

# Mary & Martha (M&M's) Meeting Minutes

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*October 17, 2024 Meeting called to order by Tammy Molitor- President*

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## In Attendance

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Fr. Andy, Teresa Peterson, Geri Sausen, Caryl Schmidt, Jennifer DeMars, Linda Downie, Dawn Sundly, Mary Ruyman Lee, Liz Yerks, Joleen Pierce, Tammy Molitor, Denise Haas, Claire Kind, Sue Krietz.

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## Opening Prayer

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Fr. Andy led us in the Lectio Devina reading from Matthew 20, 20-28 The Mother of James and John and Mark 10, 35-44 Ambition of James and John. Discussion followed as to what stood out to us re: the reading, any particular word or phrase or how this passage may relate to us. Dawn Sundly will pick the reading for the November meeting.

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## Approval of Minutes

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Teresa asked to have the October minutes amended to clarify that the pilgrimage mentioned was not intended to be an M&M project. Sue made a motion to approve the minutes as amended from the last meeting, Mary seconded, motion approved.

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## Treasurer Report

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Linda reported our Minnco statement balance as of September 30, 2024 is \$5,674.76. Checkbook balance as of October 17, 2024 is \$5,574.76. We received .73 interest September 30, 2024. There is one outstanding check. #4036 \$100.00 Fr. Fitzgerald.

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## Faith Formation Rosary

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Teresa reported the Rosary night went very well. The youth were very enthusiastic in their participation.

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## Prayer Partners

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Teresa reported that 29 prayer card requests were returned. She will be sending out notifications to the participants.

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## Craft-Bake Sale

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Gambling permit has been approved. We decided to have 150 tickets printed they will be ready for sale the week-ends of November 9/10 and November 16/17. Tammy will set up the Sign-Up Genius website. Please take a look at it and sign up if you are able to help sell tickets after these Masses. Once again we will have three beautiful items to raffle thanks to Geri and Liz. A quilt, wall hanging and tree skirt. Thanks again ladies for sharing your talents with us!

## Donation Pacem in Terris

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Caryl mentioned there was an article in the Catholic Spirit re: the storm damage done to the retreat center and asked if the group would consider making a donation to help with the clean-up cost. According to the article a donor has offered to match first \$100,000.00 received. Shannon received a request donation letter that she gave to the group to use if needed. Liz made a motion to donate \$100.00 Linda seconded. After further discussion Claire made another motioned that we raise our donation to \$150.00 Sue seconded. Motion approved as amended. Linda will send the check.

## New Business

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**Hospitality:** Dec 8<sup>th</sup> Craft and Bake Sale will discuss more at next meeting.

We planned to set up on Friday December 6<sup>th</sup>. There is now a funeral scheduled for that day we will need to discuss at the next meeting.

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## Next Meeting

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Next meeting Thursday November 21, 2024 @ 5:00 Parish Hall

Closing prayer- Linda led us in the Hail Mary

Meeting Adjourned.