

Meeting was called to order by President, Darlene Bratager. Mary Zappa read an opening prayer. Darlene introduced new CCW member, Pat Oleson #775-296-0632. She will be in St. Bernadette circle. New member Mary Defoe will be in St. Rebecca circle. Nineteen members were present. Minutes for May 9 meeting were read and accepted with one correction: Darlene will continue as president until October when Pat Capra will be the new president. Treasurer Nancy Zappa reported a balance of \$3,744.15 in checking.

Old Business

- Welcoming Committee report – Katherine Husby contacted two new members, Therese Lewis and Pat Oleson.
- Scholarship Committee report - \$500 scholarship awarded to Nikki Fox
- Oskar Jiskra benefit – Sharon Herman reported the benefit was well attended and the family was thrilled with support from community and financial help.
- May 14 - SW Deanery meeting was attended by Darlene Bratager and Sharon Herman. 27 women attended and the speaker was Lori Bauman, director of Benjamin House.
- June 13-14 - the Superior Diocesan CCW Convention was held in Hayward.
- September 17-18 - the National CCW Convention will be held in Indiana.

New Business

- Welcoming Committee Update – New member Betty Kraemer was welcomed with a letter and added to St. Rebecca Circle.
- Funeral report – Sharon Herman and Toni Ann Knutson reported that the CCW has served 6 funerals since May 3. A committee will meet to discuss policies for amount to charge for funeral dinners. Committee members – Sharon Herman, Toniann Knutson, Katherine Husby, Carol Langley, Margaret Schutta, Rita Niebur, Mary Ranallo and Pat Capra. Sharon will contact cleaners for the kitchen stove. There is now a new microwave and new coffee maker in the kitchen. Special reminder for the circle doing the clean up after funeral dinners to take towels home to wash and return to kitchen.
- Dorothy Kurschner and Kathi Lindquist requested their names be removed from CCW list. Darlene also reminded circle leaders to let the President know if there are any inactive members or changes to be made to each circle.
- **Officers for 2016-2018** **President**-Pat Capra, **Vice President**-Barb Lynch, **Secretary**- Valarie Kohn, **Treasurer**-Mary Ranallo. Installation will take place at October 10 meeting.
- **Circle Leaders for 2016-2017:** Madonna-Val Kohn, St. Margaret-Ann Hendricks, Mother Cabrini-Ethel Anderson, St. Rebecca-Deb Jacobs, St. Theresa-Pat Skinner & Margaret Schutta, St. Ann-Mary Ranallo, St. Andrea-Joni Osumi Snow, St. Bernadette-Mary Modjeski & Marilyn Dierks.
- Handouts shared on Sept. 4 Canonization of Mother Teresa of Calcutta and Ideas to think about for raising interest in CCW and church activities in general. Darlene will discuss ideas with Deacon Steve.
- For the Good of the Order; for whom we pray: Oscar Jirska; Gary Hausdorf; the soul of Lucille Nelli; Cora Daubenspeck, granddaughter of Mary Ranallo; Mary Modjeski; Dale Knutson.

Next meeting: Monday, **October 10 at 3 p.m.**

Closing Prayer and Adjournment

Respectfully submitted: Secretary, Valarie Kohn