paper plates vs. glass. This was discussed.

Gladys is working with Carla Dreckman about installing soap dispensers in the bathrooms.

Meeting adjourned. The next meetings are scheduled for Wednesday, April 2, and May 7. President, Pat Ackley again reminded the committee that it will be a busy time ahead.

Respectfully Submitted by
Grace Arens, Secretary