

MONKS Breakfast Meeting Notes

January 8, 2011 8 a.m.

Forty people attending.

Steve wished everyone a HAPPY New Year and did our opening prayer.

“Where a people pray, there is the church; and where the church is; there is never loneliness” – Dietrich Bonhoeffer

Steve introduced our Guest Speaker – John Dubots of Capital Management

MONKS discretionary funds distributed. Doris Elder called Steve Minder and asked if the MONKS could help Cheryl Beall and her mom with heating costs this winter. Steve and John Cloutier authorized \$150 to be sent to Cheryl Beall and her mom.

Brother's Keeper Ministry - No updates this month.

Hoover Dam trip - Barry Adams. Called those that signed up. A number of folks have dropped out from the original 28. Barry said that he needs numbers in the mid thirties. Barry will continue to work on it and will have a go/no-go answer by February meeting. He has to know who is coming by about the twenty third of January.

MONKS Retreat update - Gary Kerr will have a follow up meeting with the members of the retreat after a MONKS meeting in Feb/March.

MONKS giving presentation - John Cloutier about the Monks projects, well done.

January breakfast-Barry, Larry, John, Steve, Pete, Raul, and Mac
Anyone with breakfast ideas (catering, offsite, etc.) please let Steve or John know.

February Valentine's breakfast February 12th, preparation-Barry will need help in preparing for this event. Larry will get flowers. Volunteers please see Barry.

Upcoming speakers:

January - John Dubots of Capital Management

February - Rudy has a speaker lined up from TVU School District

Note: emails have been sent to Mayor Ron Roberts (April 9) as well as the Temecula Citizen Corps (they should be contacting us next week) on disaster preparedness.

Upcoming Events:

February Valentine's breakfast (Feb 12)

Spaghetti fundraiser dinner (Feb 26) - start announcing the event next Sunday-\$10 per child and \$ 15 per adult.

Barry sent letters out to last year's donors. Steve will begin selling tickets this Sunday. Barry suggested buying script and donating it to help pay expenses as well.

New Business ? : It was 1st, seconded and voted to award all the profits of the spaghetti dinner be donated directly towards paying off the principle on the church mortgage,.

Closing Prayer