

## Women's Group Meeting Minutes – October 24, 2023

Attended By: 5 members

- 1) **Opening Prayer**
- 2) **Octoberfest** on October 7, 2023 – Thank you to everyone who came out to help. We made \$130 from the 50/50 Raffle and \$86 profit from the Basket of Cheer after \$89 paid for the basket contents.
- 3) **Basket Raffle** – Currently there is a grand total of \$9,017.39. This does not include some expenses such as door prizes (\$79); refreshments; coping costs for signs, programs, basket, and grand prize/sweepstakes lists. (a full record will be noted when all expenses have been finalized). Here is a break down of the income sources:
  - a. 45 Presale tickets sold for \$1,035 (\$23. each). Next year will advertise Presale tickets with a cutoff date the Sunday before date of Basket Raffle.
  - b. "Square Sales" (credit card) were \$610 (fee of \$16.96). Note for next year: open " Square Sales" for Grand & Sweepstakes tickets.
  - c. 50/50 Raffle profit \$428
  - d. Hawaii Basket donation \$157
  - e. Grand Prize/Sweepstakes tickets - \$1,210
  - f. Entrance/Door Extra Basket Tickets (cash sales) - \$5,751.35Great job to all of us. Add a big thanks to Pat our President for all her time and work. Next year we will try to break up work into to small committees for the different jobs that need to be completed.
- 4) **Sunshine Club cards:** Thank You card to Stephanie Mominey for her help with the confirmation volunteers at the Basket Raffle.
- 5) **Turkey Dinner at Whitehall Apartments** cannot be done before Thanksgiving. There is a possible date of Wednesday, November 29 although HAS NOT been confirmed yet. Watch you email/text messages for updates.
- 6) **Christmas Pageant:** We will be serving refreshments in the Narthex after the Pageant on Friday, December 22nd. Water, cookies, candy canes, and luminaries outside across front of the church. No Santa or crafts this year.
- 7) **Homebound:** We will send out Christmas Cards and do the Gift bags again in January. Need to get number of the Homebound from the Rectory Office.
- 8) **Member Drive:** We will need to pick a weekend in January to be in Narthex at all Masses to sign up new Women's Group members.
- 9) **Closing prayer**

**NO MEETING IN NOVEMBER. INSTEAD, A SERVICE DAY TO WIPE DOWN PEWS. WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15TH AT 5:00 PM IN CHURCH, BRING A SMALL BUCKET IF YOU CAN!**

Respectfully Submitted,  
Mary Beth Michael