

Human Concerns Minutes

Tuesday, May 11, 2010

St. Mary Church, Mayville – 7:00 PM

Present: Willis Heideman, Cindy Thomae, Marie Berry, Margie Cramer, Ann Guse, Ellen Guse, Marge Brandel, Wendy Falevsky, Dr. Mike Bachhuber, Joan Kunstmann, Carrie Mueller, Janine Andes

PAVE Collection: Not a very good turnout this year, however, PAVE was very appreciative for the items we did collect. We were unable to put our display where we usually do which is in a more visible location. This might be why we didn't receive as many items this year.

May Hygiene Collection: We are in the midst of the May Hygiene Collection and lots of items are coming in.

Outreach Program: Our first batch of surveys have come back. We received 2 responses requesting assistance with such things as grocery shopping, rides to church and appointments, jobs around the house, and being checked on daily. 5 responses were received offering help with many of the same things people were looking for help with.

A sub-committee has been formed to discuss issues such as how to go about running the program. The sub-committee consists of Dr. Mike Bachhuber, Marie Berry, Willie Heideman, Ellen Guse, and Marge Brandel. They will be meeting Tues., May 18, 2010 at 3:30 pm at St. Agnes Clinic's conference room.

Dr. Mike will check with attorneys Patrick Madden and Tom Schuessler to see if there are any liability concerns with offering rides.

Marie Berry will find out what county services are available to those seeking assistance.

Dr Mike reported that St. Agnes will not get directly involved with our outreach but will give us the support we need.

It was decided to put the survey form in the bulletin again the weekend of May 22-23. Ann Guse offered to handle this. Janine will contact Don Bauer to see if he can put the survey form on our parish web-site.

Next Meeting: Our next meeting is Tuesday, June 8, 2010 – 7:00 PM at St. Andrew Hall in LeRoy.

Respectfully submitted by Janine Andes