OPENING

Pledge Drill Leader and Pledge Mother enter together and assume their stations according to Drill Instructions.

Pledge Mother: "Sister Pledge Drill Leader, *(Drill Leader arises upon being addressed)* you will conduct the officers into the Assembly room."

(Once all Officers have reached their stations)

Pledge Sister: "The meeting of _____ Pledge Group is called to order."

(Rap gavel once. All are seated.)

Pledge Sister: "Sister Pledge Guardian, you will guard our meeting against all improper intruders and assist in maintaining order."

(Pledge Guardian closes the north door and south door and resumes station just inside the south door.)

(Raps gavel three times, all rise)

Pledge Sister: "Sister Pledges, you will join with me in singing one verse of O Canada."

(All stand, face the flag, and sing the anthem.)

Pledge Sister: "Sister of Happiness, you will attend the Altar."

(Sister of Happiness goes to the Altar, opens the Bible slowly, gives Pledge sign, and returns to her station.)

Pledge Sister: "Sister Pledge Chaplain, you will now offer the prayer."

Pledge Chaplain: (from station) "Our Father, we thank you for our homes, our schools, our place of worship and our country. Guide and direct our lives, helping us to do Your will. Bless our Group and the organization to which we are pledged. Amen."

Response By All: "Blest be the tie that binds."

(After response all give the Pledge sign.)

(Pledge Sister raps gavel once. All are seated.)

Pledge Sister: *(Raps gavel twice for officers to rise.)* "Sister of Confidence, what is the lesson of your station?"

Sister of Confidence: "To have confidence in our parents, and most of all, to have confidence in a Higher Power. Through this confidence, we will lead better lives."

Pledge Sister: "Sister of Happiness, what is the lesson of your station?"

Sister of Happiness: "To keep happy thoughts in our hearts and bring happiness to those we meet."

Pledge Sister: "Sister of Kindness, what is the lesson of your station?"

Sister of Kindness: "To always be kind and considerate of everyone, and help others every way we can."

Pledge Sister: "Associate Pledge Sister, what is the lesson of your station?"

Associate Pledge Sister: "To have happiness forever, we must hope for better things and have faith in those around us."

Pledge Sister: "We are looking for a way to understand the world in which we live. By heeding these lessons, we will be helped on our journey through life."

(Raps gavel once, officers are seated.)

CLOSING

Pledge Sister: “If there is no further business, the meeting of _____Pledge Group will now be closed. (Raps gavel three times, all rise.) Sister of Happiness, you will attend the Altar."

(Sister of Happiness goes to the Altar, gives the Pledge sign, closes the Bible, and returns to her station.)

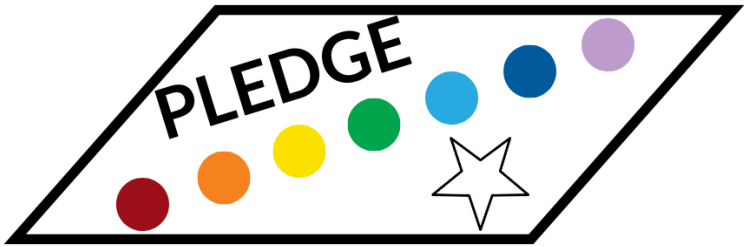
Pledge Sister: “Let us sing our Pledge Song, Blest Be the Tie That Binds.”

All In Unison: *(After song - Benediction)* "May the Lord watch between me and thee while we are absent one from the other."

Pledge Sister: *(Raps to seat sidelines)* "Officers, you will retire with me." *(see Drill Instructions)*

Pledge Meeting Ritual

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