## Minutes of the **St. Joseph's Society**January 9, 2008

The regular meeting of the St. Joseph's Society was held on Wednesday, January 9, 2008. President Gus Pehl opened the meeting with a prayer. 20 members were present. Minutes accepted as written.

The treasurer reported - Darin thanked those that have already sent in their 2008 dues. Report for the year 2007, Jan. thru Dec. Halle Rental income of \$6763.20, Interest income of \$470.03, Memorials of \$4172.37, Fund Raisers income of \$13,313.02. Total utilities expenses of \$2031.93, Supplies of \$1376.69, Charitable Donations of \$1922.50, Fund Raiser expense of 6,035.98, Maintenance expense of \$940.06, Supplies of \$1,376.69, and other expenses for a total expenses of \$16,031.66. Total in bank accounts of \$19,569.62, and \$15,347.36 in CD's. Net income of \$11,520.96. Accepted as presented.

New members elected to membership: J.C. Birck. All Approved.

**New Business-** Father Enda sent a thank you note for his Christmas donation from the Society. Received a thank you from Seminarian Victor Valdez for the donation from the society. Seminarian Brandon Brandenberger thanked all for their support on his journey to priest hood. Brandon has recently served as reader for the Pope during mass at the Basilica.

Christmas Party- Thanks to Steve Montgomery for your work and planning on the Christmas party. Approximately 92 people attended. Thank you to Dede Threadgill for bringing gifts for the children. Thanks also to Jim Jarreau for donating the bread.

Motion made that the Society donate \$100.00 to the St. Mary's Winter Fest on February 2, 2008. Motion passed.

**Committee Reports** – Rainey Threadgill reported on the Feast Day Barbecue. Date is set for April 13, 2008. Rainey will be calling committee members from last year. Will be looking for mesquite wood, if any one has or knows of a source, please call Rainey. We will have the drive thru again. Rainey asked if their were any suggestions. Danny Roeder suggested that we see about buying boneless meat this year, Rainey will check on price difference. The price will be \$7.50 per plate. Darin Holmes reported that the banner for the Feast Day Barbecue will be going up on April 2. Darin will be taking care of the advertising.

Building Facilities and Fixtures Committee- John Eilers reported that Jeff Dittmar and Pat Kunz have donated new chair racks for the Halle. Thank you Jeff and Pat.

Pray for members Oscar Metzger, and Arlin Crenwelge. There was a motion to adjourn at 7:15 p.m.. President Gus Pehl closed with a prayer to Our Lady. The Next meeting is scheduled on Wednesday February 13, 2008, at 6:30 pm. in the Halle.