

St Clare of Assisi Men's Club Minutes, May 2, 2016

In attendance--42 Members, 3 Priest and 3 officers

Meeting Called to order – 7:50 pm

Opening prayer lead by Curt Meyer followed by the Pledge of Allegiance

We welcomed Bill Saffold as a new member to the Men's Club.

-Minutes from the April, 2016 meeting were read – there was a motion to accept By Mike Pool on behalf of Bill Cannon - 2nd by Bob Hartmann and the minutes were accepted by the members.

-Treasury report was read- there was a motion to accept By Ray Gardiner on behalf of Bill Cannon - 2nd by Bill Deemer and the report was accepted by the members.

NEW BUSINESS / Open Floor

- Card going around for Fr. Christopher. We had cake and a gift at end of meeting for him.

- Looking for a carnival co chair. Please consider helping out. All other chairman are covered.

- Thank you to the 5-7 guys who showed up for mulch day.

- Officer and Phil Fick Elections were opened up to the floor. With no new nominations

Ivan Croghan won running on the "Make the Men's Club Great Again!" platform and New Secretary Josh Engelbart won after vowing to not use a personal email server for club business.

- Phil Fick Award Winner was Don Seiler in a tight race decided by just a few votes between Bob Hartmann and Don Seiler

- Golf Tournament Update-Russ reminded everyone The Golf Tournament is May 14th. We already have 30 foursomes signed up we need 6 more to sell out. We will need people with trucks to help get stuff to Aberdeen on the day of the event. If you don't like to play golf we need lots of volunteers to help run the event. Sponsor sheets and registration forms on the Men's Club website. Sponsorships are solid thanks to Bill Deemer's efforts. He handed a \$14,975 envelope to treasurer Meyer. We need Auction items, sponsors etc... Walnut Grill is The food Sponsor. Call Russ with any questions.

-End of year school picnic signup went out. Friday 5/27 at Bluebird Park. We will bring the grills and cook. PTO buys the food. Please show up at the school at 8am to load the trucks and start cooking at 9:30-10am.

- We will cook for the Parish Rummage Sale on June 11th and donate the food to sell to raise money and feed the volunteers for free. Sign up sheet went out.

-We will cook for Parish Feast Day Sunday August 21st. Sign-up sheet will go out closer to the event.

- Ed Kertz is recovering from his broken ankle and moving to Briarcrest.

OLD BUSINESS

- Bill Cannon received a plaque, He thanked the Men's Club for Their nomination of him.

- Kelly Powers asked if we should present a gift to the Men's club Diaconate Candidates Jim Broom and George Smith. DOn Seiler suggested a cash gift donation that could help them cover the cost of some of the Vestitures they will have to acquire. A number of \$250 each was floated and the Men's club passed a motion to send the gift to the appropriations committee. The appropriations committee was present at the meeting and approved the \$250 Each number and it was sent to a vote on the floor where the Gifts were approved.

- After this there was some discussion started by Barry Buerke and others about changing and redefining the way the appropriations process works. The general discussion went on for some time and got tabled until the next meeting.

Miscellaneous

- Card and Cake were presented to Fr. Christopher for his 25th Anniversary celebration of his Ordination.
 - Please text a friend to invite them to the next meeting.
 - The next men's club meeting will be June 6th, 2016.
 - Remember to pay your dues for the year 2016. Dues are \$20. Jeff will be collecting and checking dues. - 50/50 – \$105 won by Don Brian, Rico Red won by Bob Morris, Callahan "Wine of Napa Valley" won by Steve Cain.
- Special prayer intentions were heard and Don led the closing prayer.

Meeting Adjourned 9:00 pm.

God Bless us,

Bob Hymes

St. Clare of Assisi Men's Club Secretary