New Beginnings Ministry Meeting Minutes – June 3, 2023

The meeting was called to order by President Linda Thorpe the afternoon of June 3rd. Chaplain Peggy Kohler began the meeting with an opening prayer.

We welcome six new members Midge Glazer, Lana DeWitt, Meredith Wyble, Eileen Parks, Debra Yeloushan and Ruth Meyer. We are very happy that they have found our group and look forward to adding new friendships and support.

This meeting will be the final meeting for the season with our next Meeting set for September 2023.

Linda Thorpe asked to have any suggestions for guest speakers or places/things that would possibly be of interest to the group. 813-781-8959 or linda@thorpelawfirm.com.

Guest Judi - FALL FESTIVAL Information

St. Tim's will be holding the Fall Festival again this year October 13th and 14th. Please mark your calendars! Several activities are planned, including a silent auction which will need donations! Additionally, volunteers will be needed to assist at the festival AND to staff the New Beginnings Booth. There will be an official online volunteer signup in the Aug / Sep timeframe.

Confirmation of Newly elected Officers for 2023-2024

President: Linda Thorpe

Vice President: Annemarie Jardon

Recording Secretary: Mary Butigan
Corresponding Secretary: Joy Karpinski
Treasurer: Linda Newman
Chaplain: Peggy Kohler
Social Director: Lori Lencioni

Trips and Activities

- <u>Land trip to Italy -</u> This trip is planned for <u>September 13 23, 2023</u>.
 Cost: \$3530.00 including ground transportation. Insurance cost is \$300.00.
 - Air fare has not been finalized. <u>Space is available</u> Call AnnE Childer for more details. 813-948-7484.
- Holiday Trip to Savannah and St. Augustine, Dec. 4-8, 2023, \$687.00 covers travel and accommodations. Cut-off date for this trip is Sept. Again.....for details call AnnE Childer 813-948-7484
- <u>Cruise Via Norwegian Dawn to England, Scotland, Ireland, Belgium and France</u>, Aug 15 to Aug 26, 2024. Cost is approx \$4,500 and includes airfare. Please contact Linda Thorpe for details @ 813-781-8959
- Woman-N-Charge Fashion Show, Plantation Palms Golf Club, Land O Lakes, FL – Sunday Sept 10, 2023 2:00-4:30 PM. Delicious desserts and complimentary wines will be offered. A 50/50 raffle with all profits donated will support grants to women in business in the community. For details call AnnE Childer 813-948-7484
- SunCoast Dinner Theater- A group has purchased tickets for 5 matinee shows for next season. Show run Monthly Oct 2023 running through April 2024. The seats include lunch and a broadway style show. If you would like to participate/more information please contact our Social Director, Lori Lencioni – 813-416-2554, loriLencioni@msn.com

The meeting was then adjourned by Linda Thorpe and the party commenced!

Submitted:
Mary Butigan
Recording Secretary