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January 20, 2015

Present: Terry Benton, Rita Selby, Janice Rousselle, Sue Paquette, Fr. Tim.
Absent: Anna Conca, Anna Skorski, Pauline Cote, Irene Slezak

Review:

- People served (07.01.13 – 01.14.15): 1,835 (since began counting 12.12.11): 9,852.
- \$6,615.42 (Out Reach Checking)*
- *Includes monies collected from Poor Box
- Gross income/store receipts thru 01.14.15: \$12,819.90
- Net income thru 01.14.15: \$3,204.21
- Expenses: \$2,497.71
- Donated to Parish (25%) \$3,204.97
- Food certificates/cards: \$3,000
- Other: \$6,924.60
- Total payout: \$9,924.60*

*Does not include items given freely, or donated elsewhere.

General Comments:

It was decided that because of the number of committee members at the meeting that two agenda items: a discussion on the approach used leading up to Christmas; and a discussion on how much clothing can be reasonable store in GA, would be addressed at a future meeting (April 21, 2015 or July, 2015).

Other items discussed:

- It was decided that audio books and cassettes – which are not selling – be moved to a new location, and if not successfully sold will be designated as free in February (2015).
- It was requested that the Parish Bulletin announcement be less specific regarding clothing and books. (E.g. accepting clothing and books for all ages.)
- There was a question regarding the coffeemaker in the closet. Irene Slezak will be asked if it is available to be sold.
- Placing items in a bin with a sign indicating that they were free worked well. All but one/two items were taken
- It was decided that winter clothing would be 50% off beginning in February, and a 'white sale' (pillows, curtains, spreads, etc.) would also begin in February.
- A discussion developed concerning 'color coding' the items in the store. A chart of colors is available near the register. It is requested that those using the register use the chart when they are tallying. (The purpose for color coding

items is to keep items from becoming stale. The color indicates the month that the item was donated. The item remains at its original price for two months, reduced for the third month, and donated to another agency or put in the 'free bin' at the end of the third month. (E.g. an item color coded for January 1st or 31st would be at its original price for January and February, then the price would be reduced for March, and at the end of March would be donated to another agency or put in the 'free bin'.) This is store policy.

The next meeting will be April 21, 2015, at 1:30pm on the first level of the Parish Center.