YUBA-SUTTER RIGHT TO LIFE COMMITTEE BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING June 9, 2015

BOARD MEMBERS Maureen Guth John Guth PRESENT: Heather Pugh Mike Pugh

CALL TO ORDER:

Maureen called the meeting to order at 7:05pm. She also stated she restocked the brochures in the St. Isidore vestibule. She sent the Word of Life for June and July to Deacon Rojo and Ray Buttacavoli.

OPENING PRAYER:

Maureen led the opening prayer.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Motion was m/s/c to approve the minutes of May 6, 2015.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

John reported we have \$783.22 in the bank. We paid \$25 to AWF, and \$348.16 to Printworx for printing the Newsletter. A \$100 deposit was made on May 11 and \$150 made on June 9th. \$435 was paid for the fair booth.

Maureen sent a thank you note to the Cecil's for their monthly donation.

Maureen ordered brochures for the fair booth for a total of \$221.40. A motion was made and seconded to reimburse her for the order. \$100 will be paid to the California Fire Association for the insurance on the fair booth.

John still has not heard anything from the IRS regarding our 501(3)c status. John will call the IRS again.

WEBSITE UPDATE:

Mike Pugh handed out the website statistics pages which showed we had 606 visits to the website in May. Our top pages viewed

were our about page, Newsletter page, Yuba Sutter fair, and lifelinks.

Mike was looking at our monthly website stats and noticed that the numbers of visits differ between the weblog program and Purehost.

John suggested we add to the website a link for the articles that are published in the Ambassador Newspaper.

MAGAZINES/BOOKS/AMBASSADOR ARTICLE:

We received an invoice from KMYC. Maureen called and left a message asking her to call her back. Maureen also emailed her and sent a copy of the letter she sent to Mr. Huth letting them know that we had cancelled our radio spots.

Heather will submit the July article to the Ambassador and will see about including a graphic of some sort to help it to stand out more. If Heather does not have it ready by Friday, she will email it to John so it can be reviewed.

MONTHLY VIGIL:

The vigil in May went well. A couple of women were seen entering the Woman's Friend mobile unit.

The date of June 24th from 1-3:30pm is chosen for the next vigil. Maureen will let Carol and Karen Mullen know and Heather will email out a notice.

YUBA-SUTTER FAIR:

Heather will check to see if updated numbers are available from Guttmacher Institute for abortion numbers in the U.S. by State and update it for the fair.

Jenna will make up individual flowers with the face of a baby in the center to be pinned to our curtain at the booth for the fair. Maureen called to find out the location of our booth and they have yet to decide. Heather will help to put stickers on brochures for the fair. She will also help to cut out fabric for the babies for the fair.

RESPECT LIFE:

Our table at the St. Isidore carnival was successful.

John spoke with Fr. Matt and gave him some cards and brochures for Rachel's Vineyard. Maureen will let Fr. Matt know that scholarships are available from Right to Life for Rachel's Vineyard.

NEWSLETTER:

Maureen complemented the new format and asked to see the mailed version when Heather receives it in the mail.

MISCELLANEOUS:

Maureen passed out various articles that have appeared in the local newspapers regarding the topic of abortion.

Maureen announced that this will most likely be her last year putting on the fair. She and John asked for prayers that someone qualified will come forward to undertake the yearly task.

ADJOURNMENT/CLOSING PRAYER

Our next meeting will be on July 14th at 7:00pm. The fair workers evening will be on July 23rd.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:05 p.m. and closed with a prayer led by John.

Respectfully submitted, Heather Pugh, YSRTL Secretary