

16 January 1964

Grace circle met at the church on January 16 1964. Meeting was brot to order by Chairman Pat Rockwood.

Ellen Kishkunas gave a report on the migrant family our church is helping. The children are in need of clothing, size 12 for the girl and size 14 for the boy. A new baby is expected in the spring and baby clothes are also needed. If anyone has useful items please call Ellen and yell what you have. The family is also in need of more adequate housing and any information pertaining to this will be welcome.

Pat told about a possible moneyomaking plan for our circle. She has received information about selling candy at \$1.00 per canister. If we would be interested in doing so and each member sold six cans, \$50. could be made for our circle.

Pat asked if we would be interested in having bridge games as we did last year. The response was good and the interested ones will be contacted as to time and date.

If anyone has any Christmas ideas for Lake Bluff, please contact Pat. She would like something easy to make and saleable.

Devotions were given by Gladys Dickelman.

Mr. Nelson from Lake Bluff showed a movie entitled 'The Deep Well' and after the movie compared Lake Bluff's operation to that of the movie and also answered questions on Lake Bluff.

Evelyn Grant, Secretary pro tem

20 February 1964

Circle G met at the church on February 20, with Pat Rockwood presiding.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The treasurer's report showed a balance of ~~\$58.37~~ 460.37 after disbursements.

It was decided to have a bridge party as a money-making project and Shirley Wagner offered to have a party at her home.

Pat Rockwood has tickets for the Bishop's company for March 10.

Jeannette Knodt announced the mission study course.

Next month's meeting will be held at the home of Pat Rockwood and will be a work meeting for Lake Bluff.

Devotions were given by Betty Werhan

Ruth Paulson presented the program on the subject ~~th~~ 'They Walked With Christ'.

Dorothy Barnes, Secretary

19 March 1964

Circle G met at the home of Pat Rockwood on March 19.

Devotions were given by Jeanette Knodt.

It was announced that rummage sale dates are April 24 and 25, with a bake sale on Friday morning the 24th.

The treasurer's report showed \$73.42 on hand. \$13.40 of this amount is for Marcy and Newberry Avenue Centers.

A motion passed that we send \$10.00 to the new clinic which Dr. Fleming has started in Nepal.

Following the business meeting, we worked on articles for the Lake Bluff Children's Home bazaar. ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

D. Barnes, Secretary

15 April 1964

Circle G met at the church on April 15, 1964, with 13 members present. Meeting was called to order by chairman Pat Rockwood. The minutes were read and approved. The treasurer's report showed a balance on hand of \$90.17. We were asked by the treasurer to complete our 1964 pledges as soon as possible.

It was announced that our annual rummage sale will be held at the North Park fieldhouse because of the church being used for school classrooms at this time.

Pat Rockwood invited us to her home for the May meeting. Jean Brown offered to co-hostess the meeting.

Devotions were given by Gladys Dickelman followed by a program on southern Asia given by Jeanette Knodt, with the assistance of Julia Singer and Jackie Rieke.

Our hostesses for the morning were Marian Bechtold and Jackie Rieke.

Dorothy Barnes, Secretary

17 September 1964

Circle G met at the church with 23 members and guests present. The meeting was called to order by Pat Rockwood. Jean Brown gave the treasurer's report, showing a balance of \$48.83. She passed around envelopes ~~to~~ for circle members to receive our pledges or portions thereof.

Pat called our attention to coming events: the rummage sale October 23 and 24; we are to serve the luncheons for WSCS in December and March; the WSCS study ~~course~~ ^{series} entitled 'The Church's Mission Among New Nations' will hold four classes in October; the laboratory school for S.S. teachers will be held Sept. 27 thru Oct. 2; the Lake Bluff bazaar will be Sept. 25 and volunteers are needed to help. Mr. Elman of Pine Tree Farm, Indian Trail Rd. has Christmas trees for sale. He will give books of tickets to any circle that wants to sell trees. A ticket costs \$3.00 which will be applied toward the cost of a tree and \$1.50 of this amount goes back to the sponsoring circle. The dist. rally of WSCS will be held at Marengo on Sept. 30. World community day will be Nov. 6 at the Salem church. They are collecting used clothing this year. We were asked to give 60¢ each toward the needs of Newberry Avenue Center. Evie Grant and Miriam Bechtol will serve as a telephone calling committee for our circle. Anyone with ideas for programs for our circle for this coming year was asked to contact Jackie Rieke.

Devotions were given by Gladys Dickelman who read passages from Mahatma Ghandi's book 'Food for the Soul.' Gladys and Janet Dite then gave a most interesting program on the experiment in international living with particular reference to their experiences this past summer with visitors from India.

The meeting then adjourned.

Dorothy Barnes, Secretary

October 15 1964

Grace Circle met at the church on October 15, with 23 members and guests present.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Pat Rockwood. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Treasurer Jean Brown reported receipts of \$39.04 since our last meeting, making a total of \$87.87 in the treasury. \$3.13 was paid out to the baby sitter, leaving a balance of \$84.74.

We were asked to encourage our children to carry Unicef boxes on Hallowe'en.

Mrs Wilkins, a member of our church, has donated all the Scotch pines on her property to the church circles. Cans will be at her place on which the name of the Circle will be printed. We may pay what we choose for these trees, putting the money in the can marked for Grace circle. We must cut our own trees.

We were asked to make out all checks to the Woman's Society of Christian Service and not to the Harrington Methodist church so that the money does not have to go thru the church treasury and then be returned to us.

Coffee and rolls were served by Florence Pearson and Jeannette Knodt after which devotions were led by Mary Ann Shultz.

Our program was on the outreach of WSCS. ~~Peg Nelson~~ June Barile talked about the Woman's Board and other aspects of the Society and answered questions. Peg Nelson spoke on Newberry Avenue Center and Pat Rockwood on the Lake Bluff Children's Home and the United Church Women.

The meeting then adjourned.
Dorothy Barnes, Secretary

19 November 1964

Grace Circle met at the church on November 19, with 15 members present.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Pat Rockwood. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer reported receipts of \$10.35 making a balance of \$95.09, out of which \$2.81 was paid to the baby sitter, leaving \$92.28.

Each of us is asked to bring a tea towel for the church kitchen to replenish the supply.

Our Circle is to hostess the December meeting of WSCS. Plans were made for that event.

Devotions were given by Gladys Dickelman.

Our minister, Don Olson, talked on the church and his concern for it, and our responsibilities as members. Following his talk there was a discussion period.

The meeting then adjourned.

Dorothy Barnes, Secretary

10 December 1964

Grace Circle met at the home of Pat Rockwood on December 10, with 18 members present.

The treasurer's report showed a balance of \$98.75 in the treasury.

Devotions were given by Trudy LeFevre who read 'The Littlest Angel'.

Helen Stiehl gave a program on Handel's Messiah.

Dorothy Barnes, Secretary