MINUTES FOR ST. ANDREW'S CONFERENCE MEETING Date: 7/10/23

<u>Call to Order/Opening Prayer:</u> Pauline Time: 5:01 p.m.

Guest Speaker: Shirley Thomas from Goodwill talked about the job network.

Minutes of Previous Meeting: (X) Read/Approved; Approved with Changes

Motion by: Ann L Seconded by: Larry

Attendance: Total Active Members (36) LOA (5) Present (25) Absent (6) Quorum (17)

MEMBERS		<u>MEMBERS</u>		<u>MÈMBERS</u>		Associate Member	
Al	X	Janet	A	Pat	X	Maria	
Ann F.	X	Jerry	X	Pauline	X	Barbara S	
Ann L.	X	JoAnn	LOA	Sandra	X	Ann Fellrath	
Colleen	X	Jose	A	Scotty	X	Michaela	
Dennis	A	Kathy	X	Stephen	X		
Diane	X	Larry	X	Toni	X	Visitors	
Dotti	X	Margaret	X	Yolanda	X	Chuck B	X
Estela	X	Marianne	LOA			AnnLee	X
Francisca	X	Marge	X			Melissa	X
George	LOA	Martha G.	LOA				
Gini	A	Mary Ellen	LOA			Training	
Glenn	X	Mary	A	Father Greg *	A	Kathy Calabrese	
Gloria	A	Michael C	X	Stan *	X	Tillie Munoz	
Hilary	X	Norm	X				
Ilona	X						

^{*}Stan and Father Greg - Not included in Quorum

Upcoming Events:

July 11, 2023: Corporate Communion Mass

Old Business:

- 1. Pauline will be making an appointment at the bank for Check Signers
- 2. Cochise County wide Food Drive was a success! 38k lbs of food was collected and is being distributed. If anyone would like to volunteer, Pauline has a website for the LDS.

NEW Business:

- 1. Please review the schedule and signup as we have a lot of Vincentians that are out of town.
- 2. We talked about removing the birthdates from our friends file however it has caused an issue in locating files resulting in new files and not past data. Please update their birthdate(s) if it is not already on the file.
- 3. When a new Friend comes in have them fill out the information sheet, write "NEW" on the top and all help that you provided on the bottom or the back. Give the form to Blanca to

enter.

- 4. When a Friend comes in and asks for a voucher for clothing for a job interview, casually ask what they plan to wear. Some are not aware of the appropriate clothing and are losing out on a job due to inappropriate wear. If they need a voucher for the clothes, write "JOB INTERVIEW CLOTHING" on the bottom of the voucher.
- 5. Our Guest Speaker, Shirley Thomas is available inside Goodwill 9-4 (closed for lunch 12-1) She can also help people sign up with DES and get food stamps. The classes that are offered at Goodwill require three people to be in the sign-up for it to occur because the teacher will come down from Tucson
- 6. Stan was awarded a 20 year pin, told of his Food Bank journey and cake was served.

COMMITTEE REPORTS: Due: July 10th

A: Food Bank Report:B: Thrift Store ReportC: Finance Report:

D: The Poor Box Report:

Vincentian Reports on difficult or touching cases:

- Pauline received a call from Illinois for a family member that is living out of an RV, has health issues and needed a/c. She was able to get that man a portable A/C.
- Stephen had a mom that couldn't work a 2nd job due to a hand injury.

Home visits:

 Larry and Pauline had a home visit and will be helping him due to his handicaps. Ideas were suggested for places to help

Special case/Shepherd's Way: Amount available	
For the Good of the Order: Corporate Communion Mass July 11	
Spiritual Reading: Margaret	

Vincentian Schedule: Will be emailed separately.

Prayers for others: Will be emailed separately

COMMITTEE MEETINGS:

• Food Bank Meeting: TBA

• Finance Meeting: (ZOOM may be necessary)

- Thrift Store Meeting: July 18, 2023 @1:00 p.m.
- Board Meeting: July 25, 2023 @10:00 a.m.

Adjourned: 5:46 p.m.

Recorder: Toni Mott - Secretary