



MINUTES
Catholic Women's League General Meeting
Blessed Sacrament Parish, Amherstview, Ontario
Tuesday, November 8, 2016

1. All members were welcomed and the meeting was called to order by Bernadette Veitch.
2. The opening prayer was led by Spiritual Development Chair, Bernadette Burgess. Members participated in a Beatitude Reflection while remembering our deceased members.
3. The minutes of the October 11th, 2016 were circulated and reviewed by the members.
Motion by Margaret Wilson and seconded by Sue McDonald that the minutes be approved as circulated. **CARRIED**
4. **Business:**
 - a. **Elections** were held with the following results:
President: Mary Lou Hills
President-elect: Donna Guiney
Secretary: Theresa Shanks
Treasurer: Danna Dobson
Membership: Sue McDonald
 - b. **Snowflake Bazaar:** Updates were given from the committee chairs and questions addressed. Theresa Shanks reported on the success of the pie making preparation for the bazaar. 14 members assisted making 51 lg. pies (\$9.00) and 29 sm. pies (\$4.50).
 - c. **Advent Wreath Report:** Bernadette Burgess requested assistance from members for refreshments and encouraged all to participate on Sunday, November 27th. An outline of the logistics of the event was shared.
5. **Diocesan Events:**
 - a. Annual Diocesan Liturgical Retreat, Sat., November 12th facilitated by Father Rosica with the theme, *"From Mass to Mission"*.
 - b. Annual Diocesan Catholic Women's League Retreat, Sat., November 26th facilitated by Sister Denise Berube, CND with the theme, *"How Is It With Your Heart?"*.
 - c. Mass of Remembrance to be held at Blessed Sacrament November 29th @ 7 pm.
6. **Correspondence:** Thank you cards were received from Shirley Jaynes and Mary Siefred for the Mass offering for their birthdays. Mary also thanked us for the Mass and prayers for her brother.
7. **CPR Recertification** will be held Sat., February 26th @ 1 pm.
8. Members joined in the closing prayer for our parish partner of St. Denis in Athens and adjournment of the meeting followed.

Next Meetings: Dec. 13 Potluck; March 14; April 11; May 9 Potluck; June 13.

