

St. Augustin Altar & Rosary Minutes

June 18, 2009

The Bands in attendance were 1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14. Also in attendance: Emily Piper, President; Mary Hamilton, Vice President; and Sandra Mosley, Secretary. The group met in Emily Piper's home and shared a potluck salad and dessert luncheon. The business meeting was called to order at 1 PM and the group joined in the Prayer to Serve God Well.

The April minutes were read. Suzy Muelhaupt moved that we approved the minutes and Robin Rose seconded; the motion passed.

TREASURER'S REPORT: There was no report.

MEMBERSHIP: Band leaders are contacting members who have not paid their dues. Juliet Bliss is working on the directory and it should be ready mid-August. There will be some reorganization of band members as members who are not able to be active are moved to other bands.

DEVOTIONS: Greta Kelso will be in charge of a coffee and donut reception after the Feast Day of the Assumption of Mary on Saturday, August 15, after the 8 AM Mass.

FUNERAL DINNERS: No report.

ALTAR CARE: Dixie Waddell and Kathy Foley are now in charge of this ministry.

BRIDGE: Bea Sweet said bridge is going as usual.

SEWING: No report.

ROSARY RECITATION: Everything is on schedule. Emily reported that a group of St. Augustin women are meeting with Lauren Smith at the Butler House to say the rosary on Mondays at 10:30 AM. They will not meet on July 6th or 13th. Georgie Hoerster and Greta Kelso volunteered to lead a rosary.

WORKS OF MERCY: Robin Rose reported that a lot more casseroles were donated after the April A&R meeting. We usually need about 40. We are responsible again in August.

ART AND ENVIRONMENT: The group complimented Robin Rose and her committee on the Easter flowers and suggested the same simple, multicolored theme for next year. It is probably time to take down the pink ribbons on the side lights.

NEW BUSINESS

2009-2010 Calendar: Emily asked band leaders to volunteer for various activities in the coming year. Georgie suggested we have an evening meeting with appetizers rather than the Autumn Brunch and use the theme "A Meeting of the Bands." The group agreed with the change. The upcoming events and bands who volunteered to be responsible are as follows:

Meeting of the Bands: September 28. Georgie Hoerster and Juliet Bliss are co-chairs and in charge of prizes. Mary Hamilton and Emily Piper are in charge of publicity and invitations. Juliet will pursue a "church ladies" skit. Each band leader will be asked to bring a centerpiece for her band's table. Bands 1-6

will be asked to bring salads or appetizers and bands 7-14 desserts. Sandra Mosley will be in charge of food set-up and clean up. The Rosary will supply the beverages.

Feast of the Immaculate Conception: December 8th. Mary Hamilton, Band 5; Pat Knight, Band 11; and Suzy Muelhaupt, Band 8, are in charge.

Feast of the Annunciation: March 25. Janet Haas, Band 6, will be in charge of a rolls and fruit reception after the Mass.

Bishop Drumm Birthday Party: April. Lisa Hubbell, Band 13, will be in charge of this.

Spring Luncheon: May 6th. We need volunteers to head the following sub-committees. Please e-mail Sandra or Mary Hamilton (mcaponi@metlife.com).

Invitations, Publicity, Name Tags and Registration —

Entertainment (Fashion show/models, and/or music) ---

Food, decorations, and clean up --- Rita Rasmussen, Band 9 (maybe)

Mass (Bishop and music) — Greta Kelso. Greta has booked Bishop Pates for the Mass.

OLD BUSINESS

Shawl Ministry: Marty Chiovaro would like to know if anyone who is ill would like to receive a prayer shawl. We suggested putting something in the bulletin to let people know shawls were available.

Bishop Drumm Birthday Party: Mary Hamilton said the people at Bishop Drumm seemed to enjoy the party in April. Bob Jones played old favorites on the piano and that was a big hit.

Graduating Seniors Breakfast: Sandra Mosley thanked everyone for their donations of egg casseroles and said they had planned for 80 to 90 but only 55 attended. It was a great opportunity to recognize the youth. This will probably become a tradition and the A&R should definitely be involved.

Please send Sandra Mosley an e-mail if you know of a member who is ill or hospitalized so she can send a card from the Rosary.

Emily led the group in a Hail Mary and adjourned the meeting at 2:05.

The next meeting will be September 3rd at 12 Noon.