

Official Minutes of St. Edward's CCW

March 10, 2026

The March 10, 2026 meeting of St. Edward's CCW was called to order at 7:02 p.m. by President Kay Rieke in the Sacred Heart Center. Sixteen members were present.

Minutes of the January 5 meeting were read. Marcia Hansen moved that the minutes be accepted and Joyce Waddington seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Chris Wilber, treasurer, reported income. Kathy Brzon moved that all bills be paid and that the treasurer's report be accepted. Carol Levendofsky seconded the motion. Motion carried. Deb Krotz then moved that if the treasurer, Chris, has a bill that needs to be paid between CCW meetings, especially to the grocery store after funeral dinners, that the treasurer be given permission to pay the bill. Sandy Kling seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Next, under **communications**, Kay announced upcoming events for St. Edward Parish and St. George's. Marcia has sent several sympathy and get well cards to parishioners. The list for sending cards to seminarians was once again passed around for sign-up. Kay also took this time to say thanks for the help and attendance of members at the Valentine Parish Dinner/Pitch Tourney. She reported that CCW valentines were delivered by Joyce. Kay also thanked the funeral dinner crew for their recent work and Judy Baxa for getting CCW dues envelopes in the pews in January.

In **old business**, Deb reported on the progress of the 100th Anniversary Committee and the May 31, 2026 special Mass and reception and meal following the Mass. She asked if CCW could help with some of the cost of the celebration. Karen Splichal moved that CCW pay for the paper products and decorations for the 100th Year Celebration. Stephanie Stindt seconded the motion. The motion carried. Kathy will talk to David at David's Creations about the flowers for the day. A discussion was then held on ideas for selling the 100th Anniversary mugs that CCW purchased. Kay will find out if we can advertise in the diocese publication. Other suggestions were perhaps advertising through the Chamber with the Astra Bank empty lot sign. The group decided to donate a mug each to the two seniors, and two members volunteered to donate a mug each to the two

individuals joining the church this Easter. These will be part of each individual's gift from CCW.

Under **new business**, Kay mentioned several upcoming dates. Those include a Trivia Night on April 18. The Faith Formation Potluck will be held on April 29. Members are asked to bring a side or a dessert. First communion will be held on April 12 and celebrated on April 15. The Ladies Salad Supper will be held in May. A committee is needed to assist, and we want to make sure that CCW opens the event to the community to honor the women in our community. Graduation Sunday is May 10. On June 18, a blood drive will be held, and the group will need four dozen sandwiches and servers.

Kathy said that she will look into the idea of buying scapulars for First Communicants. Deb announced that she would like to start having a roll call at meetings, and the next meeting was scheduled for April 13 at 7 p.m. in the Sacred Heart Center.

Joyce read the spiritual message, a reflection from the prelude of the book, "Rediscover the Saints" by Matthew Kelly. Carol mentioned that CCW members should be very proud of the fact that Joyce has been on the board of Church Women United for many years.

The meeting adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

Members present: Judy Baxa, Kathy Brzon, Elaine Clark, Linda Hammerbacher, Marcia Hansen, Diane Heiman, Sandy Kling, Deb Krotz, Carol Levendofsky, Melissa Martin, Judy Pacht, Kay Rieke, Karen Splichal, Stephanie Stindt, Joyce Waddington, and Chris Wilber.