

Knights of Columbus
Cardinal Gibbons Assembly #150
Newark, Delaware
Minutes – March 1, 2010

FN Barry Swain called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm. The meeting began with a prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call – _P_Friar _P_Comptroller _P_1 Year Trustee
 _P_Navigator _P_Purser _P_2 Year Trustee
 _P_Captain _P_Scribe _A_3 Year Trustee
 _E_Admiral _P_Inner Sentinel _P_Commander
 _A_Pilot P_Outer Sentinel

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Faithful Navigator's Report – Mission Breakfast Chairman, PSD Herb Casalena, sent a request for \$50 to cover the cost of rolls as the Assembly's share of the cost of the breakfast. Our web page is up and running thanks to Frank Strawser. It is linked to the State K of C web site. A call was made for more info for our newsletter. Holy Angels is having a St. Patrick's Day party, March 13. Tickets are \$30 per person and \$200 for a table of 8. Nominations for new officers is coming up. Andy Elisee is running for the Master's position and will speak about his nomination at the Biannual Meeting.

Friar's Report – The season of Lent provides an opportunity to walk with Christ and grow spiritually with His love for us. If we take this opportunity in Lent it will lead to the fulfillment of a Happy Easter.

Purser's Report – Balance to be determined.

Bills and Communications – 73.90 and 16.55 (total 90.45) for newsletter, 44.00 for postage stamps, 95.22 for food and 14.00 for Anniversary party.

Comptroller's Report –As of Feb.1 Assembly has 230 members including 39 honorary members and one disabled member. One member transferred out and another member moved to disability. Thirty-five dues remain uncollected and it is one month since second notices were sent out. Phone calls will be made before final notices go out.

Service Program Report – Chalice Fund - Jim Gardner discussed a change in the by-laws to increase annual income for the Chalice Fund. At the present rate we will run out of chalices before year end, i.e. annual chalice income with 93 paying members at \$5 for each member is 465.00 equal to 1 1/2 chalices and we present 3 or 4 chalices per year. A committee will be formed to work on this issue. Bob Ziegler is using the official Supreme roster for mailing newsletters to the Assembly members. News input is needed for the newsletter. Bill Lawler and the Assembly will no longer participate in Blue Rocks food stand activity. A possible substitute for fund raising is parking for UD women's basketball games. Al Ware reported that the Color Corps is invited to march in Newark's 75th Annual Memorial Day parade on May 16. There was no Color Corps activity during February. An upcoming event is Youth Day on the last Saturday of March. The transfer application of Bill Ahern was discussed.

Unfinished Business –None.

New Business – A motion was passed to spend \$50 to cover the cost of rolls for the Mission Breakfast. Reports of the 3rd degree councils were given. Friday fish fries are being offered by St. Michael's, Coffee Run, and Our Lady of Fatima. St. Michael's is hosting a golf tournament May 3 at the Delaware Nat'l Course. Holy Angels is hosting a St. Pat's party on March 13.

Meeting was closed with reading of the Good of the Order and prayer. Adjournment was at 8:15 pm.

Respectfully submitted, John E. McCormick, Faithful Scribe – Vivat Jesus