GCRTA a Chapter of ORTA St. Mary Banquet Center Luncheon October 3, 2023

President Patrick Cataldo called the general meeting to order. He then asked the members to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance.

President Patrick Cataldo welcomed our

Minutes and treasurer's report were placed on the tables for members to read.

Treasurer's Report:

Ending balance

Grant-in-Aid

	August 2023			
Checking Account				
Beginning balance	\$1717.60			
Deposits	270.00			
Expenses	844.43 (checks plus \$500.00 transfer)			
Statement fee	5.00			
Ending balance	\$1,138.17			
Grant-in-Aid				
Beginning balance	\$5,650.53			
Deposits	0			
Expenses	0			
Ending balance	\$5,650.53			
Educator Grant				
Beginning balance	\$971.14			
Deposits	500.00 (donation from Huntsburg C	irange)		
Expenses	0			
Ending balance	\$1,471.14			
Investment account	\$11,392.50			
	September 2023:			
Checking Account				
Beginning balance	\$1,138.17			
Deposits	1,537.00			
Expenses	156.19			
Statement fee	5.00			

\$2,513.98

Beginning balance\$5,650.53Deposits.15Expenses0Ending balance\$5,650.68

Educator Grant

Beginning balance \$1,471.14

Deposits .03 (interest)

Expenses 0
Ending balance. \$1,417.17

Investment account \$11,397.00 9/29/23

Dan MacDonald motioned to accept both the minutes and treasurer's report as read. **Lori Baker** seconded the motion, which passed.

Membership: Jean Paine welcomed and announced new members and guests to the luncheon.

Program: Our December brunch will be held at St. Mary Banquet Center on 5th.

Legislation: Cheryl Sekura placed school board candidates' information and League of Women Voters of Geauga candidate forums schedual.

President Patrick Cataldo gave the non-denominational lunch invocation.

Our guest speaker, **Christina Elliott**, gave a very informative talk on the transition of our healthcare and Express Scripts with a question-and-answer forum.

Jean Paine thanked the speaker for her informative talk.

Jean Paine also recognized members who brought a guest with a gift bag.

The winner of the free lunch drawing was **Marlene Napalo.**The 50/50 raffle winner of \$126.00 was **Barbara Hanson. President Patrick Cataldo** thanked the St. Mary staff for a wonderful lunch.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted, Debbie Gallagher Recording Secretary