

CCI Meeting Minutes

January 18th, 2026

2:30pm

I. Opening

- a. Serenity Prayer
- b. Purpose Statement
- c. OA Pledge
- d. Step/Tradition/Concept
- e. Standing Rules
- f. Introductions

II. New Business

- a. May Retreat (May 15th – 17th) at Jesuit Retreat Center in Parma, OH
 - i. First retreat planning committee was this past week and went well. 6 people attended. Hope to open registration in the next week or so after edits are finalized.
 - ii. Weekend-only retreat and in-person only but planning is still underway so that could change.
 - iii. FAQ or Zoom meeting to answer questions about the retreat location, food, and registration.
 - iv. Future planning committee meetings will be Friday afternoons (second and fourth Fridays of each month) from 3:00pm-4:15pm. Please join us!
 - v. Scholarship fund will be available and option for donations to the scholarship fund during registration.
 - vi. Cost and information will be on the information e-blasted out. Early bird registration will be \$325 per person which includes lodging for two nights, five meals and programing for the whole weekend. Cost will be higher after February 10th when it's not during Early bird registration. There will be a drawing from those who register for Early Arrival for a prize.
 - vii. Everyone is eligible to join the retreat planning committee and it does count as "service above the group level."
- b. 2026 Possible Goals
 - i. CCI discussed possible goals for this upcoming year. After a discussion about whether to table it for a future meeting, the group

decided to vote for 3 goals with the top 3 being the goals for the intergroup.

- ii. The goals decided where:
 - 1. Spotlight committees and board positions (one spotlight per CCI meeting/per month).
 - 2. Intergroup or service body questionnaire from WSO
 - 3. Pre CCI meeting workshops (like in 2025)

III. Board Reports

- a. Chair Report
 - i. See report for more information but also includes a Press Release and OA WSO budget.
- b. Vice Chair Report
 - i. Updates to the WSO website include information on Find a meeting and the prices on the multi-page pamphlets will be going up.
 - ii. Updated Year at a Glance was emailed out for 2026. All committee meetings are virtual and are listed.
- c. Secretary Report
 - i. With a minor edit, minutes from December's month is approved.
- d. Treasurer Report
 - i. December income: \$978.00
 - ii. December expenses: \$3,303.73
 - iii. Current checking account (with prudent reserve): \$14,868.02
 - iv. December expenses include deposit for May retreat.
 - v. Treasurer will be asking for more assistance to get all of the duties completed, including for helping with thank you cards and other duties.
- e. Rep/Delegate Report
 - i. No report.

IV. Committee Reports

- a. Events Committee by Leigh Ann
 - i. Great meeting on January 7th (Meets the First Wednesday of every month at 2pm)
 - ii. Debriefing of the NY Day marathon which was very successful. Attendance was lower this year than in 2025 but higher than 2024.
 - iii. 2026 Goals include hosting the May retreat.
 - iv. 12th Step Within committee is merging with the Events committee and they will be revisiting the 2026 goals once that completes.

- v. Unity Day on Saturday, February 28th with detailed flyer coming soon. 10am-3pm in person at St. Peter's Church in Seven Hills. 2 hours of programing, lunch break from 12-1 then another 2 hours of programing. Theme is Unity: There is no "me" without "we".
 - b. Public Information & Professional Outreach Committee by Tina
 - i. Working on the Game Day in March or April. Final date TBD.
 - ii. 2026 goals forthcoming. Please join us to help develop these! Next meeting is on February 10th at 12:30pm. 2nd Tuesday of each month at 12:30pm.
 - iii. Discussed Press Release from WSO and sending it out to media outlets.
 - c. 12th Step Within Committee
 - i. Merging with Events committee. Thank you to Shana for over 10 years of leadership in this committee!
 - d. Communications Committee by Gwenn S.
 - i. Met on January 14th at 6pm and drafted their goals for 2026:
 - 1. Complete webpage redesign. Currently, the final edit is with provider. Then need to get approvals from varying levels before launch.
 - 2. Looking at other social media outlets to help carry the message (including Reddit).
 - ii. Meetings are the second Wednesday of each month at 6:30pm.
 - e. By-Laws Review Committee
 - i. No report.
- V. Questions?
- VI. Announcements
- VII. Closing