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## *Newsletter for March, 2026*

*Our last meeting, Pres. Alex Preciado, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Stan Martinez, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Rich O'Brien, Marshall Larry Gallegos, Exec. Comm.: Chuck Gullo, Charlie Cano, Joe Valenti were present. Fr. Paolo excused.*

*Minutes were read from last meeting. Minutes were approved by the council with no corrections or additions.*

*Bills were submitted to the exec. comm. for review and approval.*

*Financial report given by Pres. Alex Preciado. Receipts were \$44.03(dues&int.). Disbursements were \$1,419.00. BofA bal. as of 3/13/26 was \$1,287.95. ML acct. bal. as of 2/28/26 was \$701,067.78.*

*Informed council to talk to people regarding joining the YMI. We are down to 24 members. Within the last few we have lost 3 members and 2 dropped—that's 5! Council 2 will start their own essay contest some. Applications to be sent out soon.*

*Discussed where to have our annual BBQ. One suggestion was the hall like last year. We'll continue discussing this matter.*

*Exec. comm.. submitted bills and recommended that the bills be paid. A motion was made and everyone approved for payment of bills.*

*A very special thank to Cami Palermo for providing lunch for the council. It was delicious!!(cornbeef and cabbage).*

*Our next meeting, will be April 21, 2026. Doors open at 11am and meeting starts at 11:30am. Bring a friend to see what the YMI is all about. Potential member! Say a little prayer...to everyone especially those who are ill,*

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