

2009-2010 EDITION

Epiphany Sages Newsletter
October, 2009

Mission Statement

Epiphany Sages is a ministry for senior members dedicated to support one another and the community through spiritual, social, and service activities

Core Team

Nancy Quarles, President (10)
George Hagman, Vice-President (11)
Carl Trimble, Treasurer (11)
Mary Ann Calle', Secretary (11)
Mil Buckley (09)
Marge McGrath (10)
Dianne Scheer (09)
Joe Uveges ('09)
Joan Manning (10)

Committee Chairs

Hospitality: Dot Zipperle
Membership: Marge McGrath
Newsletter: Joe Uveges
Prayer Chair: Corine Liebert
Program: Mil Buckley
Social: Suzanne Mosley/George Hagman
Spiritual: Joan Manning
Sunshine: Herman & Doris Heslen
Swinging Sages: Norm Buckley
Telephone: Doris Spooner/Corine Liebert
Service/Volunteer: Dianne Scheer

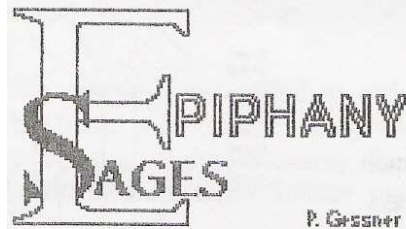
Core Team Meetings

The Wednesday before the General Membership meeting at 12 Noon in the library of the Community Center. Any member is welcome to attend.

General Membership Meetings

All General Membership Meetings will be on the 3rd Sunday of the Month after the 11:30am liturgy in the Community Center

No meetings in June (Father's Day), July (Sages Annual Picnic) and December (Sages Annual Christmas Party)



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WHAT'S AHEAD

Thursday, October 8, 2009

Day Trip: Museum of the American
Printing House for the Blind
Call Suzanne Mosley at 245-0193
(More Information Below)

Wednesday, Oct. 14th, 2009

Core Team Meeting
12 Noon in the Community Center
(open to any interested members)

Sunday, Oct. 18th, 2009

General Membership Meeting
Epiphany Community Center
George Perkins
"Experiences of an Alaska Park
Ranger & Marine Biologist"
Also: meet your Core Team
Nominees

Wednesday, November 4, 2009

Titanic Exhibit at the Louisville
Science Center
Leaves Epiphany at 9:15am
(More Information Below)

Core Team Minutes: Sept. 16, 2009

Nancy Quarles convened the meeting at 12:00pm. Those present: Nancy Quarles, Carl Trimble, Marge McGrath, George Hagman, Dot Zipperle, Gil Liebert, Mil/Norm Buckley, Suzanne Mosley, and Sr Mary Gowern.

The meeting began with an opening prayer by Sr. Mary.

The August Minutes were approved (George Hagman/Marge McGrath).

Treasurer Carl Trimble: the Sages budget for 2009-2010 is \$1410.00. July-Aug income was \$71.00 with expenses of \$54.60. Income (YTD) is \$71.00 and expenses (YTD) of \$76.42. The balance of available funds is \$1404.58.

Sr. Mary Gowern reported that Fr. Jeff has hired a full-time nurse, Ms. Julie Stuart, beginning October 1, 2009. Also, Sr. Lorraine has requested that the Library's four rectangular tables be replaced with two round tables to accommodate the Just Faith Program.

Committee Reports:

Hospitality: Dot Zipperle reported that all was ready for the September general membership meeting. The meeting was well attended and the speaker well received. The contributions of time and talent of those providing for set-up, food preparation, and clean-up is much appreciated.

Membership: It was announced that the Parish will take a census during Lent to update the Parish roster. That information will be useful for keeping a Sages Directory up to date. A separate listing of Sages

members by birthdate will be also ready for distribution soon. Work continues, as well, on an update of the Sages Directory which will include email addresses along with other traditional address/telephone data.

Newsletter: Joe Uveges (in absentia) requested that all Newsletter information be sent to him by Tuesday, September 22

Prayer Chain: Gil Liebert reported that he added two people to the Prayer Chain in Corine's absence. Corine intends to resign as Chair of this committee by December 31, 2009. *An invitation remains for someone to volunteer to replace Corine by that time.* Corine will help in orienting someone to this position.

Program: Mil Buckley reported that the September 20th speaker will be Jackie Gahlinger presenting about "The Basics of Alzheimer." The October speaker will be George Perkins who will speak on his experiences as a Park Ranger in Alaska. He is also a marine biologist and was in Alaska during the time of the Valdez oil spill.

Social Activities: Suzanne Mosley reported that many opportunities are available for Sages in the months ahead. On October 8th, a day-trip is planned to the American Printing House for the Blind. In November, on the 4th, a day-trip is planned to the Louisville Science Center for the Titanic Exhibit. The Sages Christmas Party will be on Saturday, December 5th. And, way far ahead in June the Sages Annual Bus Trip will take us to Mackinac Island in Michigan. **(More details on each of these events follow in special boxes found below).**

Spiritual: Gil Liebert reported that only a few had registered for the Retreat on October 3rd. More registrants are needed to assure that the retreat will be held.

Committee Leadership Needs:
We are now looking for someone to volunteer to lead the Prayer Chain Committee. Help will be available for anyone who will volunteer for either of these roles. Please call Nancy Quarles (245-9257) to volunteer.

Sunshine: George Hagman continues to send out cards. The September meeting of Blessing Designers was a big success. Even Fr. Jeff showed up and made a card. Forty-three cards were designed. **The next meeting will be on October 15th at Jan Woodall's - 503 Coachhouse Ct. beginning at 10:30am. Bring a lunch and become a blessed designer. For more information, call Jan at 244.9195.**

Swinging Sages: NR

Telephone: NR

Volunteer Services: NR.

Old Business: None.

New Business: The Nominating Committee for Core team Elections was named: Nancy Quarles, George Hagman, and Carl Trimble.

Motion to Adjourn: (Mil Buckley - George Hagman) at 1:02pm.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

The Nominations Committee has put forward the following people for the 2010 Sages Core Team:

Freda Adiletto
Barbara Kaltenthaler
Vicki Williams
Wilma Valentine
Dot Zipperle

Introductions will be made at the October 18th General Membership Meeting.

The "official ballot" will be printed in the November Newsletter with the votes being tabulated during the November General Membership Meeting on November 15th. You may vote for up to three (3) people.

Ballots will also be available in the gathering area the first three weekends in November. You may mail in your ballots (Church of Epiphany, attn: Sr. Mary) or place them in a ballot box which will be located adjacent to the printed ballots in the gathering area.

Sages Christmas Party Sat., Dec. 5 ~ 2-5 p.m.

We will have the Table Decoration Contest again this year. Call Suzanne Mosley at 245-0193 if you are interested in decorating a table.

*Happy Birthday Sages
(October)*

- 01: Lucille Barrickman
James Hill
Virginia Hurst
03: Toni Eimer
Charles Downs
06: Marina Holt
08: Louise Spinosal
09: Pat Trimble
10: Mary Ann Luerman
12: Georgiana Hagman
14: Faye Niehoff
Kathy Walsh
Carmen Warde
16: Cathy Overberg
17: Howard Bowles
18: Shirley Cripe
Judy Metsker
20: Evelyn Ulrich
Barbara Roney
21: Judy Pessolano
22: Mary Gower, C.S.J.
26: Sherri O'Bryan
27: Judy Whelan
28: Mary Alice McGrath
30: Mary Anne Calle'

**Sages Mackinac Island
Bus Trip**

June 20-26, 2010 ~ \$584/person
(double occupancy)
\$75 deposit (per person)
due at sign up

The trip is open to all Sages and
members of Epiphany.

Call either Suzanne Mosley at
245.0193 or Nancy Quarles at
245.9257 for more information or
to reserve a seat.

**The Museum of the American
Printing House for the Blind
Thurs., Oct. 8**

9:30 a.m. - TARC bus (\$3 cash)
leaves Epiphany parking lot

Tour the Plant:

a free 1-1/2 hour tour to see, first
hand, how educational products for
the blind and visually impaired are
made using the latest computer
technology.

Explore the Museum:

Explore the history of a company
devoted to creating products to
improve the quality of life of the
visually impaired. Write your name
in Braille, handle Braille materials,
and see where "talking books" are
made.

The bus will return us to Epiphany,
where those wanting to can drive
over to Mimi's Café, 615 S.
Hurstbourne Parkway, for lunch (on
your own) in their private room.

This tour is handicap accessible.
Call Suzanne Mosley at 245-0193 to
sign up (time is running out).

Information, please.

Do you know of any person who is
affiliated with the Louisville Slugger
Museum or the Louisville River Bats?
Please call Suzanne Mosley at 245-0193
if you do.

TITANIC:
The Artifact Exhibition

Wednesday, Nov. 4
at the Louisville Science Center

TARC bus (**\$3 cash/person**) leaves
Epiphany Parking Lot at 9:15 a.m.

The exhibit features more than 100 artifacts recovered from the wreck site of the Titanic ship which sank in 1912. The exhibit is designed with a focus on the ship's human stories as told through authentic artifacts. Each visitor receives a replica boarding pass of an actual passenger upon entering the exhibit. Visitors then take a chronological journey through the Titanic, from construction to life on board. Near the end of the exhibit, you will take your boarding pass to a memorial wall and learn if your passenger survived or died.

Admission is only \$10/person
(*special group rate*) to the Titanic Exhibit **AND** the IMAX movie "*Ghost of the Abyss*". An optional audio tour headset is available for a fee of \$5.

After our tour, the bus will return to Epiphany. Those wanting to join together for lunch (on their own) may drive to **Tony Roma's**, 150 N. Hurstbourne Parkway to enjoy a meal in the private dining room.

You won't want to miss this outing. Call Suzanne Mosley at 245-0193 to reserve a seat. Call early, the seats should go fast on this one!