

# OUR LADY of the BLESSED SACRAMENT GUILD

## Meeting Minutes – November 9, 2023

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| Attendance | Katie Babic, Megan Baco, Gina Pilla, Francesca Calanni, Emily Orlando, Margaret Videmsek, Christine Fioritto, Colleen Grossner, Paula Metz, Caitlyn Kozelj, Keely Bindas, Monica Zernic, Beth Juelich-Velotta, Andrea Benander, Gloria Mallia, Paula Metz |
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| Opening Prayer – | All |
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### Board Member Reports

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| President: Megan Baco | Welcome! Thank you for joining us this evening.<br>A past guild member, Rosemarie, is planning on making copies of an old Ladies Guild cookbook. |
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| Vice Presidents: Katie Babic and Emily Orlando | Planning Ladies Night Out. |
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| Recording Secretary: Gina Pilla | Meeting minutes will be posted on the school website - click on Parents and then Ladies Guild. |
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| Corresponding Secretary: Francesca Calanni | <b>Name</b>                  | <b>Reason</b>                                 | <b>Correspondence</b>                            |
|  | Mrs.DeSanto/Gina Pilla's Mom | Hip surgery                                   | Get-well card                                    |
|  | Ellie Baco, student          | Sprained ankle                                | Get-well card w/ prayer insert                   |
|  | Leilani Miller & Family      | Paternal Great-Grandma passed away            | Symp card  |
|  | Rosie Pavell, Guild member   | Passed away                                   | <b>\$25</b> donation to Westside Catholic Center |
|  | Michael Bakenie, K student   | Injured arm                                   | Get well card w/ prayer insert                   |
|  | Kathy Sanson, PSR teacher    | Bought coffee & donuts                        | TY card for hospitality                          |
|  | Knights of Columbus          | <i>Hosted PPF Mass</i>                        | TY card <i>mailed</i>                            |
|  | Fr. Falardeau & Fr. Paul     | Bday  | Fr. F <i>sent</i> & Fr. P <i>mailed</i> card     |
|  | Sr. Mary Dion Horrigan       | Bday  | Sent card  |
|  | Caitlyn Kozelj (& MIL Maria) | FIL passed away                               | Sent both cards, <b>\$15</b> Mass Donation       |
|  | Joe & Patty Catanese         | Giuseppe Pizza <i>donation for</i> Craft Show | TY card  |
|  | *All Priests & Parish Staff  | Christmas                                     | Christmas cards (28)                             |

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| Treasurer & Membership: Megan Baco/Emily Orlando | Beginning Balance: \$29,691.53    Disbursements: \$1492.24<br>Deposits: \$1,169 (dues)    Ending Balance: \$28,677.09<br><br>Emily Orlando and Megan Baco will be taking over treasurer duties until Megan De Haven returns after her husband finishes his rounds of chemotherapy. |
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### Committee Reports

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| Parliamentarian: Colleen Grossner | No Report |
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| Teacher Liaisons: Nancy Dulzer & Michele Longano | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Parent Teacher conferences finished up today.</li> <li>• No school tomorrow!</li> <li>• Snack cart was awesome and much appreciated.</li> </ul> |
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| Website/Facebook: Rene Guzik & Katie Babic | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Posted about Past, Present, Future mass</li> <li>• Craft Show – please share event postings</li> </ul> |
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## Craft Show Committee Reports

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| Co-Chairs - Colleen Grossner & Caitlyn Kozelj   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Craft Show will be Saturday, November 18 from 9:00-4:00</li> <li>▪ We currently have 105 vendors / 115 tables &amp; spaces filled.</li> <li>▪ We purchased new vendor entrance signs and signage to be placed outside on Colony and Wilson Mills.</li> </ul> |
| Volunteers: Beth Juelich-Velotta                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The 2:00-4:00 time slot needs more volunteers.</li> </ul>  |
| Service Hours: Nancy Dulzer                     | No Report   |
| Concessions: Christine Fioritto & Emily Orlando | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Monica will help in the kitchen</li> <li>• Purchasing food and supplies for the show</li> </ul>  |
| Raffle Table:                                   | Keely Bindas will shadow Caitlyn. We will have \$100 cash, \$100 restaurant gift cards, Kate Spade purse.   |
| Publicity: Katie Babic                          | Ads will be placed in Plain Dealer and Cleveland.com. Free advertising suggestions included Next Door & Cleveland Mom.  |

## Faith - Fellowship - Service

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| <b>Faith - Parish</b>   |  |
| Women's Retreat and/or speaker                                      | This is in the planning stages with more information to come.  |
| Outdoor Rosary  | Went well. The rainy weather held off. We will plan to do another one in the Spring.   |
| <b>Faith - School</b>   |  |
| Scholarship Committee: Nancy Dulzer                                 | \$1000 scholarship is awarded to an 8 <sup>th</sup> grade student who will attend a Catholic High School. The scholarship winner is chosen from an essay written by students.  |
| <b>Fellowship</b>   |  |
| Past Present Future Mass  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• November 12, 2023</li> <li>• Knights of Columbus will host a reception</li> </ul>   |
| Ladies Night Out Emily Orlando and Katie Babic                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Thursday, November 30 from 7pm-9pm in the Eymard room.</li> <li>• This year we will be collecting donations for Zelig's Home which is an organization that supports pregnant women and their children. They have locations in Lakewood and Garfield Heights.</li> <li>• Volunteer shifts sign up was passed around at meeting.</li> <li>• Kim Santagata is helping with food and set up for the night.</li> <li>• Guild will purchase 4 high top tables to be used at LNO and future Guild events.</li> </ul> |
| <b>Service - School</b>   |  |
| Faculty and Staff Appreciation Teacher Snack Cart Francesca Calanni | First snack cart was delivered and very well received! The next cart is planned for November 27. The sign-up sheet filled quickly.   |
| <b>Service - PSR Families</b>                                       |  |
|   | We will work with Brother James to determine how we can support and serve the PSR community.   |
| PSR Liaison Francesca Calanni                                       | Night Prayer Gathering - October 30 - Francesca was there and greeted everyone<br>Future Date: January 28 and April 28   |
| <b>Service - Parish &amp; Community</b>                             |  |
| Green Knight Gala   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• November 10, 2023</li> <li>• Event is sold out!</li> <li>• Guild will donate a Kendra Scott 3 strand necklace, wristlet and a \$50 gift card.</li> </ul>  |
| Ministry Fair   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• February 10 and 11, 2024</li> </ul>   |

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| Family Service Day                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Will form a committee to plan the event with school administrators</li> <li>• March 23, 2024</li> </ul>   |
| Additional Notes                    | Katie met with Fr. Lane. It was decided that the space we wanted to place the outdoor rosary is not going to work. Concerns were raised about additional hours weeding, mowing around stones and caring for the space. We will continue to discuss other campus areas that might work. |
| Closing Prayer<br>Dress Down Passes |  |

**Save the date:**

**Past Present Future Mass & Reception:**

November 12 at 10:30 - Church

**Craft Show Set Up: Next Weekend**

Friday, November 17, 2023

5pm-7pm - All School Building

**Craft Show:** Saturday, November 18, 2023

9am-4pm - All School Building

**Ladies Night Out:** Thursday, November 30, 2023

7pm-9pm - Eymard Room (PLC)

**Next meeting:** January 11 @ 7:30pm

Parish Office Parlor