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The women began their night by singing “Let It Shine”. Ann read Psalm 24 and then said the prayer. We all brought food for all to share. As we ate Ann gave the program “What A Friend We Have In Jesus”. She confirmed that we are to take everything to Jesus. The program was in reference to that song. Ann would like to have a program “Fruits of the Spirit”. The minutes were read by Debbie Edwards. All approved it.

OLD BUSINESS

Ladies Day Out will be at Sheila Burkes. She will fix the lunch and asking the ladies for desserts.

Reiko talked about a guest speaker on homecare and what it pertains to. We will decide a date after the holidays. Gail will speak with Carol Miller when the time comes.

NEW BUSINESS

There was discussion on what types of missions we would like to support.

The first one was **Piedmont Day Care Center** in Upperville. They have a scholarship fund for those not able to afford the day care center. Jan C. Made a motion to send them \$250. Sheila second it. All approved.

The next one was **Levis House in Middleburg**. The patrons play bingo so the UMW will be buying them bingo prizes in the amount of \$200. Debbie made the motion and Sheila second it and all approved.

Laws will also be receiving health supplies for the ladies and their families in the amount of \$500. Reiko will be getting in touch with Laws on what to buy and where to deliver the items. Gail made the motion, Ann second it and all approved.

Backpack Buddies was given \$200 for food items for the children. Gail made the motion, Francis second it and all approved.

It was brought up that a few of our UMW would like to support the **Kairo's Cookie Ministry**. The following ladies will be baking - Jane James, Sheila Burke, Gail May and Jan Coxwell.

Sheila announced that Monica will be starting up a **Creative Living Bible Study** on Mondays at 3:00. Further discussion will be at the next meeting.

HOSPITALITY

Sheila discussed the tea by the Pisgah Baptist Church in Upperville. It was held at Bucannan Hall. She said it was wonderful and the church had gone to great detail in presenting the tea.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Sheila gave the treasurer's report. Each member was called and she received and blessed the dues. The beginning balance \$3352.82. Adding \$85.00 in dues and \$472 for the Flea Market and .31 cents interest, the ending balance is \$3910.13.

MISCELLANEOUS

A tentative date for shopping for the Levis House and Laws will be Friday, October 12th. Sheila and Debbie said that would go purchase the items.

It was discussed that the UMW will step in for Fellowship when needed. Francis will be in charge of contacting the ladies about the menu at that time.

Our next meeting is *October 11th.*

MEMBERS PRESENT

Jan Coxwell, Jane James, Reiko Lewis, Ann Bland, Francis Dodson, Sheila Burke, Gail May, and Debbie Edwards.

The UMW ended the evening with a group prayer -

*MAY THE LORD WATCH BETWEEN ME AND THEE WHILE WE ARE
ABSENT ONE FROM ANOTHER.*

***WE INVITE ALL THE LADIES AND
THEIR FRIENDS TO JOIN US***

*“Let your light so shine before men, that they may see
your good works and glorify your Father in Heaven.”*

Matthew 5:16

