

ACTS Mission Minutes  
May 27, 2008

**Present:** Mike Monagle, Davida Ahlgren, Trish Kohan, Robert Tonkin, Dave Ringle, Pat Travers, Lisa Pusich, Myrna Dillon, Heather Johnson-Smith, Cathy Ellenbecker,

**Absent:** Janis Burn-Buyarski, Randy Coleman, Leora Houtary, Ray Thibadeau, Winston Smith, Bonnie Elder

**Meeting began with prayer by Fr. Pat**

Review of the history of ACTS/ACTS Missions (I'll try to include the attachment(s) with the minutes.)

Not an easy task, but doable with faith and energy.

**Parting words from board members:**

Trish shared her "scouting trip to Ketchikan." Sounds willing to be a team member  
Cathy willing to share experience with Mardi Gras fundraising,  
Heather Johnson-Smith reflected on the need to focus on a parish to gain continuity

New board members, Lisa and Myrna, had no questions.

**Ketchikan:** lots of experience, big history of Cursillo and Walk to Emmaus, an activity that was present for 15 years within the parish, may need to be more collaborative,

Send a sounding group from Juneau in October to lay the seeds and till the ground.  
Preferrably an "Earthen Vessel" group for music ministry Oct. 7/8.

Jim and Ann Marie Meirsonne  
Greg Fast  
Linda Kelley

Possible place researched by Trish, several enticing options with a video by Trish  
George Inlet Lodge/Rainforest Canopy Adventures  
Salmon Falls Resort  
Holy Name School—another possibility

Very doable, if we can get community buy-in.

**Fund-raising:** Janis is checking about her plant sales. Robert is checking on support from the Cathedral. Cathy knows Sharon Lobaugh

**Wasilla:** There is a spirit that is very willing, but there is a dearth of musicians in Wasilla but that needs to be encouraged. We need to focus on getting the director to

commit and communicate. Robert will communicate with John. We'll communicate with the Wasilla ACTS Board and other known team members.

After the meeting, we will set up an account for ACTS missions with three signers, facilitator, treasurer, and spiritual director. Then goal of setting up another fund-raiser. Possibly a fund raiser in conjunction with September CCD fundraising, or a Fourth of July food booth and downtown Juneau.

Next meeting, Tuesday, June 17<sup>th</sup>, 6:30. Nominations and election of board positions, plus assignments for fund-raising will be on the agenda.

Decision was made to nominate and hold officer elections at the next meeting:

Facilitator  
Co-facilitator  
Secretary  
Treasurer