Women's Ministry Annual Report- 2020

Thank you to everyone for faithfully joining with us to minister to women in 2020! As I reflect on the unprecedented times and challenges we faced in 2020, I am reminded of two things. First, God is still good and He is still at work. Second, even though our church building had to close for a period of time, this did not stop the church (followers of Christ) from worshipping, serving, and finding creative ways to minister to those in our lives. In this report I will highlight the events that were held in 2020, as well as a summary of our budget/account for the year.

Below is a summary of Women's Ministry events & activities from 2020:

In January, the Women's Ministry participated in Sanctity of Life Sunday by hosting the Blessing of the Children at PCF. Annabelle Bewick organized this event and shared a brief message on the importance of dreaming small, because small things add up to big things. Teams were available after the service to pray for children and their families.

In March, Women's Ministry held the "Spring Secret Sisters" event (which had been planned in 2019 but was a perfect fit for the pandemic/shutdown during the spring of 2020). Ladies drew names and were encouraged to bless their secret sister in any way they felt led. Many were blessed with cards, letters, texts, calls, gifts and prayer.

On Mother's Day, Jodi Hokenson shared a Sunday morning message "for mothers and everyone who has ever had a mother" on the topic of "Mary, Mother of God".

In July, the Women's Ministry held our annual event "Under the Pavilion" at PCF. There was an open time of sharing about ways in which God had been faithful and good to us during the pandemic. This event also included a picnic-style dinner

(everyone brought their own) and a time of prayer and encouragement.

In December 2020, Women's Ministry held the second annual Women's Christmas Tea and Brunch at PCF. We were blessed to have the brunch catered by Chef Alex Dispence. Ladies were encouraged by Emily Long, who shared a personal testimony and message on "Waking Your Inner Wonder Woman".

These events would not be possible without the support of so many talented, generous, and Christ-filled women (and a few men ©). Thank you to everyone who attended, helped set up, and prayed for any of our events in 2020. Thank you to Jodi Hokenson, Kathy Wypij and Val Prutsman for serving as leaders with me on the Women's Ministry team.

Respectfully submitted,

Jessica Wypij, Valerie Prutsman, Kathy Wypij and Jodi Hokenson

Women's Ministry Account Details

2020 Beginning Balance: <u>\$259.28</u>

<u>Income (offerings/money for tickets collected)</u>

Love offerings: \$100, \$28, \$150, \$200 Carol McLeod conference- \$201 Tickets for Christmas Brunch \$400

Total Income: \$1,079.00

Expenses:

Event speakers: \$100, \$200 Carol McLeod conference- \$201 Christmas Brunch \$500

Water bottles \$34.77

Supplies for brunch (cups/plates/table cloths) \$93.24

Blessing of the Children \$45.36

Total Expenses: \$1,174.37

2020 Ending balance: <u>\$163.91</u>