

Altar Society Meeting

October 3, 2023

1 pm

Members Present: Joann Gwinn	Mary Johnson	Sandra Johnson	Julie Parker
Lisa Eleby	Laurie Nedeau	Pat Geoffrion	Lois Gibson
Pat Lawry	Val Zinis	Geri Nault	Bonnie Perucco

Minutes read from October 3rd meeting with correction made of Mary Johnson and Joann Gwinn will host the religious table/ prime items. Geri Nault will float to areas of need through the sale.

Treasurer's report was incomplete due to not receiving the statements yet from the bank. Sandra did say there was a \$500.00 deposit today and a check written for \$152.00 for chair cleaning.

Concerns were expressed on the communion wine count. It appears to be much lower than expected as we no longer offer it during the mass. We last purchased 20 bottles in March 2023 and to date there are only 6 bottles left. Each bottle costs \$16.98 This issue will be watched closely.

This year the Altar Society will provide CCM with a \$200.00 gift.

The Altar Society will contact the Knights of Columbus to assist us in running the dishwasher during the bazaar luncheon (Saturday 11/4) and to help in packing up the bazaar items on Sunday the 5th.

The Altar Society will donate items to make a Thanksgiving-themed basket for the bazaar raffle. Items are to be nonperishable and available to Pat Lawry before November 1st.

Raffle tickets have been ordered and are awaiting their arrival from the printer. The tickets will state as follows: Saturday, November 4, 2023 from 10am – 2pm. Raffle drawing is at 2 pm. Luncheon is from 11am – 1pm which includes homemade beef barley soup, rolls, various salads, dessert with beverage choices of coffee, milk, and water. \$10 for adults / \$5 children

Advertising for the bazaar will consist of a Facebook entry on St. Michael's page, the Daily News and 8X10 posters to be distributed randomly in town to restaurants, grocery stores, local churches and laundromats.

Val Zinis and Julie Parker commended the Altar Society and the congregation on it's volunteer help in providing assistance for funeral luncheons. They conveyed much gratitude and thanks.

Next meeting is Monday, November 6th at 1 pm in the Zyrd Hall.

Submitted by Bonnie Perucco

