

At our April meeting Rev. Lehman led the prayer with 12 members present. No further devotional service was had because of Lent service.

Delegates to Regional Women's Guild are to be the officers and Mrs. Lehman. A registration fee of \$.50 is to be paid.

Rev. Lehman then spoke about the Service Center for men in the services. A motion was then made and seconded to donate \$25.00 for this service center.

Letter was read from American Mission to Lepers Mrs. Conrad, Much and Schwartz are to attend.

The Confirmation Arch is to be \$10.00 this year.

Mrs. M. Haas was the only new member.

5 sick calls were made by the Good Cheer Committee.

\$306.05 has been collected to date for the Imaginary Supper.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned with the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully submitted

Mrs. J. Schroeder
Acting Secretary.

34 members were present at our last meeting held on May 5th.

Mrs. DeDaughn read the scripture and Mrs. Grape led in prayer.

Secretary & treasurer reports ordered filed.

Building Fund to date is \$10812.68

2 calls were made by the Good & Beautiful Committee.

The donations for the Imaginary Supper amounted to \$429.90.

Mrs. Grape then gave a talk on different subjects which she spoke on at the Chesapeake Regional Women's Conference.

Different ladies were picked to serve as chairwomen of the different Educational Groups in our society

namely. Mrs. Grape - Musician - Mrs. DeDaughn.

General Educational - Mrs. Grape, Stewardship - Mrs.

Ermer - Social Service, Mrs. Seifert - Spiritual Life.

A motion was made and seconded to purchase kits and book marks for the different Educational Groups.

A visit to Green Spring Dairy is being planned for May 26 at 10.30 tickets on sale for \$.25.

Mrs. Lehmann was appointed as a Delegate for the Women's Guild Summer Conference to be held from July 18th to 21st at Hood College.

All members were asked to attend ^{the morning} service on Mother's Day in a body.

There being no further business the meeting closed with prayer after which refreshments were served.

Respectfully submitted

Mrs. C. Wolbut

Secretary.

At our last meeting held on June 3rd. there were 30 members present.

Mrs. Seifut read the topic, Mrs. DeVaughn the scripture with Mrs. Krapp leading in prayer.

Secretary and treasurer reports ordered filed.

We were very happy to congratulate Mrs. Wityke on her 77th birthday.

Another donation of \$3.00 was added to the collection for the Imaginary Supper the total being \$432.90.

At our recent visit to the Green Spring Dairy \$26.55 was cleared.

A motion was then made and seconded to disband meetings in July and August.

Motion was made and seconded to purchase two hand embroidered Bible markers.

Call was made by the Good Cheer Committee.

A motion was made and seconded to pay for kits and book markers to be used by the chairladies of the different Educational Groups.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned with prayer after which refreshments were served.

Respectfully submitted
Mrs. C. Wolbat
Secretary.

At our last meeting held on September 1st. there were 25 members present.

Mrs. Emma Brown read the scripture with Mrs. Gripe leading in prayer.

Secretary and treasurer reports ordered filed.

There were two Birth days, Mrs. Miller & Miss Rose Weidel.

Six calls were made by the Good Cheer Committee during the summer months.

A motion was then made and seconded to donate \$15.00 toward expense of Service Men's Breakfast to be served on September 5th. and 12th.

A motion was also made to purchase three new collection books.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned with prayer, after which refreshments were served.

Respectfully submitted.

Mrs. C. Wolbat
Sec.

At our last meeting held on October 6 there were 56 members present.

Mrs. Seifert lead ~~in~~ the devotion with Mrs. DeVaughn reading the scripture and Rev. Lehmann leading in prayer.

Reports of secretary and treasurer ordered filed. 3 calls were made by the Good to be here Committee. A motion was then made and seconded to give \$500.00 to the Building Fund.

The president Mrs. Conrad then asked for ladies to serve at our 70th. Anniversary Banquet. A motion was made and seconded to have the Communion set lacquered.

Mrs. Lehmann & Conrad were appointed as delegates for the Regional Conference to be held on October 12th. The collecting committee for our Annual Oyster Supper was then selected namely the Mrs. Grape DeVaughn, Schwarty, Beckwith, Ramia, Mack, Conrad and Wolbert.

A motion was then made and seconded to challenge \$100.00 for 1944 to the Women's Guild of the Potomac Synod.

After the business meeting we were very happy to welcome Mrs. S. Casselman as our guest speaker for the 70th Anniversary. Mrs. Casselman gave a very interesting talk on the work she and her husband are doing in the trailer camp at Middle River.

After which refreshments were served.

Respectfully submitted

Mrs. C. Wolbert
Secretary.

There were 32 members present at our last meeting held on November 3rd. 1948.

Mrs. Grape read the scripture and Mrs. Seifert the topic with Rev. Lehmann leading in prayer.

Secretary and Treasurer reports ordered filed.

Our Building Fund to date is \$ 11,312.68.

Good & New Committee reported making ~~three~~ four calls.

Mrs. Seifert and Grape were then ~~appointed~~ appointed to serve on the Nominating Committee.

At our next meeting to be held on December 1st. our annual Christmas Party is to be held, with the secretary notifying all members to come and bring a small package for Santa Claus.

We were very happy to greet three new members namely the Mrs. M. Muehleburger, A. Schmidt and J. Dossa, we are very ^{glad} happy to have you with us and do hope it will be a great pleasure to you.

Mrs. Schwanit and Reimers were appointed to serve on the Auditing Committee.

Mrs. Conrad then spoke on the coming Oyster Supper asking all to please come and help as much as they could.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned with prayer, after which refreshments were served.

Respectfully submitted
Mrs. C. Wolbert
Secretary.

At our last meeting held on December 1st. there were 66 members present.

Mrs. DeMaugh read the scripture, Rev. Lehman the prayer and Mrs. Siefert read the topic.

Secretary and Treasurer reports were ordered filed.

Rev. Lehman then extended greetings to the three new members.

Good Cheer Committee reported making two calls.

The report of the Auditing Committee was satisfactory.

Report of the nominating was as follows:-

Mrs. Mary Conrad - President

Mrs. Lillian Rasmia - Vice president

Mrs. Theresa Schroeder - Treasurer

Mrs. Bessie Dvings - Secretary.

The following committees were then selected:-

Sick or Good Cheer Committee - Mrs. E. Mack & Mrs. C. Hagedorn.

Refreshment Committee the Mrs. Wityke, Brown & Turner.

Benevolence Fund Committee - Mrs. B. Ernes.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned with prayer, after which our Annual Christmas Party was held.

Respectfully submitted

Mrs. C. Wolbert

Secretary.

January 5th, 1944.

The regular monthly meeting of our Ladies Aid Society was held on the above date; with 33 members present.

Mrs. M. De Vaughn read the scripture. Mrs. M. Seifert read the topic, also led us in a prayer service. Prayers were offered by several of our ladies for "Peace among Nations".

Rev. Lehmann read a poem called "Praying Slaves". He asked that our slogan be "See you in Church".

Minutes of the secretary were approved as read, treasurer's report ordered filed.

The report of the Oyster Supper was read. The profits were 1,165.24.

Five calls were made by the Good Cheer Committee.

A motion was made and seconded to purchase tarnish^{proof} cloths, out of which covers for communion set will be made.

Mrs. C. Wolbert was appointed to serve on a committee, to purchase a cupboard for our linens.

Mrs. M. Conrad read a Thank you note from Ruth Lehmann and Quentin Flickenger for the lovely gift they received from the Ladies Aid Society. Ruth said she will think of the ladies whenever she uses the dishes.

Mrs. De Vaughn thanked the ladies for the service rendered to the Eastern Star. After the Lord's Prayer, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted

Mrs. B. Doenges.
Secy.

Feb. 2nd, 1944

Our regular monthly meeting was opened with the singing of the hymn "Now Thank we O Lord". Mrs. M. De Vaughn read the scripture. Mrs. L. Swartz read the First Topic: Milestones of Progress in our Indian Church, and "I will Build My Church." Second Topic: Pageant of Progress of 75 years was read by Mrs. M. Seifert. Prayer by Mrs. H. Froehlich.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved and treasurer's report ordered filed.

No calls reported by the Good Cheer committee.

Motion made and seconded for a plant to be sent to our sick friend, Mrs. Moss, also any other member that the Good Cheer committee may think needs a Gift of Cheer.

We were pleased to welcome Mrs. May Getz, who spoke to us of the good work the Baltimore Council of Churches are doing.

A motion was made and seconded to give them a check for \$25.00

Motion made and seconded to send "The Messenger" to Mrs. M. Seifert.

We are thankful to Mrs. Hillner for the \$5.00 donation.

We surely appreciate the work Mr. Musch is doing in putting shelves in the cupboard for our linens.

The profits received were \$13.94

Mrs. J. Lehmann announced that the World-Wide Day of Prayer would be held at our Church Feb. 25th 1:30 P.M. and urged all members to attend.

We congratulate Mrs. L. Ramia upon reaching another birthday.

We are pleased to welcome Mrs. S. Le Brun 3502 O'donnell St as a new member.

Meeting adjourned following the Lord Prayer.

Respectfully submitted

Mrs. B. Doenges.

Secty.

On March 1st there were fifteen members present when our Ladies Aid Society met for a short meeting. There were no scripture or topic due to Lenten service which followed the meeting.

Mrs. M. Seifert led in prayer.

Reports of secretary & treasurer were ordered filed.

Our "Good Cheer Committee" reported three calls.

Mrs. Conrad made two suggestions, first that we have a chicken supper May 9-10. second that we postpone our next meeting until April 12th due to the regular date falling during Holy Week.

After the Lord's Prayer meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted

Mrs. B. Doenges

Secretary

At our meeting on April 12, 1944 there were 27 members present.

The Topic was read by Mrs. Seifert and prayer was read by Mrs. K. Wolbert.

Reports of secretary and treasurer were read and approved.

There were 2 calls made by Good Cheer Committee Collections Committee for Chicken Supper are the Mesdames Conrad, S. Raimie, L. Swartz, E. Mack, M. Witzke, K. Grape, M. De Vaughn, B. Doenges.

Motion made and seconded to buy cards for the boys visiting the Service Centre.

A meeting is to be held by the Women's Regional Guild at St. John's Church. April 25th.

The delegates appointed to attend were the Mesdames Lehmann, M. Trautner, A. Musch, Reimers, L. Swartz, Gensler, and Grape.

The delegates offered to pay their own registration fee of 50¢.

In the absence of Rev. Lehmann, Mrs. Conrad welcomed Mrs. LeBrun as a new member.

The meeting was closed with prayer, after which refreshments were served.

Respectfully submitted
Mrs. B. Doenges
Secretary

Thirty members attended our Ladies Aid meeting on May 3, 1944.

Mrs. Seifert led us in a short devotional with the reading of the Topic and singing of hymns.

Mrs. Sanders led in prayer.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved, treasurer's report ordered filed.

Two calls were made by our Good Cheer committee.

Motion made and seconded to give \$30.00 to the E + R Service Centre.

Mrs. Grape spoke on the Mission Work done by the Women's Regional Guild.

Mrs. Lehmann gave a report of the Women's Guild Conference.

The Guild asked that each Chairman make out a monthly report, so we will get the credit for the work that we do.

The question of Flood's College was mentioned to be taken up at another meeting.

Plans for our Chicken Supper May 9 + 10 were then discussed. Mrs. Conrad asked every one personal to help at supper.

Rev. Lehmann requested the Ladies attend Church in a body on Mother's Day.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned with prayer, after which refreshments were served. After refreshments a enjoyable time was had by the ladies washing dishes for the Chicken Supper.

Respectfully submitted
Mrs. B. Doenges.
Secretary.

32 members were present at our meeting held on June 7, 1944.

Responsive reading was led by Mrs. E. Brown. Theme, Our Responsibility to America was read by Mrs. Seifert.

The Athenian Oath was read by Mrs. M. Uitzke. Mrs. Wolbert offered prayer. Mrs. Graze spoke on what is being done with the Thank Offering.

One call was reported by the Good Cheer Committee. Mrs. L. Swartz was appointed to take the place of Mrs. Slerget on the Good Cheer Committee.

There was ~~only~~ ^{two} birthdays. Mrs. Uitzke age 78 yrs & Mrs. Kahler 69 yrs.

To date \$886.53 was cleared on the Chicken Supper, with a few more tickets outstanding. Mrs. L. Schmann was appointed to attend the Conference at Hood College.

Motion made for the officers to invest \$1,000 in the best possible way.

Motion made and seconded to send \$1,000.00 to the Deacones Hospital in St. Louis.

The meeting adjourned with prayer, after which refreshments were served. Thanks to Mrs. Turner, M. Uitzke, E. Brown for the delicious cookies.

Respectfully submitted
Mrs. B. Doenges
Secretary

Thirty members of our Ladies Aid Society met Sept. 6th.

Mrs. M. Seifert leading, Mrs. E. Brown read the scripture, Mrs. Schroeder the prayer.

Creed for Women of Good Will read by Mrs. M. Witke.

Reports of Secretary and Treasurer were ordered filed.

Four calls were made during the summer to our sick.

A final report of the Chicken Supper was read, with a net profit of \$911.53.

We congratulate Miss Rose Weidel upon celebrating another birthday.

Mrs. May Getz was welcomed as a new member.

Mrs. Getz thanked the ladies for the cakes and gifts that they donated to the Service Centre.

Motion made and seconded to give the balance of the money needed to purchase the drapes to be used at the Service Centre.

Rev. Lehmann received a letter of Thanks for the \$100.00 donated to the Deaconess Hospital.

Mrs. J. Lehmann & Mrs. May Getz were appointed as delegates to attend the 2nd Biennial meeting of the Potomac Synodical Women's Guild to be held at Christ E+R Church, Martinsburg W. Va. Oct 5+6th.

The secretary was asked to send cards to all members, inviting them to attend our Rally Meeting Oct. 4th.

After the Lord's Prayer, meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted.

Mrs. B. Doenges.

Secy.

44 members were present at our Rally Meeting held on Wednesday Oct. 4th.

Mrs. Grape led in prayer. Mrs. De Vaughn read the 23rd Psalms.

Secretary and treasurer reports read and ordered filed.

Gene called reported by the Good Cheer Committee. We were then happy to welcome Mrs. Emma Lowman as a new member.

Mrs. Grape was appointed a delegate to attend the Regional Conference of Ministers + workers of our Churches, which was held at St. Matthew's Church Oct 10th.

Our coming Oyster supper was next discussed dates being Nov. 14 + 15.

Our solicitors will be Mrs. Mack, Mrs. Throader, Mrs. L. Stewart, Mrs. Grape, Mrs. Ramia, Mrs. De Vaughn, Mrs. Conrad, Mrs. Trautner, Mrs. Wolbert, Mrs. M. Vitzke + Mrs. B. Doenges + Mrs. J. Selmann.

The members of the Ladies Aid were invited to the Women's Rally on Oct 18th.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned with prayer after which refreshments were served and a very interesting talk by Mrs. James Neely was enjoyed by all.

Respectfully submitted
Mrs. B. Doenges.
Secretary.

The meeting on Nov. 1st 1944 was opened by Mrs. Grape with a very inspiring Thank Offering Service. Mrs. Marie Von Behren sang a Solo. Thirty five members were present. Reports of Secretary & Treasurer were ordered filed. 1 visit to sick was reported.

Mrs. May Setz and Mrs. J. Lehmann brought back a very interesting message from the Potomac Synodical Women's Guild which was held at Christ E. & R. Church, Martinsburg W. Va.

Mrs. Grape also gave a report on the Conference at St. Matthew's Church.

Our coming Byster Supper was then discussed, all ladies were asked to help at this time.

Mrs. Grape, Mrs. M. Witzke & Mrs. Beckwith were appointed to serve on the nominating committee. Auditing Committee Mrs. May Setz & Mrs. M^{rs}. Cornick. Motion made & seconded to give \$25.00 from the Benevolences Fund, for the work among the Service men.

Secretary was asked to notify all members to bring a gift for Santa Claus and a towel for the Service Men, to our Christmas Party. Dec 6th.

We Congratulate Mrs. Anna Brown, who has passed another birthday.

After the Lord's Prayer, meeting adjourned after which refreshments were served. The Ladies enjoyed the play given by the ^{young} Women's Guild.

Respectfully submitted
Mrs. B. Doenges.
Secy

Sixty four members of our Ladies Aid Society met on Dec. 6th for our Christmas Party.

Mrs. Grape opened our meeting with Prayer. The 98th Psalm was read by Mrs. De Vaughn. The minutes of the last meeting was read and approved. The report of the treasurer was next read and accepted and ordered filed.

A report of the Oyster supper was read, final report to be heard later.

1 call reported by the Good Cheer Committee. We congratulate the following who have passed another milestone, Mrs. M. Wolbert, Mrs. White, Mrs. Wilmer, and Mrs. L. Swartz.

Auditing Committee reported every thing in order. The secretary was instructed to write a note to Margaret Corame, President of the Young Women's Guild, thanking them for the good work they had done for the Oyster supper, also a note of thanks to Mr. Will for the donation of the ice cream for our Christmas Party.

After the report of the Nominating committee, the same officers were re-elected with the exception of the Vice-President, Mrs. L. Ramia, who asked to be released and Mrs. De Vaughn was elected to that office.

A rising vote of thanks was extended Mrs. L. Ramia for her services.

The following committees were appointed.

Social - Mrs. M. Witzke, Mrs. L. Swartz, Mrs. Grape & Mrs. G. Brown.

Good Cheer, Mrs. E. Mack and Mrs. C. Slerget.

Devotional, Mrs. M. Seifert and Mrs. Grape.

Missionary - Mrs. May Getz and Mrs. Grape.

Benevolence - Mrs. R. Ermer.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned with prayer.

Our Social Committee had there Christmas Party in readiness. Dear old Santa Claus exchanged gifts with all of us. We were very glad to have quite a number of the Board of Directors with us to enjoy the singing of the Christmas Carols, and the entertainment provided by Mrs. Beckwith. A very lovely evening was spent by all, with many thanks

to our Social Committee

Respectfully, submitted
Bessie Daenges.

Secty

Chairman of Departments for 1945-

- Christian Citizenship - Mrs. May Setz
- Education - Mrs. May Setz
- Membership - Mrs. Mack
- Missionary - Mrs. May Setz
- Social - Mrs. B. Ermer
- Thank Offering - Mrs. Grape
- Spiritual Life - Mrs. Mary Seibert

Twenty-nine members were present when our ladies met on Jan. 3, 1945.

Rev. Lehmann led in prayer after the singing of the hymn "O Zion, Hasten."

Mrs. Trape read the scripture.

Reports of secretary and treasurer were accepted as read and filed.

The Good Cheer committee reported two calls.

We heartily congratulate Rev. Lehmann and Mrs. L. Ramia, upon reaching another birthday.

All were happy to learn that the net proceeds on our Oyster Supper amounted to \$1,643.35.

Mrs. Conrad thanked the ladies for the gift that she received from them on her 40th wedding anniversary.

Rev. Lehmann also thanked us for the Christmas Gift that was given to Mrs. Lehmann and him.

The secretary has been requested to give Mrs. Mueller the names of all delinquent members.

Donation of \$5.00 from the Eastern Star accepted with thanks.

A card was read from Harry Hopkins and daughter gratefully acknowledging and thanking for the kind expression of sympathy shown at the time of their bereavement.

We are thankful to Mr. Perry for bringing his movie machine to show the pictures of the Emmaus Home of the Incurables, St. Charles Mo. which were very interesting.

Our refreshments was a treat from Mrs. Conrad
Many thanks.

Respectfully, submitted,
Bessie Doenges.
Secty.

On February 7, 1945 there were 36 members present at our regular business meeting of the Ladies Aid Society.

The topic was read by Mrs. May Gety, after which the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved, and treasurer report ordered filed.

Two sick calls were reported made during January.

The following ladies celebrated their birthdays Mrs. Mary Fisher and Mrs. M. Muellerberger.

We were glad to welcome Mrs. Anna Hudson Mrs. Anna Messal and Mrs. Andrews as new members.

Rev. Lehmann expressed his thanks for the Stole that was presented to him on his birthday.

It was voted to give \$10.00 to the Women's Regional Guild, also to contribute \$25.00 to Baltimore Council of Churches.

Donation of \$5.00 from Mrs. Lilner accepted with thanks.

Motion made and carried to send \$25.00 as a gift to the Women's Auxiliary of Elmhurst College for their twenty fifth anniversary.

Mrs. Conrad read a note of thanks from the Boy's Brigade, for the use of our table cloths.

After the Lord's Prayer meeting adjourned, after which pictures were shown by Rev. Lehmann of the life of the people in India.

Respectfully submitted
Bessie Doenges.
Secretary.