

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING of COURT #2690 ST. PETER THE APOSTLE CATHOLIC CHURCH
March 10, 2026

The regular meeting of Court St. Peter the Apostle #2690 was called to order by Regent Janice Almeida at 6:48pm in the St. Anthony Room at Upon This Rock. Five officers were present, and a quorum was established. Prior to the meeting, members were emailed a copy of the agenda, minutes from the February 10, 2026 meeting, and the Treasurer's report for December 2025 and February 2026.

Opening Prayer –Janice Almeida

- **Welcome – Janice Almeida** – Special thanks to Mary Barton, Laura Saenz, Nancy Tobin, Debbie Noack, Dana Gallegos, Heidi Bower, and Gloria Cardenas, who brought food to our meeting tonight. Janice encouraged members to purchase HEB gift cards from the Life Teen members at the meeting.
- **Financial Secretary**--Introduction of new members/pledged--Debbie Noack-- Debbie introduced 1 new member, Anne Edwards.
- **Review/ Approve February 10, 2026 Meeting Minutes** --Janice Almeida – Minutes were approved.
- **Recording Secretary** – Correspondence & Bills – Clare Smith
- Thank you note from Bubba and Debbie Simnacher for the mass offering for her mother. *Should read mother-in-law*
- Thank you note from the Pastoral Council and special events committee for the support of 2025 parish events, especially Burgers, Baskets, and Bingo.
- Thank you note from Susan Markworth thanking members for their help with the reception after Vernon's funeral and for their outpouring of love and kindness.
- Thank you note from Laura Hooze for the court's love, care, and prayers for her father during his illness and after his death. She also thanked the court for the mass offerings in his memory.
- Thank you note from Todd and Kathy Schwartz, thanking the court for the generous gift of Masses to be said in remembrance of Betty Jo Schwartz.
- Thank you note from the Benedictine sisters of Boerne for the December donations totaling \$220. to the Caridad de Corazon border ministry.
- Thank you note from Amy Rector, Chief Financial Officer of the Kerr County Flood Relief Fund, for the donation of \$1000.
- Thank you note from the Hill Country Pregnancy Care Center for the generous donation of \$200 during 2025. A court member brought up the fact that the \$200 allocated in the budget was to be used for a baby shower for Adopt a Mom, not a donation to the Hill Country Pregnancy Care Center, and that the court should have had the opportunity to vote on it.
- **Bills Paid**--as reflected in the December and February Treasurer's Reports.
- **Treasurer's Reports for December 2025 and February 2026**-- Susanne Hanna--report was presented; see attached reports. A question was raised by court members as to why a payment for expenses for the Family Advent Project was made even though the receipts were turned in past the 30 day limit as stated in the Standing Rules. A discussion ensued. Janice reminded the court to turn in receipts in a timely manner for repayment.
- **Vice Regent -- State Memorandum** – Kimberley Goodman -- Kimberley received a save-the-date notification from the state memorandum regarding the upcoming Texas CDA State Convention, which will be held in Dallas from April 7-11-2027
- **District Deputy Update**--Heidi Abshire-- nothing to report.

Committee Reports/Updates

Scholarship Program--Jeanette Lane--Jeanette reported a need for more applicants for University and Trade School Scholarships. She requested CDA members reach out to family and friends. Other suggestions included reaching out to Life Teen during their meeting after 5:00pm Sunday Mass, informing the high school counselors about available scholarships, and collaborating with the Knights of Columbus to promote the scholarships.

Benedictine Sisters spaghetti dinner--Kimberley Goodman--Kimberley reported they have sold over 400 tickets. Volunteers are needed to decorate for the event on Wednesday, March 18 from 12:00-4:00 in the Cana Ballroom. Volunteer opportunities are available for serving positions during the dinner on March 19. A SignUpGenius link is posted on the CDA website, or members may contact Kimberley Goodman.

Easter Egg Hunt -- Kathy Hassenger--Kathy reported that 18 or 19 games would be available for the children, replacing the bounce house. Volunteers are needed to stuff 2,500 eggs with candy on March 23 in the Cana Foyer, set up for the Egg Hunt on March 27th and 28th. A SignUpGenius link is posted on the CDA website. We will ask the youth from the parish to help. We are also in need of an Easter Bunny. Please contact Kathy if you are interested.

Fish Fry--Dorothy Meuth--Dorothy reported that we sold over 300 plates for the first fish fry. The gross income was \$4,357 with \$1,706 in expenses. The projected gross amount for the upcoming fish fry is \$3,725 with \$1,194 in expenses. Estimated net profit is \$5,182. She will have the final numbers after the upcoming fish fry on March 20, 2026. We will set up 2 serving lines to move the line quickly.

Bunco Party--Sandra Butler--Sandra reported everyone had a great time during the party.

Easter Vigil Reception for OCIA candidates--Janice Almeida---Janice will have more information as the date approaches.

- **Upcoming Dates--**
- 3/13 3/20 and 3/27 Stations of the Cross, Friday mornings at 9:00am
- 3/14 & 3/15-- Sell tickets for the Fish Fry
- 3/15-- Widows' and Widowers' Luncheon
- 3/17-- Visit to AVIR Nursing Home
- 3/18--Decorate Cana Ballroom for the Benedictine Sisters' Spaghetti Dinner
- 3/19--Spaghetti Dinner
- 3/23-- Stuff Easter Eggs -- Cana Foyer
- 3/24--Officer Meeting --Shalom Room
- 3/27--Easter Egg Hunt set up
- 3/28-- Easter Egg Hunt 2:00-3:30
- 4/1-- Letters due to Lacey for OCIA candidates
- 4/4-- Support the reception of OCIA after the Easter Vigil Mass
- 4/19--Hospitality after 9:00 Mass
- 4/25--Heroes Day at School--more details as the date approaches.
- 4/28--Officers' Meeting and Financial Review --Shalom Room
- 5/2--Volunteer opportunity to serve with the Kolbe Prison Ministry--prepare and serve a meal to inmates.
- **Rosary--every 1st, 4th and 5th Mondays of the month.**
- **Adoration-- every Wednesday 4:00 and 4:30**

New Business--

Kimberley Goodman presented a motion that the court distribute the funds collected to assist the Benedictine Sisters as follows: Total collected \$1,626-\$512 food purchase for the dinner; with a balance of \$1,114 utilized for a gift for Fr. David, prior to his departure in June. We have talked with all the donors, and they are in support of this motion. Motion was seconded. A discussion ensued. It was decided to table this motion until the April meeting.

Janice Almeida presented a motion that the court approve the purchase of 81 First Communicant missals at a Cost of \$400., allocated in the 2025-2026 budget. The overspend of \$95.77 is requested in a second motion. Motion was seconded. A discussion ensued. Motion was adopted.

Kimberley Goodman presented a motion that the court approve the overspend for the First Communicant Missals. The overspend of \$95.77 is in addition to the \$400. covered by the first motion. Motion was seconded. A discussion ensued. Motion was adopted.

Clare Smith presented a motion that the court approves to reimburse Joan Wylie and Janice Almeida for the expenses for the Bunco Party for a total amount of \$160.02. Joan is \$100.02 for supplies and Janice is \$60.00 for HEB gift cards, used as prizes for Bunco. Funds will be taken from the budgeted Newcomers Activities. Motion was seconded. A discussion ensued. Motion was adopted.

Nancy Roberts presented a new idea about the prayer program, which has been in existence for 10 years. She wants to enrich the program by dividing the prayers into 3 groups: monthly, urgent, and blessings. Blessings will be posted in the newsletter. Nancy encouraged the court to consider those who need prayers and the importance of prayer. She announced an upcoming retreat for our court. There will be a guest speaker, prayer time, and Adoration. It will be held on May 16, 2026 from 8-11:00am in the Cana Ballroom.

The court elected a nominating committee for the upcoming new panel of officers. The committee members are: Alma Hilburn--chairman, Barbara Vogt, Judy Gleason, Elvie Wild, Susan Krieg, and Elzyz Konz as an alternate.

Susanne Hanna and Dorothy Meuth presented the proposed 2026-2027 budget for review by the court. We will discuss any questions or changes that need to be made at the April meeting.

Janice Almeida and Heidi Abshire discussed revisions to the standing rules.

Business From the Floor --

Alma Hilburn requested any members interested in becoming an officer to let her know as soon as possible.

Financial Secretary's Report--Debbie Noack--Debbie announced we have 168 members. 65 members are in the rears.

Daughter of the Month for February--Sandra Butler
Daughter of the Month for January--Marisa Perez
Co-Daughter of the Month for December--Kathy Hannig

March birthdays and anniversaries are listed in the agenda

Door Prize--Karen Stevenson

Next CDA meeting--Tuesday, April 14@ St. Anthony Room at Upon this Rock Campus.
Next officer's meeting--March 24@ 5:00pm in the Shalom Room

Closing Prayer--Janice Almeida

Adjournment--Janice Almeida--8:20

Attachments--December and February Treasurer's Reports,


Clare Smith, Recording Secretary


Janice Almeida, Regent


Date Approved

Treasurer's Report
January 27, 2026 officer's meeting
Court 2690 - St Peter the Apostle
For the period of December 1 - December 31, 2025

Description	
Beginning Fund Balance	24,878
Inflows	
Donations	5
Christmas Ornament Sales	650
Member Dues	30
Epiphany Party	400
Poinsetta Sales	550
Total Inflows	1,635
Fundraising Activity:	
Poinsettia Cost	2,465
Total Fundraising Activity	2,465
CDA National & State Dues:	
Total Dues	-
Charitable Activity:	
St Peter Catholic School	5,000
National Disasters	1,000
Senior Ministries	116
Parish Ministries	217
\$223 for Kolbe and \$100 donation for Advent	
Total Charitable Activity	6,333
Court Activity:	
Bereavement Luncheons	(50)
Credit Card Fees	186
Epiphany Party Expense	1,660
Total Court Activity	1,796
Pass-Through Activity:	
Benedictine Sisters Educational Received	(120)
Benedictine Sisters Education Donated	120
Memorial Cards Sold	(42)
Memorial Cards Funds Sent to State	42
Total Pass-Through Activity	-
Total Outflows	10,594
Change in Fund Balance	(8,959)
Ending Fund Balance	\$ 15,920
Outstanding Checks Balance	220
Balance to Statement	16,139
Balance from Statement	16,140
Difference	(1)

Checks written in December, 2025

12/1/25	1742	Benedictine Sisters	border ministry pass through	120.00	replace ck 1712
12/9/25	1743	Benedictine Sisters	border ministry pass through	100.00	
12/9/25	1744	Smoke in the Hills BBQ	epiphany party food deposit	950.00	
12/9/25	1745	Hill Country African Violets	payment for poinsettias	2,464.50	
12/9/25	1746	Frances Martinez	senior ministry	81.40	
12/9/25	1747	Susan Perrine	senior ministry	34.80	
12/9/25	1748	Janice Almeida	Kolbe ministry	223.00	
12/16/25	1749	Janice Almeida	Christmas parade	93.80	
12/16/25	1750	St Peters School	3rd of 3 annual donations	5,000.00	
12/16/25	1751	Community Foundation of	national disasters flood relief	1,000.00	
12/23/25	1752	Smoke in the Hills BBQ	epiphany party balance	710.00	
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				<u>10,777.50</u>	

Treasurer's Report
March 14, 2026 meeting
Court 2690 - St Peter the Apostle
For the period of February 1 - February 28, 2026

Description	
Beginning Fund Balance	16,359
inflows	
Donations	51
Fish Fry Sales	5,383
Member Dues	1,950
Total Inflows	7,384
Fundraising Activity:	
Fish Fry Cost	1,456
Summer dinner	49
Total Fundraising Activity	1,505
CDA National & State Dues:	
National Charity	180
National Projects	150
State Missions of Mercy	40
State Projects	160
Total Dues	530
Charitable Activity:	
HCPCC Adopt-a-Mom	200
Parish Ministries (Family Advent)	111
Total Charitable Activity	311
Court Activity:	
Credit Card Fees	140
Membership badges	37
Misc Exp (postage, printing, etc.)	106
Total Court Activity	282
Pass-Through Activity:	
Memorial Cards Sold	(98)
Memorial Cards Funds Sent to State	98
Total Pass-Through Activity	-
Total Outflows	2,628
Change in Fund Balance	4,756
Ending Fund Balance	\$ 21,115
Outstanding Checks Balance	458
Balance to Statement	21,572
Balance from Statement	21,572
Difference	(1)

Checks written in February, 2026

1/27/26	1756	Debbie Noack	member badges	36.75
1/27/26	1757	CDA State	state & natl charities & projects	530.00
2/10/26	1758	Janice Almeida	postage for COL	23.58
2/10/26	1759	Debbie Noack	Office supplies	35.89
2/10/26	1760	CDA State	memorial cards for Dec and Jan	98.00
2/10/26	1761	Susanne Hanna	postage	46.65
2/19/26	1762	Ben E Keith	fish fry expense	1,455.82
2/24/26	1763	Michelle Lee	Family Advent expense	110.79
2/24/26	1764	Hill Country Preg Care Ctr	donation	200.00
24-Feb	1765	Heidi Abshire	summer dinner expense	49.00

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