

Women of Service Meeting
Minutes of May 11, 2022

Twenty-two women gathered together on May 11th in St. Patrick's Church hall to make quick work of decorating fifty-five shoe boxes and cutting out apples and bookmarks. These all will be used for the Dubuque Book Worm Little Library Treasure Hunt on June 11th.

For our on-going Women Helping Women project, there was a generous collection of baby clothes and products that will be donated to Clarity Clinic in Dubuque.

Thank you to all who donated craft supplies and baby products for these two projects. Special thanks to Reichers Shoes, Brown Shoes, and T.J. Max for donating shoe boxes and to those who could not attend but dropped off craft supplies.

We continue to accept greeting cards and plastic bags for our plan and card outreach projects. We will be offering cards for sale for 50 cents each at every meeting. Money taken in will be used to buy postage stamps for sending cards to our homebound and nursing home residents.

Our next meeting will be held on July 13th. The agenda will include several projects showing appreciation to teachers in our Seton and Aquin School systems. We hope to present each teacher at the beginning of school with a special "sweet" note of appreciation. We also will be helping with cutting out bulletin board messages the teachers can use in their rooms.

We continue to meet from 11 AM to 1 PM at St. Patrick's Church hall on the second Wednesday of the odd months of the year. All women of any age or faith and from any town are welcome to join us. Our mission is to use our time and talents to help those in need by recycling our resources.

"If you think our hands are full, you should see our hearts."