

## PCCW MEETING MINUTES

Saturday November 2nd, 2024, 9:00 AM

### Federal Pointe Grill

**1. CALL TO ORDER** – Maritza Torres called the meeting to order at 9:00 AM

Maritza led the *Prayer to Our Lady of Good Counsel*.

Harriet Glass led the *Pledge of Allegiance*.

Least Coin Can Collection was circulated.

**2. ATTENDANCE** – A Quorum was met (3 officers and members). Attendance sheet is attached.

- a. Maritza Torres – President
- b. Celia Cuadrado – Vice President
- c. Jeanne Blaker – Absent
- d. Kathy Reid – Treasurer
- e.

**3. MINUTES** – Approval of Minutes of October 12, 2024 - Minutes were approved by a motion made by Bonita Isenberger and seconded by Kathy Reid. The minutes were submitted for audit.

**4. CORRESPONDENCE** –

- a. Sunshine Correspondence – Grace Zaveckas reported on sending
  - 1. a card to Father Kelley (Pastor Recognition Month)
  - 2. a get well card to: Elizabeth Poje Glen.
  - 3. a sympathy card to Dan Rogers, for the death of his wife, Sue Rogers. For those who want to send a personal card to the family of Sue Rogers

Mr. Daniel Rogers

512 Oak St., Apt. 239

Taylor, PA 18517

- b. Correspondence – Jeanne Blaker was absent. Received for PCCW from Bev Ruggler.

**5. FINANCIAL REPORT** – Kathy Reid – Treasurer.

- a. Kathy Reid gave the following Treasurer's Report:

Balance on hand as of October 9, 2024 =	\$2,040.10
Receipts =	\$3,096.00
Expenditures =	\$1,561.99
Balance on hand as of Oct. 31, 2024 =	\$3,574.11

The report will be filed for audit.

- b. Raffle and Boxes of Joy is still ongoing. The expenditures are mostly reimbursements. Collecting Annual Dues and Christmas Dinner: Send or drop off cash or check to the Parish Office. SFX PCCW, ATTN; Kathy Reid, 455 Table Rock Rd, Gettysburg, PA 17325

## 6. COMMISSIONS

### a. Spirituality (Church/Retreats) – Cheryl Guy, Commission Chair (absent, report sent)

- (1) Confessions: Saturdays after 4:00 PM Mass, Weekdays after 7:00 AM Mass.
- (2) The weekly HDCCW Wednesday night Rosary: Please join via Zoom. A reminder email with the Zoom meeting being sent each week.
- (3) The Cloistered Heart discussion group: Please complete this Google form at <https://forms.gle/HnNPc7iY6NVcSkMC6> to answer a few organizational questions so we can get started. Please contact Cheryl Guy if you have any questions.
- (4) St. Monica Groups: meets every Tuesday at 1pm, St. John Paul Chapel
- (5) Prayer List: send requests to Vicky Mundt – [mundtv@gmail.com](mailto:mundtv@gmail.com)
- (6) Quarterly Holy Hour: Father Pray would like to have a quarterly PCCW Holy Hour before or after business meetings start in January 2025. Maritza will send out the details once dates are confirmed with Father Pray.

### b. Service

Community Concerns: Terri Gelles, Commission Chair:

Adams Christian Prison Ministries: No Report

Gettysburg CARES - No report. More information pending about breakfasts for the shelter.

Terri also commented on the Giving Spree for SFX school and the Prison.

Soup Kitchen Report: Bonita Isenberger

Volunteers are needed to provide unopened thawed packaged chicken thighs for

December 16th and 17th. Bonnie will have a sign-up sheet that also includes 2025. Maritza Torres

commented and encouraged participants to buy Scrip cards from the school, and Giant gift cards for Fr. Pray.

### (2) Family Concerns: Joyce Lawn, Commission Chair

- Weddings – one wedding this month.

### (3) Hispanic Ministry: Suzanne Landis, Commission Chair

- Suzanne encouraged to participate in Our Lady of Guadalupe events and masses, even if they are in Spanish.

### (4) International Concerns: Kay Walters, Commission Chair

- No report

### (5) Prayer Shawl – Meet the second Thursday each month (Aug-May) 1:00-2:30pm, Parish office fireplace room.

Prayer shawls are available at the parish office for anyone who is in need of one. Received a thank you card from Megan Celluci's daughter.

### c. Leadership

#### (1) Legislation/Respect Life: Harriet Glass, Commission Chair

a. Abortion issue: half million dollars to Planned Parenthood

b. Suicide: comment on difference between assisted suicide and end of life.

Pennsylvania Pro-Life Federation website is [paprolife.org](http://paprolife.org)

c. Grace Zaveckas informed about a pro-life committee meeting this month. Grace also thanks the people who have sent donations to TenderCare and Angel Project.

#### (2) Organization items. Need a chairperson

a. Promote meetings, clear communications at Parish, District, Diocesan levels, participate in conventions, workshops, and programs. Increase membership.

#### (3) Public Relations: Nancy Newbold, Commission Chair

a. Please forward any bulletin notice to Nancy for submission. The notice regarding the bazaar and gift fair has been sent to bulletin for submission.

b. There is an Art Contest for Girls, more details in the bulletin.

## 7. FUNDRAISING

- a. Jersey Mike's - Still waiting for a reply regarding a date in November to hold the Fundraiser at the Gettysburg location. It will be 4 to 7 pm
- b. RADA update – a cutlery fundraiser. Lisa distributed catalogs, showed orders, samples and commented on the good quality of the products and the ten years warranty. The delivery will be by December 10th, PCCW will receive 40% of all proceeds.
- c. Christmas Bazaar - attached information.
- d. Kathy Reid asked for the need of coins / bills for each bank for Bazaar
- e. Please donate whole baked goods, labeled.
- f. Church Women United meeting on the first Wednesday of the month.

## 8. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- a. PCCW members. Money for the raffle tickets should be turned in as soon as possible to Cherie. Money can also be dropped off at the parish office. Tickets are \$5 each.
- b. Reminder about the first annual Sister Phyllis Gala on January 4th. The cost is \$100/person to attend this formal event. If anyone would like to attend this event, contact Maritza as she is coordinating a table for PCCW members to sit together.
- c. Box of Joy: Lisa reported on the Boxes of Joy: 234 boxes so far. The fundraiser will close on Monday. Participants this year did better at putting money inside the box. There are still two checks pending for postage. Lisa thanks the volunteers, who helped in spite of the bad weather, and she commented that the children receiving the boxes will be very happy.
- d. Finalizing contract with Biggerstaff for June Mass and dinner, at the firehall. The deposit will be made shortly.

## 9. NEW BUSINESS;

### The following items were submitted for approval.

1. Conewago District Affiliation Dues \$25. Motion approved by Bonnie, seconded by Irene
2. NCCW Affiliation \$100. Motion approved by Bonnie, seconded by Terri
3. HDCCW Convention Assessment \$ 40.00. Motion approved by Terri, seconded by Nancy
4. HDCCW HOPE fund \$200. Motion approved by Terri, seconded by Katie
5. CDCCW No Bake Sale \$ 160.00 Motion approved by Bonnie, seconded by Nancy
6. Delone H.S Annual Fund \$100. Motion approved by Laura, seconded by Winnie
7. Diocesan Bulletin Ad \$300. Motion approved by Bonnie, seconded by Cherie
8. Giving Spree
  - a. SFX Catholic School \$200. Motion approved by Bonnie, seconded by Kay
  - b. Gettysburg CARES \$100. Motion approved by Irene, seconded by Kay
  - c. SCAAP \$100. Motion approved by Cherie, seconded by Donna K
  - d. Manos Unidas \$100. Motion approved by Grace, seconded by Nancy
  - e. Clergy Christmas Gifts \$100 each – Father Kelley and Father Pray (Proposed increase from \$50)  
Motion approved by Irene, seconded by Grace
  - f. SFX Parish Giving Tree \$100. Motion approved by Winnie, seconded by Nancy
9. NCCW annual fund - donation – Tabled to next meeting
10. NCCW PURSE CLUB (Vocation Donation). Motion approved by Irene, seconded by Joyce
11. Harrisburg Diocese Fishers of Men Appeal. \$250 (Proposed increase from \$100). Motion approved by Margaret, seconded by Irene.
12. Gift to the Parish after Bazaar. Amount pending final numbers, not to exceed \$4,000. Motion approved by Terri, seconded by Laura. Motion to approve the rest in the Spring 2025; approved by Cherie, and seconded by

Irene.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS/REMINDERS:**

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| a. | Adams County Giving Spree                        | Thursday, November 7, 2024     |
| b. | Holiday and Gift Bazaar                          | Friday/Saturday, November 8/9  |
| c. | Soup Kitchen chicken thighs Drop Off             | Monday/Tuesday, November 18/19 |
| d. | Christmas mass and dinner                        | Tuesday December 10th          |
| e. | Nancy's Christmas Party                          | Saturday December 14th         |
| f. | Scott Hahn's morning retreat at Seton's Basilica | Saturday December 14th         |

11. **ADJOURNMENT** 10:31 AM

12. **Final Prayer:** 5 Hail Mary's

13. **Next Meeting:** Saturday, January 1/11/2025 at 9:00 AM Federal Pointe Grill.

**List of Attendees**

1. Maritza Torres - officer
2. Celia Cuadrado – officer
3. Kathy Reid – officer
4. Nancy Newbold
5. Linda Wirth
6. Grace Zaveckas
7. Harriet Glass
8. Laura Potter
9. Kay Walter
10. Donna Kriger
11. Margaret Myers
12. Bonita Isenberger
13. Cherie Colomb
14. Terri Gelles
15. Winnie McMaster
16. Joyce Lawn
17. Joan Fox
18. Diane Reid
19. Lisa Kelly
20. Irene Borba
21. April Lamb
22. Lucy Jurcak
23. Karen Swartz
24. Regina Hollar
25. Lucy Swartz
26. Michelle Behan