

Holy Trinity Orthodox Church - Sisterhood Meeting – April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Opening Prayer: The meeting was called to order by President Bev Kistner with the singing of “Christ is Risen.” There were 8 members present as well as Fr. Chris in attendance. Sisterhood president passed around various thank you cards.

Secretary’s Report: February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2017 minutes were read by Lynnae N. There were no additions or corrections and a motion was made by JoAnn S to accept the minutes, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Julie W., motion carried.

Treasurer’s Report: In the absence of the treasurer the financial report was reviewed the Sisterhood members. No additions or corrections noted and motion was made by Bev K. to accept the report, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Carol C., motion carried.

February:	Income: \$52.22	Expenses: \$416.00	Balance: \$14,412.82
March:	Income: \$819.99	Expenses: \$484.70	Balance: \$14,748.11

Capital Improvement Fund: \$4,432.46

Pastor’s Report: Fr. Chris reviewed the recent Paschal events, funeral of Matt Fall, and Mark Dzubay entering Monastic services. Fr. Chris also reported that while the Bishop is visiting Luke and Noah Savas will be issued their senior server stoles.

Council Rep Report: JoAnn S reports that new roof has been completed on St. Michael’s hall and now are looking at bids on the parish house roof. There is also discussion of extending the driveway in the cemetery.

Old Business: Bev K. thanked everyone for their hard work to clean the church and for the wonderful luncheon for Matt Fall. She also reported that the kitchen committee has made a list (in no specific order) of priorities for kitchen improvements. 1. Replace sinks, 2. Counter tops, 3. Flooring, 4. Paint walls/ceiling, 5. Roll down divider. The water results came back “bacteriologically safe.” A motion was made by Lynnae N. to make our usual Paschal donations of \$100 to St. Herman’s, St. Tikhon’s, and St. Vladimir’s seminaries, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Bev K., motion carried. A reminder was also given to all to take your Easter flowers home.

New Business: The Tupperware fund raising meeting will be on May 7<sup>th</sup> after coffee hour. The Bishop will be coming on June 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017 (which is also Pentecost). There will be no coffee hour this day, however there will be chicken from Neilson’s and a pot luck. There will also be a Vesper service on June 3<sup>rd</sup>. Flowers, bread, and salt will be presented to the Bishop on Sunday morning. Julie W. gave information on church garage sale; please have items priced beforehand, no appliances, kids clothing acceptable (but no adult clothing or shoes), bring in paper/plastic bags, no bake sale items, coffee may be sold, and set up will be done on Thursday for sure (but will most likely start before then). Julie W. made a motion to keep raffle prizes the same as last year minus the quilt and officers are to decide cash prizes later, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Royann F., motion carried. Val F. discussed Kwik Trip fundraising idea however, since there are few Kwik Trip in Clayton area it was brought up to check with BP stores to see if they have something similar to this. The idea of having an aluminum can recycling bin set up somewhere was presented as well.

Bake Sale:

May 14<sup>th</sup>, 2017: Val F., Tamie G., Megan J., and Bev K.

June 11<sup>th</sup>, 2017: Bianca L., Marge M., Paula M., and Cheri M.

July 9<sup>th</sup>, 2017: Kris M., Stacie M., Angie M., and Kari M.

Next meeting: June 11<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Adjournment: Motion was made by JoAnn S., 2<sup>nd</sup> by Val F., motion carried. Meeting closed with Singing of “Christ is Risen.”

Respectfully Submitted,

*Lynnae Nehring*, substitute Secretary