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OPENING

Time: 6:00

Pledge of Allegiance

GUESTS

Michele Lindsey, Mary Tipp, and Claudine Manchester

VISITING ROTARIANS

Wayne Manchester (our speaker), GP Sunrise

BIRTHDAYS

Mike Hollerbach (4/15) and Ted Hadgis (4/16).

ANNIVERSARIES

Alex Beauchamp, 1year.

ROVING REPORTER

Liz Vogel

-- GP South Theatre's production of Les Misérables from 4/23 to 4/25 will have a few students with Rotary connections taking part: Jessica Keyser's son, Liz Vogel's nephew, and Bill Scott's granddaughter.

-- Heather Mayernik's daughter, Caitlin, who lives in NY City, recently produced a video for Jimmy Fallon and the South Korean Band, BTS.

-- Good luck to John Mozena, who will be undergoing outpatient back surgery on Friday, 4/17.

-- Welcome back to Ron Vitale, returning from his annual 3-month stay on Marco Island.

-- At a library conference in Minnesota, Jessica Kesyer met an attendee from Cleveland who knew former Club member, George McMullen. We lost George to cancer in 2021 at age 63. Although they hadn't seen each other in decades, George sent her a Christmas card every year until his passing.

OIL CAN

Postponed.

SUNSHINE NEWS

Keep in your thoughts and prayers.

-- Kelly Boyd, whose mom passed away.

-- John Mozena (see Roving Reporter)

COMMUNITY SERVICE

-- Thank you to all who participated in the Moross Greenway Spring Clean Up this past Saturday.

-- Second Mile Center clean-up from 9:00am to Noon on 4/25. A sign-up sheet was passed around. Contact Alex Beauchamp if you would like to help.

-- The Michigan Humane Mutt March will take place on 5/9 at Michigan Central Station. Bob Lucas will distribute a sign-up sheet when details are finalized.

-- Food drive for the Second Mile Center at GP Memorial Church from 10:00am to 11:00am on 5/9.

-- GPAAS Tails in Motion takes place at the Ford House on 5/16 from 9:00am to 1:00pm. Volunteers are needed with parking. Contact Laurie Bunn if you would like to volunteer.

-- Forgotten Harvest from 9:00am to 12:00pm on 6/6. A sign-up sheet was passed around.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

-- Alma Kitchen Lunch Bunch. If you plan on attending, RSVP via email to Ted Everingham by 11:00am that day.

-- Next week's speaker will be Adrian Lewis, the CEO of Forgotten Harvest.

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Wayne Manchester – Creating Hope in Honduras

Through his church, Grace Community, and International Samaritan (www.instam.org), Wayne has participated in 4 mission trips to Tegucigalpa, Honduras. The organization, based in Ann Arbor offers support to “garbage dump:” communities that pop up around dump sites which residents dig through to find recyclables and other items to sell or use.

The community Wayne has visited consists of 2,000 people living in 200 3-generational homes. While there, he has helped turn a small community center with chain link fences as walls into a much larger family life center with a kitchen, classrooms, and computer rooms. His group has also planted a garden while International Samaritan has brought a water tower to the area.

The people that Wayne has met, especially the children, have impacted him greatly. He's been able to see how they have changed over the 4 trips. As an active member of the GP Sunrise Club for over 25 years, he had the opportunity to speak at one of the six Rotary Club in the City.

MEETING RAFFLE

\$226 in the pot. Tim Klepp purchased the winning ticket but did not pick the joker.

CALENDAR

Apr 22: Adrian Lewis – CEO of Forgotten Harvest

Apr 29: Jennifer Margraf – Kevin's Song.