

## District 1 Meeting Minutes for February 20, 2023 - St. Paul's

**Attendance:** Sara S., Judy S., Chloe D., Daniel S., Brian B., Dawn E., Mia F., David Y., John B., Lorraine J., Allan C., Kenny G.

\* Daniel S. opened the meeting with the Serenity Prayer

**Minutes:** January minutes approved

**Concept** – Chloe read concept 7

**Treasurers Report** - See Attached

**DCM Report:** Daniel S. – Will probably zoom NERAASA not attend in person

**Alternate DCM Report:** Attended Area Committee Meeting. GSR meeting March 11<sup>th</sup>. 10am on zoom. Tickets still available for State Convention August 4-6 Hunt Valley. Area assembly March 5 Severna Park.

**SMIA Liaison:** Jamie R. – SMIA needs a secretary and Chair. Buddy has been nominated for Chair. Secretary must be present at meeting (not zooming in) and have a general working knowledge of the procedures. Bill will be doing bookstall. New W&W's are printed. Literature prices are going up in April (previously mistakenly reported as January). Looking for ideas for contributions that SMIA can make to the different counties to spend some of the surplus. Is there anything that the districts need? Are there events that we would like SMIA to sponsor or workshops? We need to submit more anniversaries to the calendar.

### **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

**Accessibility Committee** – Needs new chair

**Bridging the Gap** - Chuck G. – Not present

**Events** – Mia F.- Nothing new to report currently. Summer picnic will be in June

**Grapevine Committee** – Need chairperson

**Institutions** – Mark B. – Not present

**Public Information Committee** – Lorraine J. – New comer packets will be coming soon. Mia has cardstock for Chuck to print.

**Web Committee** – Bill L. – Not present

**Jails** – Daniel S. – Orientation date will be coming soon.

**Old Business** – District voted to focus on attending local meetings and covering the cost of registrations for our DCM or Alt DCM and reevaluating what additional cost may be covered in the future for travel to out of state meetings, assemblies, or conferences when donations pick back up and our budget allows for it.

**New Business** – We want to look into hosting an Area 29 monthly meeting. We would provide the place, help set up and tear down. Roughly 50 people in person and an online presence so facility must have internet.

**Group Reports:**

**231 Group**- Kenny G. – 10-15 on Friday and 6-8 on Tuesday

**Awakenings** – Dawn E – All positions filled. Averaging about 20 people. Needs New Comer packets

**Beach Beacon** – Needs GSR

**Bedouin Group** – Chloe D. – Nothing new to report

**Cove Point** – Brian B. – 50<sup>th</sup> Year Anniversary (Group anniversary). Dennis B. will be the speaker. Food and fellowship. Bring a side dish.

Daily Reflections - Donald R. – Not Present

Daily Reprieve Group – Chuck G. – Not present

Do Drop-In Women's Group - Carole W – Emailed report – Wednesday's at 6pm. Zoom only with average attendance of 10. Celebrating anniversaries online

Grapevine – John B. – Attendance is up to about 25 with 3-5 on zoom

Grateful Alive Group - Needs GSR. Bill L reported via email- See Attached

Happy Destiny - Needs GSR

Happy Hour – Meeting is well attended. They are not interested in having a GSR

Huntingtown Noon Group – Needs GSR

Keeping It Green - Needs GSR

Living Sober Group – Roger M – Not present

Lusby Group - Donald R. - Not present

Monday Night Men's Meeting – Needs GSR

North Beach Group – Jaime R. – Attendance is slightly up. All positions are filled. No issues. Needs New Comer packets

Prince Frederick Big Book – Allan C. - Accessible elevator is available.

Saturday Morning Breakfast – Judy S. – Attendance is good.

Sober by the Bay – Needs GSR

Solomons- David Y. – 30-40 people weekly. Attendance is good.

The Harmony Group – Bill L. Not present.

Sunderland Group - Bill L. – Not present.

Today Group – Needs GSR

We Wuz Wurz Group – Needs GSR – Brian reported: Meeting is going fine.

Meeting closed with prayer.