

UWF AUGUST 2024 MEETING MINUTES

Pine Mountain United Women of Faith Louise Miller Circle Minutes August 12, 2024

Light refreshments were offered to all upon arrival. Sara Godowns, Peggy Elder, Jane Logan, and Winky Parker were hostesses.

President Sara Godowns called the meeting to order. She began by reminding everyone present that they had received the June Minutes via email or US Postal Service. She asked for motions and voting. The minutes were accepted. This was followed by Jane Logan giving a financial update. The balance in the treasury stands at \$2,247.69.

President Godowns then called attention to the "Save the Dates" found on the tables. She reminded everyone of the continuing project of "Period Packs" for UMCOR Projects. Kathie Hansen, our UWF Southwest District President has agreed to deliver them for us When she comes on Saturday, September 14th for the Mission U Training. President Godowns says everything will be there and ready and we will form an assembly line and quickly put them together that day.

President Godowns reminded everyone of the Mission U Training on Saturday, September 14th. UWF Southwest District President, Kathie Hansen will present the training and Southwest District churches have been invited to attend. Brunch items and coffee will be served. A Sign-up sheet for muffins was on the refreshment table and everyone was reminded to sign up. Sausage balls will also be accepted.

Our next item of business was to remind everyone to save the date for the Baby Shower for Aalyah Gremillon. Our UWF Circle was asked to give a combination stroller/car seat. It has been purchased for \$323.00. Everyone was asked to donate for the gift and any amount over the cost will be used to purchase a gift card for Aalyah. Please give gift donations to Jane Logan. Mark your calendars for the shower on September 29th, 2024, during the brunch hour. She is expecting a baby boy.

The program was then turned over to our guest speaker - Suzanne Sinyard Chambers. Mrs. Chambers spoke on the topic of "Abiding with God". Her reference was the Gospel of John, chapter 15. She defined "Abiding" and then went on to explain how we know when we are abiding with God. She concluded by explaining that the two ways to "Abide" are by rehearsal and remembering. Our UWF gave Mrs. Chambers a thank you gift in love of peaches and goodies. Mrs. Chambers had devotional books and prayer calendars in the back of the room for purchase for those desiring them.

President Godowns thanked Peggy Elder for the new and updated Circle brochures. Everyone was invited to look at them. They can be found in the church boxes where you pick up your Upper Rooms.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted:
Mary Helen Terrell - Secretary