



Guardian Angels Parish Council Meeting Minutes

Attended	Sally Bergum, Eric Crowell, Daryl Eiden, Tina Healy, Samantha Hensch, Fr. Paul Jarvis, Carmen Montes, Mario Montes, Mark Stoltman, Randy Symanitz
Absent	Ken Stacken (not yet officially a member)
Mtg Date	7:00 PM Thursday January 10, 2008
Location	Parish Conference Room

Items Discussed

Both minutes from November and December were approved

150th Anniversary Update

- The Kickoff was a huge success
- We must continue to promote Adoration – Check out the wonderful website
- Next events are Super Sunday Funday and the Beef and Sausage Dinner
- Mayor has given free reign to banners – requested a written list of what we want
- We need to build on the events that are already planned to include Alumni
- Archbishop Flynn will come in February to install Father Paul Jarvis
- Merchandise should be sold to Latinos to involve and spur awareness
- Memorabilia basket to be auctioned off at Super Sunday Funday and Spring Fling – with possible flashlight tour of friary

Volunteer Front Desk

- Receptionist is gathering Census information of all Alumni of GA School and Adult members of our parish
- 40 people attended the training sessions
- There is a new front door camera that helps secure the building after hours.

Love INC

- We are now an official member of Love INC
- Doug Pederson will write a series of success stories to share with parishioners
- A liaison is still needed – this person will not have to attend monthly meetings
- Each parish should have a mission such as a place to turn to for certain items/events

Child Care

- The friary would be a prime location – after cleanup
- So that more married couples can participate
- Parents should volunteer to help with caring for children if they decide to use it
- Tina will call the coordinator at Saint Victoria to inquire about legality
- Cinthia from the Hispanic Ministries can help

Welcoming Committee

- Invitations are being sent to 30 new parishioners – the first 15 people to RSVP will receive a Church tour
- There will be a booth set up in the church every 3rd Sunday of each month
- New members will receive a packet with a brief description of everything that goes on in the Parish

- There will also be a quarterly welcome – tentative first date is set for the 1st Sunday of April after the 10am Mass to have a hearty welcoming sit down breakfast
- Communication needs to continue for this to be a success

Gardens, Buildings, and Grounds

- Inventory has been assessed and a new committee has been developed regarding Gardens, Buildings, and Grounds – a priority list has been made with all of the Maintenance needed –
- Tina will talk to Dick Henning about planning brick walkway and garden in the courtyard behind the church
- Fund a need is used to receive donated equipment/supplies
- Ben Kendall will head a Technology Committee

Miscellaneous Issues

- Vice President still needed
- Recognition should be sent out to certain parishioners who are/have been large donors in the past – possibly a nice dinner
- Recognition should be sent to those who have long term service at GA
- We will take a look at our vision and plan for the future of GA by brainstorming ideas as was done in the past in St. Francis Hall – Daryl will bring the old list to see how we are doing
- Tim will look into coordinating a Member and Alumni Golf Tournament – Father will volunteer to be the beer cart chaplain
- GA School will be chartering a bus to pickup those students who are outside the district
- Father mentioned the upcoming liturgical calendar during Lent and Holy week
- Pastoral Care – help is needed serving the sick

Next meeting Thursday February ??th at 7 PM