

MINUTES of the HOLY NAME SOCIETY
RESURRECTION PARISH
APRIL 28, 2016

Call to order: A monthly meeting of the Holy Name Society of Resurrection Parish (HNS) was held in the Parish Center, Room #5, on April 28, 2016. The meeting convened at 7:30PM, with Father Garrett and the following presiding officers in attendance: Ernie Poirier - President, George Zitzler - Vice-President, Joe Dunn- Treasurer and Jerry Satkofsky – Recording Secretary.

Opening Prayer: George Zitzler - Vice-President, led the members in the Golden Arrow Prayer.

Roll: Attendance was taken by the Secretary.

Members in Attendance: Don Bautz, Frank Belusik, Jon Branca, Eugene Bruno, Angelo Cinti, Joe Dunn, Rich Lacey, Tom Lyons, Carl May, Ken Mortimer, Ernest Poirier, Jerry Satkofsky, Bob Seville, and George Zitzler.

Members Absent: George Baggio, Ben Bonner, Walt Brady, Richard Brown, Joseph Budka, Bill Dempsey, Don Faber, John Howey, Bill Janus, Joe Leusner, Shawn Martin, Dan Meehan, John Miscenich, Max Reibold, Jack Rosboschil, Bob Schmidt, Bob Shea and Frank Tagye.

Officers' Reports:

Treasurer: Joe Dunn- Treasurer presented the Treasurer's Report (attached).

<u>Bank Balance as of last meeting</u>		\$1,689.52
<u>Income</u>		0
<u>Expenditures</u>		
Mothers Day Flowers	(\$178.00)	
Easter Egg Hunt	(\$155.48)	(\$333.48)
<u>Bank Balance</u>		<u>\$1,356.04*</u>
<u>Petty Cash Fund with Treasurer</u>		
Balance before last raffle	\$153.00	
Raffle on 2/25/16	13.00	
Total Petty Cash fund		<u>\$166.00*</u>
<u>Total Society Funds Available</u>		<u>\$1,522.04</u>

Joseph O. Dunn, Treasurer

Copy to:

President, Vice President and Secretary

Note: Bank balance includes \$178.78 of Petty Cash. Total Petty cash is \$344.78

Tom Lyons motioned to accept the Treasurer's Report, Don Bautz seconded and members approved.

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Secretary: Minutes for March, 2016 meeting were posted on the Parish Web Page for review following the last meeting.

New Business: HNS President, Ernie Poirier introduce and welcomed new member John Mayo.

Flower Sale: Frank Belusik reported on the progress and planning for the upcoming Mothers Day Flower Sale. The flowers (white & pink carnations) will be delivered mid-week prior to Mothers day and volunteers would be needed to cut/prepare the flowers on May 5th and to support sales on May 7th and 8th at all Masses.

Supporting Flower Preparations on Thursday May 5th at 11AM are:
Frank Belusik, Angelo Cinti, Joe Dunn, John Mayo, Ernie Poirier

Supporting sales at prior to and after Masses are:
5PM Mass on May 7th – Jon Branca, Joe Dunn, Tom Lyons and Jerry Satkofsky
8AM Mass on May 8th – Angelo Cinti and George Zitzler
10AM Mass on May 8th – Frank Belusik, Chip Bruno, Rick Lacey, and Bob Seville
12PM Mass on May 8th –Ernie Poirier and Ken Mortimer

Flower sellers should arrive 20 minutes before Masses.
After 5pm Mass, flowers will be stored in Chapel and proceeds in Sacristy.

Chairman also requested \$60.00 in startup (seed) money to support the sale of flowers, Frank motioned for the \$60.00 advance and Joe Dunn seconded with all members approving.

HNS Budget: Angelo Cinti presented the group with copies of the Develop Budget Outline to discuss the Fund Sources, Activities and Groups to be Funded by the HNS. See below:

The Fund Sources:
50/50 Raffle
50/50 Membership Raffle
Trenton Thunder Baseball Game
Mother's Day Flowers
Others

Activities are:
Easter Egg Hunt
Holy Name Society Dinners – 2
4 Masses as a Group
Breakfast for Members and Wives
Mothers' day Flower Sale
Rosary and Reading Prior to Meetings
Others

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HNS Budget: Develop Budget Outline continued below:

Groups Funded:	Confirmation Group	\$300
	First Holy Communion	\$442
	St. Vincent de Paul	\$300
	Boy Scouts Troop 25	\$200
	Good Counsel Home	\$200
	Adoration Chapel	\$200
	Easter Egg Hunt	\$200
	Sports Committee	\$100
	Cub Scouts	\$100
	Other	\$300

Angelo also provided details on the proposed Trenton Thunder Baseball Game.

1. The cost per ticket would be set at \$35.00 (adult/child) and include admission to game and buffet dinner which would start 30 minutes prior to the start of the game and run for 90 minutes total. Sitting would be near the right field picnic area.
2. The event would be open to all Resurrection Parish members and families.
3. A deposit of \$520.00 is necessary with the balance due two weeks prior to the game. Angelo motioned that \$550.00 be disbursed from the Treasury and Jon Branca seconded with HNS membership approving the measure.
4. The projected profit is \$360.00 assuming 40 tickets to the buffet are sold.
5. George Zitzler requested that a game only general admission ticket should also be made available for those not wanting the buffet. Angelo estimated that the general admission alone ticket would be in the area of \$8-\$10
6. Father Garrett recommended that every effort be made to keep all parishioners attending in the same seating area.
7. Angelo proposed two game dates, July 14th and July 28th. The HNS voted on July 14th. Angelo will contact Trish in the office to reserve the date on the parish calendar.

Angelo also made the following proposals for the HNS:

1. That the HNS attend four Masses throughout the year as a group.
 2. That there be a HNS Members and Wives Breakfast at a location to be determined.
 3. That HNS meetings start earlier at 7PM thus allowing time for the Rosary, reading and reflection as a group.
 4. That additional effort be made to attract new members.
- President Ernie Poirier added that the parish bulletin be used to raise awareness to HNS goals, events and to attract new members.
Angelo added that a HNS could handout pamphlets after Masses to men of parish. Announcements at Mass could also be used to raise awareness.

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Father Garrett

Father offered his thanks and appreciation to the Holy Name Society for our many efforts within the parish. In addition, Father raised the following talking points:

1. Father has observed that the taking of God's Name in vain has become very common place in today's society, even with Catholics. He recommended that carrying The Divine Praises Prayer Card and praying it daily, can greatly aid us. Prayer interrupts the process of cursing!
2. Father commented on the results from the latest Parish Survey indicating that parishioners want more activities for the family. The parish and the HNS need to find ways to reach out to the families and to get them involved.
3. Father recommended a Catholic program for men called "That Man is You!" The program is an interactive, multimedia men's program focused upon the development of authentic male leadership. Over the course of three years, That Man is You! successively considers men in their relationship to God, to their spouse and to their children. The program content harmonizes current social and medical science with the teachings of the Church and the wisdom of the saints to develop the vision of man fully alive. That Man is You! is successful at attracting large numbers of men, including younger men still actively parenting, and then transforming their spiritual lives.
4. Father Garrett's installation as Pastor will be Saturday, June 18th.
5. Father also noted that the 10th Anniversary of Resurrection Parish is only two years away and we should be thinking about a special way to commemorate the event. One suggestion was a parish pilgrimage to the Holy Land.

Other Business:

Jerry Satkofsky reported on the recent Parish Easter Egg Hunt and whether the program should be replaced with a more effective means to engage the children of the parish.

1. In its second year, the Easter Egg Hunt drew less than 20 participants even with all the additional advertising and announcements after Mass.
2. Our Easter Egg Hunt coincides with numerous larger events, i.e. Township and area egg hunts and the start of the spring sports programs.
3. The HNS needs to determine whether a different event might better serve our parish family.

Announcements:

Rich Lacey stated Frank Tagye, Walt Brady and himself would again be heading up the Malvern Retreat effort. Father Garrett commented on how beneficial retreats are and encouraged all to attend.

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Final Note:

Our HNS President, Ernie Poirier, has asked that all members consider accepting one of the elected positions within the Resurrection Parish Holy Name Society. Further discussion to follow at our May meeting, with the election of officer's in June.

Next Meeting: The next meeting is scheduled for May 26th, 2016 at the Resurrection Parish Center, starting time will be 7:30 PM.

Closing Prayer: George Zitzler - Vice-President led the members in the Holy Name Pledge.

Adjournment: A motion was made to adjourn and carried unanimously. The meeting was adjourned.

(Signed) _____
Secretary
Holy Name Society

Date of approval