

**SACRED HEART PARISH COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN
(Rosary Society)
March 10, 2025, 1:00 pm Meeting Minutes**

Opening Prayer was led by Arleen Gross, President.

Reports:

1. Reading & approval of February 10, 2025, meeting – Chris Zinda

Debbie Adamski moved approval of the minutes. Pat Gagas seconded.

2. Financial Report as of February 28, 2025– Judy Wroblewski

St. Ambrose PCCW General account - \$8,562.70

St. Ambrose Seminarian account - \$2,307.13

St. Ambrose PCCW Station of the Cross account - \$20,535.57

General checking account as of March 10, 2025 - \$19,707.46 (\$4,000.00 will be transferred into the St. Ambrose Station of the Cross Account.)

The Bingo net profit is \$3,161.94. Two more invoices need to come in so the net profit will change.

The PCCW received a bill for March for \$1,783.60 for hosts and votive candles. They did pay an invoice for \$1,783.60 in October. The PCCW was asked if they would also pay for the votive candles. Which they have been doing. One votive candle costs \$3.00. This money goes back to the parish. At the votive stand is a request for \$3.00 per candle that is lit.

Additional kitchen repairs besides the ceiling repair need to be made where the PCCW will have to cover the cost. After a discussion Debbie Adamski moved that the PCCW pay \$1,000.00 of the March invoice and in the future the cost of votive candles will not be paid by the PCCW. Virginia Groshek seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

3. Communications - Arleen Gross distributed a newspaper article about Loyce Kluck listing committees and boards she served on at Sacred Heart Parish.

Old Business:

1. Brother Miller Remembrance Celebration - February 13, 2026

Refreshments were available for guests at the celebration. Expected twenty-five but fifty visitors signed up. Feedback was positive on the wonderful mass and visitation.

The Christian Brothers will have a mass and celebration every year on February 13th.

The Brothers presented the Parish with a beautiful canvas of Brother Miller.

2. Bingo Feedback

Betty Ostrowski appreciated and thanked all the ladies who worked and also contributed to the cherry tree. The ladies thanked Betty for coordinating the bingo event. Last year the bingo funds went to the stations of the cross repainting. This year it will go to the kitchen repairs. At first the walls were going to be cleaned but after an inspection, the ceiling has to be cleaned and a fire retardant applied to the ceiling in order to meet code. Bids will be taken. The person who inspected the ceiling will be providing a quote.

New Business:

1. Diaper Drive April 20 to May 11

It was decided to have a silent diaper drive since on April 28th painting in the church will begin. This will involve monetary donations towards the purchase of diapers.

2. Rose Sale May 11.

Will be held at the entry doors to the basement where mass will be held while the church is being painted.

3. Pat Roberts

Bruce Roberts who is rehabilitating in a home is visited by Pat everyday while she is also recuperating. Sue Wanta moved that a gas gift card of \$100.00 be presented to Pat. Virginia Groshek seconded the motion for approval.

4. Parish Mission with our Lady of Guadalupe --- Holy Spirit Mon-Wed March 10-12

The Pope has declared this year the Jubilee Pilgrimage of Hope. Holy Spirit Parish has invited a guest speaker on the Lady of Guadalupe that will be taped. The ladies expressed interest in seeing the tape. Arleen will try to have the tape available for the next meeting.

5. Other

Barb Kurszewski informed the ladies that on March 12, 2025 at 7:00 p.m. the WI supreme court candidates will hold a debate on channel 9.2.

Voting will be held on April 1, 2025 for the Rosholt School referendum, Stevens Point School Board and the WI Supreme Court.

A Pizza Supper will be held on March 29, 2025 and the PCCW has been asked to provide deserts.

Closing prayer was led by Arleen Gross.

Next meeting is scheduled at 1:00: pm Monday, April 14, 2025. Thank you, Dorothy Burant, Pat Gagas, Theresa Kostuch, and Sue Wanta , for dessert and Arleen Gross for the soup. Sign up for desserts.

"During Lent, let us find concrete ways to overcome our indifference." Pope Francis