

St. Maron Council Meeting: 2 Mar 2014 (12:12 pm to 12:42 pm)

Present: Fr. Sam Najjar, GK Chris Cooper, DGK Bill Hoadley, FS Dan Barton, Treasurer Ron Foster, Recorder John Handley, Chancellor Steve Kenny, Tom Pinor, Jim Davis, Dwayne Orosz, and SD Chuck VanHeussen.

GK Chris called the meeting to order, Fr. Sam led us in prayer, Chris led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Chaplain Report: (1) Fr. Sam discussed the successful St. Maron's Day luncheon and the presentation of the Massabki Medal to Emma Montaldo; (2) the ladies guild want to hold a day of recollection open to all which is tentatively scheduled for 22 Mar although his mid-Mar surgery may interfere; (3) Tom McLamb will re-start the pine car race for children of the parish, date TBD; (4) Fr. Sam is going to NY on 1 Apr for the blessing of the oils.

Recorder: The minutes for Feb were approved by acclimation.

Membership: NTR.

GK Report: (1) GK Chris mentioned that the ladies guild wanted support from the knights for the Linton meal (soup and bread); (2) Chris asked Fr. Sam for a list of servers so the council could provide each a certificate and a small stipend; (3) Chris will provide updates on the web site concerning information he has received from the VA state rep, the Friends of Fontaine charity for Haiti, and on the upcoming State Convention.

Treasurer Report: The council has \$1607.18 in the bank with about \$400 going out in bills.

Financial Secretary: Dan requested reimbursement for postage and to pay State for a badge. Approved.

Trustees: NTR. Chancellor: NTR. DGK Report: NTR. Old Business: NTR.

New Business: (1) GK Chris reminded council members of Ash Monday on 3 Mar; the A/R/B service on 4 Mar; love lunch on 5 Mar; and the next council meeting on 6 Apr; (2) a motion was made, and seconded to give each server a \$25 stipend, approved 9 to 2. A second motion was made and seconded to increase this stipend from \$25 to \$30, approved 9 to 2; (3) a 4th degree tie-tack was found in the parking lot.

Knight of the Month: None. Family of the Month: None.

Good of the Order: Fr. Sam, Bill Morgan, Dan Barton, Maria Kenny, military and civilians serving abroad and their families; and all the members of the parish who need prayers.

GK Chris asked Fr. Sam to close the meeting with a prayer and Chris then dismissed the meeting at 12:42.