

## **St. Clare of Assisi Men's Club Meeting Minutes: March 4, 2019 (Delivered to the Club on April Fool's)**

In attendance: 41 members, 4 officers, 1 Priest.

The meeting failed to begin promptly at 7:30 p.m. as it has for the last 41 months. Meeting came to order at 7:41 p.m.

The Club opened with a prayer and the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance.

President Jason Hoffman gave an opening remark. It was blah-blah-blah, blah, bub-blah-blah-blah.

New member Jeff Dieters stood and was recognized for failing to become a member a long time ago.

Next, February's meeting minutes were delivered to the Club's members in fine fashion by Secretary Josh Engelbart. Parkway Bob voted "yay" and offered no objection. All rejoiced and were glad in it. There was much unstructured chatter that followed with members generally agreeing how the Club's monthly meetings basically reach their high point when Josh stands with members on the edge of their seats clinging to every word read from the minutes; everything goes downhill thereafter, especially so when Treasurer Greg Guntli stands and the Club has to listen to his financial gobbledygook.

Treasurer Greg Guntli then stood and delivered his gobbledygook.

President Hoffman again spoke. His words were accurately recorded as: wah-wah, wah, wah-wah-wah-wah.

As the four officers continued to preside over the meeting, everyone was blinded by the intense reflective light coming from the Officer's Table. It must have been the room's lighting reflecting off the officers' shiny, high foreheads. A motion was made to procure Men's Club caps for the officers. It must be true as Secretary Engelbart is wearing one right now as he speaks. A motion to accept the minutes by Barry Buerke, posthumously, and seconded by Bill Cannon, posthumously.

President Jason Hoffman and VP Aaron Mensinger discussed additional issues with the school play, Luke 18, Golf Tourney (Russ chairs from afar), and Rummage Sale were presented for Old Business items. New business: Officer elections, 40 Days for Life vigil on March 27, Oktoberfest, and Thirsty for Theology were mentioned.

Importantly, the dues calendar was changed because no single member recalls that June 1 to May 31 equates to our 12 month financial calendar. The measure was approved and dues will now follow the Gregorian Calendar. Fr. Martin then stood and provided details on how the Gregorian Calendar is named after Pope Gregory XIII who introduced said calendar in the year of our Lord 1582.

The K of C thanked us for one of our most important contributions to this parish: beer provisions.

Onto the monthly raffle winners...

Oh wow, really? Another old guy won 50/50!

Surprise! Another old guy won Rico Red.

The Martin's Mirassou winning ticket was pulled. No, it was not Bingo! night. But you'd never know the difference with all the old guard pulling winners out!

Reminder: clean up after yourselves. Take PGC class in order to volunteer at many of our Club functions.

Next Meeting: April 1, 2019.

**Hope you had a great April's Fools Day,**

God Bless this Men's Club

Josh Engelbart

Soon to be retiring Men's Club Secretary

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