

Attendance: Angela Feltz, Teri Gabor, Gary Gabor, Tom Egan, Irene Scoggins, Betty MacDougall, Deacon Bill Jacobs, and Lois Schering.

Absent: Bogdan Vacaliuc, Brendan Foley, and Piotr Ulmer.

Teri Gabor led the Holy Spirit Prayer and the Leaders Prayer.

Group Sharing by all present.

Secretary Report – Teri Gabor – Teri emailed the Secretariat minutes from the December 4, 2023, meeting to all members. Minutes accepted.

Treasurer Report – Tom Egan.

Current Balances

Checking account total	\$ 1836.97
Savings account total	\$ 2054.80
CD - 12/21/22	\$ 6275.27
CD - Fr. Joe	\$ 2500.00
CD – African Mission	\$ 1918.18
Total Assets	\$14,585.42

Tom is working with the Tennessee Department of Revenue and they are questioning our relationship with the Diocese. He is working with a lad at the diocese helping with that problem. Fundraising: We have been talking about it and I have been looking into the possibility of a payment processing system for the website. But will cost money. The cost of the weekend at CPOP has increased to \$30.00 a weekend. Perhaps the sponsor can ask to help to pay for the weekend. Tom stated that the agreed cost of the weekend was \$200.00. Irene suggested we do fun activities gathering to raise funds. Betty spoke of a scholarship fund in the name of a priest who has passed away to be donated or people from our own Cursillo Community. More discussion centered around the apps used to raise funds like We Share, Flocknotes etc. We want to be sure we make more money than we spend on the app. The Treasurer’s report was accepted.

Pre-Cursillo – Irene Scoggins – As we all know there is a Men’s Cursillo #58 coming up in two weeks, April 18th We currently have 15 Candidates signed up, with some others still thinking about it. She has sent out the welcome emails and copied sponsors and the ‘What to bring’ email to all candidates too. Some candidates are not aware the total cost of the weekend and have suggested they bring a check book. After further discussion, it was decided that the cost of the weekend will be placed on the current application so candidates are aware.

Pre-Cursillo – Gary Gabor – Men Weekend #58 Team formation is continuing for the Men’s Weekend. One candidate has a peanut allergy. Inventory for supplies is in process. Women’s Weekend #59 - We need to select a Rectora for the weekend. Upcoming Women’s and Men’s Weekends
Women’s Weekend #59 November 14-17, 2024, Men’s Weekend #60 April 3-6, 2025, Women’s Weekend #61 October 23-26, 2025. Women’s Rectora - A list of women as possible Rectora was discussed.

Post Cursillo - Betty MacDougall –

Clausuras - Men’s will be April 21st 4:00 pm at CPOP Benton TN, Women’s will be Nov 17th at 4:00 pm at CPOP Benton TN. Arrival time for Clausura is at 3:30 pm. Grand Ultreya - Does one need to be planned after the Men’s Weekend? Ultreyas - St. Mary’s, Johnson City (Zoom only) -2nd Thursdays at 6:30 pm (Thursday April 11th Patty Evan witness speaker - Last Tuesday Diocese of Knoxville Ultreya on Zoom 6:30 pm - last one is April 30th -

Our Lady of Fatima – Thursday, April 25th at 6:30 pm (Last Thursday of the month) Chattanooga is in-person at St. Jude's 2nd Thursday of every other month 7:00 pm - School of Leaders - Lyn Roman has volunteered to assist, but not lead the SOL. Lyn has offered to help as a parish rep at All Saints Parish.

Spiritual Advisor – Deacon Bill Jacobs – Fr Jerry Daniels will be handling the Sacraments at the Men's weekend and Deacon Bill, Deacon Frank Fisher and Deacon Brian will assist. Sunday Mass will be adjusted to allow travel time for Fr. Jerry. Deacon Bill has updated the Clausura book and removed the Spanish language. Discussion was held on the Clausura and changes. We will print 60 booklets.

Palanca – Lois Schering – Already printing Palanca for the Men's weekend and will contact Baron Johnson to bring to the weekend.

Website/Webmaster – Bogdan Vacaliuc – Not Present –

Old Business – Secretariat Vacancies – Secretary (2024-2026) – Vacant and School of Leaders (2022-2025) - Vacant

New Business – National Encounters:

2024 – National Encounter – Philadelphia, PA (3rd week in July)

2024 – Regional Encounter – November 15-16 – Diocese of Indianapolis, Lafayette, Indiana

2025 – Spring Regional Volunteer Needed

2025 – Fall Regional Encounter – Diocese of Louisville

New Business: Rectora Selection and Clausura Format Rewrite have already been discussed. Air Mattresses found at St. Therese – could we donate them to Youth ministry for their use.

Next Meeting – Next Secretariat Meeting will be June 3rd at 7 pm. If that is a difficult time for everyone let Teri know.

Deacon Bill Jacobs closed the meeting in prayer.

Respectfully Submitted, Teri Gabor