

## MINUTES OF HOLY NAME SOCIETY MEETING, MARCH 23, 2017

Meeting was called to order at 7:30 PM by Frank Balusek, sitting in for President Angelo Cinti, with the reading of the Golden Arrow Prayer, followed by a prayer dedicated to St. Joseph, recited by Secretary, Rich Lacey. Treasurer Joe Dunn read the Treasurer's Report, which is attached hereto.

Jerry Satofsky will conduct the Easter Egg Hunt on 4/8/17. Jerry will present invoices for his expenses. In addition to Jerry, Bob Seville, George Baggio, Frank Balusek and Carol May will assist with the Easter Egg Hunt..

We will have a discussion and finalize the arrangements for the Mother's Day Flower Sale at the April, 2017 Meeting.

June 16 and June 17, 2017 will be a recruitment drive for the HNS. We will have members present at all the masses that weekend, at which time we will try to obtain names and phone numbers of potential members. Jerry Satofsky suggested that we have the recruitment drive in September, 2017 instead of June. Bob Seville suggested that we print up business cards and hand these out to all of the men of the parish. Cards should have the Parish website address, recruitment contact, and the statement that meetings are held on the fourth Thursday of every month.

It was mentioned that Pat Brooks, our Religious Education Director, would like to come to one of our meetings to thank us for all we do.

Frank Tagye and Rich Lacey reminded the HNS members present of the upcoming Malvern Retreat to be held on the first weekend in June. We will have additional reminders at the April and May meetings, as well as putting notifications in the weekly Parish Bulletin.

Frank Balusek suggested that we cut down the number or prizes awarded for our annual 50/50. This will be discussed at future meetings.

Deacon Dan Meehan suggested the possibility if a holy hour of prayer for the HNS. Dan will discuss this with Father J.C.

Tom Lyons mentioned that the Knights of Columbus will be having their annual Tootsie Roll Drive to benefit mentally challenged citizens on April 21<sup>st</sup> and April 22<sup>nd</sup>. Volunteers are needed.

There being no further business, Tom Lyons motioned to adjourn, seconded by Jon Branca. The meeting adjourned with the reading of the Holy Name Pledge at 8:05 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard J. Lacey, Secretary