# ST. JOSAPHAT'S HOLY NAME SOCIETY MINUTES OF 9/11/11 MEETING

PRESIDENT – Richard Pucher TREASURER – Deacon Stephen Wisnowski

VICE PRESIDENT – Andy Feszczyszyn SECRETARY – Ron Dinger

MARSHALL - Mike Anuszkiewicz

The meeting was opened at 11:47 AM with a Prayer led by Father Kiril Angelov.

## **President's Report:**

President Pucher thanked those that helped set up and cook for the full breakfast and for all Members who had worked to support our Festival. Richard said that there would be a Festival Workers Party on 10/9 and that a sign up sheet is in the lower level of Church.

# **Secretary's Report:**

The minutes of the June 12, 2011 meeting had been available in the lower level of the Church. There was a motion by Mark Ewanow, seconded by Mike Jackiw to approve the minutes. Motion carried unanimously.

# **Treasurer's Report:**

 Savings
 \$969.21

 Checking
 \$1418.60

 Petty Cash
 \$37.95

 Total
 \$2425.76

Unencumbered \$2285.76 Encumbered \$140.00 (Retreat Assistance Fund)

Dc. Stephen reported that donations of \$250 have been received in memory of long time HNS member Peter Pryzlock. \$100 was received from Mr. & Mrs. Schelter (Peter's Daughter), \$50 from Mr. & Mrs. Gomula who live in Phoenix and \$100 from the Ukrainian American Club. Mike Ewanow moved that the report be approved as presented. This motion was seconded by Stephan Sawczuk. Motion carried unanimously.

### **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Retreat: Mike Anuszkiewicz reported that we had a total of 40 people attended the recent Retreat. Half of these people were from St. Josaphats. Also, of the 40 attendees, 31 stayed for the whole weekend. There were 2 first time attendees. A wine raffle at the Retreat covered the expenses of a wine/cheese social on Saturday after Services. The \$200 deposit to the Retreat House for the 2011 Retreat has been rolled over to be the deposit for the 2012 Retreat. Dates for Retreat will be the last weekend of August. One

person received \$140 from the Retreat Assistance Fund. Stipend of \$500 for Fr. George was paid for by Parish. Bottom line for the 2011 Retreat was an overall profit of \$60. For next year's Retreat Leader Mike will contact our Bishop and if he is not available Mike has two or three other Priests who have indicated an interest in leading our Retreat. Mike thanked Father George for a great job and said that he received favorable responses from questioners filled out by Attendees. Mike will have pictures taken during retreat put up on the St. Josaphat's website. Gene Sydor asked Members to acknowledge Mike's hard work leading the Retreat effort with a round of applause.

Sick and Vigil: No report was given.

## **ACTIVITIES AND PROJECTS**

**Spaghetti Dinner:** Next spaghetti dinner will be November 6<sup>th</sup>.

<u>Christmas Concert:</u> The Kyiv Chamber Choir will give a concert at St. Josaphat's on Sunday December 4<sup>th</sup>. President Pucher said that he has volunteered the HNS to act as ushers at this event. Choir is only appearing at 4 locations in the USA.

<u>New Business:</u> Since Father Kiril is being transferred to Yonkers, Tom Brilbeck made a motion that we give Father \$200 at his farewell coffee/baked goods reception. This motion was seconded by Mark Ewanow. Motion carried unanimously.

**Roundtable:** Gene Sydor expressed his unhappiness with the help he got from Members in trimming back the P-Willows. He related that working alone he spent over 3 hours in the cold/rain doing this project. Gene said that if no help shows up for next years trimming he will no longer head up this project. President Pucher said that he will attempt to secure more help for this project next year.

- President Pucher said he is disappointed in the number of members who attend Corporate Communion, business meetings and who help at Society projects. One of his goals is to increase Member involvement.
- Father Kiril Angelov thanked Members for all the support they have given him during his 10 year stay at St. Josaphat's. Father is leaving St. Josaphat's to become the new Pastor in Yonkers.

#### ATTENDANCE:

Mike Anuszkiewicz

Ron Dinger

Stephan Sawczuk

Mike Ewanow

Mark Ewanow

Dc. Stephen Wisnowski

Gene Sydor

Tom Brilbeck

Andy Feszczyszyn

Richard Pucher

Father Geo. Melnyk

Father Kiril Angelov

Mike Jackiw

<u>Next Meeting:</u> Next meeting is Sunday 10/9. Meeting was adjourned at 12:20 PM with a reading of HNS Pledge led by VP Andrew Feszczyszyn.