

Arts and Liturgical Environment Committee (ALEC)

Meeting May 27, 2008 @ 9:00 AM in the Conference Room

Present were Fr. Bob, Chris, Carmen, Connie, and George. Erwin joined us later.

A copy of the agenda for this meeting was distributed.

Fr. Bob lead us in prayer. Minutes from the meeting of February 26th meeting were reviewed. Chris made a motion to approve minutes as written, Fr. Bob seconded the motion, all were in favor of accepting the minutes as written.

Easter season flowers will probably be all lilies, double the amount, and around the steps of the sanctuary. White fabric will be draped on the gridwork. The decorating committee still feels an extension ladder should be purchased, but Joe Reynolds said there is no place to store one. Various Wholesalers for the lilies will be contacted by committee members to get the best price for flowers. Jim Thomas is the landscape person who the decorating committee can contact for large plants we may need.

The kneelers were installed and accepted very well by the parishioners. Fr. Bob said he didn't have to make many announcements for people to kneel at appropriate times during the Mass.

Fr. Bob said the marble base for the tabernacle is in transit from Miami. The bid for the tabernacle cement work was \$ (George will give Connie the price)

We will be getting an update from Erwin regarding the Artist who is doing the Corpus, for the Marian statue. Stations of the Cross – Erwin is correcting the problem of the foil lifting. Also Roman numerals will be crafted to be placed under each Station.

Fr. Bob talked to the Bishop regarding our getting a Relic of St. Agnes. The Bishop will provide him someone in Rome to research.

Fr. Bob announced that the bulletin boards are hung in the Narthex. Sarah is in charge of them regarding it's visual appeal.

Soundproofing the Narthex is still a concern. Erwin is going to get a price for sound boards.

Confessional kit. Connie to see if Scott ordered it yet. Regarding the confessional lighting, George made a motion that we not get it as it is really not necessary. The committee was in agreement.

Holy Water Font – George will contact Dale Goble and inquire about a base for the font, sanctuary lamp and chapel tabernacle base.

George announced that the Holy family statue will be installed beginning today (5/27/08).

Use of the Reservation room was discussed. There was no final decision or direction.

There is no reason for the committee to meet again until September.

At a later date in June the committee met at Erwin's warehouse to see the Corpus and the Cross.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by Connie Brehm