

**St. Barnabas on the Desert
Memorial Acceptance and Fine Arts Committee**

Minutes - May 14, 2001

Call to Order: Nancy Harvey called the meeting to order with a prayer at 1:40 in the Library.

Members Present: Tom Baker, Darlene Best, Tom Chapman, Ann Francis, Dee Gillanders, Nancy Harvey, Judee Morrison, and Zannie Williams.

Minutes: The minutes of the April 2 meeting were read. Correction: Ann Francis coordinated the March luncheon for Wilma Bartholomay.

Financial: Memorial Enhancement account -
\$28,323.55 (\$4,000 of which is interest)
4,488.50 - committed
23,835.05 - available

OLD BUSINESS:

Easter: The altar looked magnificent, but caring for the lilies (watering and removing stamens) the week after Easter became a problem. We will look into alternatives - maybe a different arrangement with fewer lilies, maybe get another group to help water and care for the lilies. Susan Pietzsch will be consulted on this.

New Memorial Book: The book has been printed, but Barbara Ritz needs help on the cover and binding. Zannie and Dee will take care of this after Nancy finds out the name of the binding company.

Information Table Cover: Jan Willner will make the cover and we will purchase the fabric for her. Dee and Tom Chapman will get fabric samples for our next meeting.

New Members: Possible new members were discussed. Nancy will present a list of 4 potential new members for Jeff Bullock's consideration.

Task/Duty Sign-up: Nancy went over the sign-up sheet and additional names were added.

Tours: Tours were given to the Youth Group and the Hornbachers in April. Judee Morrison will give a tour to the Altar Guild May 19, and the Newcomers May 27. We should each try to attend one of these tours.

Christmas Bows: Darlene showed us samples of ribbon. She will make a sample bow of the wired moire ribbon, and then figure out how much is needed for 8 bows.

Green Burse and Veil for Chapel Consecration: Ann Francis is taking care of this.

Chapel Organ Shelf/Plaque: This is being completed.

Education, Consecrations, *Mockingbird Messenger* Articles: Darlene is doing an excellent job.

Inventory/Chapel History: Will be worked on during the summer.

Parish Historian/50th Anniversary Book/Video: Tabled until Fall.

Wilma - Letter of Appreciation: Read by Nancy

New Artists Ad Hoc Committee: (Baker, Chapman, Gillanders, Goodman, Harvey, Iacobelli, Morrison, Pitha, Others?) This committee met May 1 and is in the process of defining goals and procedures. The next meeting will be on May 22 at 5:30.

New Memorials: Tabled

Holy Week Use of the Color Red: Tabled

Children's Chapel: No progress

NEW BUSINESS:

Sanctuary Lighting: The Rector has pointed out that there is not enough light for reading at the lecterns and altar, and requested our involvement in this. A meeting will be called including Dr. Curt Sather, Jay Hornbacher, MAFA Chairmen, and Dr. Ian Lewin, lighting engineer. All aspects of this project will be considered, as well as visual impact.

Kiosk: A sketch has been submitted to MAFA by Vestry member, Jay Childress, for review. (This is a courtesy, as our approval is not required). The plan is simple and functional.

Next Meeting: June 11

Coffee Hour: September 9

Close: The meeting was closed with a prayer by Judee Morrison at 3:30

Zannie Williams, for Peggy Iacobelli