

Meeting Minutes

Glass Gathering Monthly Meeting

April 9, 2022, 9:00 am – 11:00 am

Harmony Stained Glass, Pasadena, Texas

Attendees: 12 members and visitors

Business Meeting

Hands-On Activity: Fused Glass Nightlights

Business

- Treasurer's Report: Income of \$271.26, Account Balance is \$2452.71. We have received several new or renewing paid memberships. Reminder to members that we are no longer suspending dues because of the pandemic; please update your membership for 2022.
- May meeting: independent participation in Houston Food Bank Empty Bowls Fundraiser Event. Taking place at the Houston Center for Contemporary Craft on May 14, this event highlights artist-made and donated bowls that can be purchased to support the Food Bank. Over 1500 bowls are usually available for \$25 each, and you get a bowl of soup! Glass Gathering has donated bowls for a number of years. We currently have several bowls to donate; Barbara Buzek has volunteered to drop them off in the week before the event. Anyone wishing to donate a bowl can bring it to Harmony before May 10th.
- We had a great Show and Tell session with interesting projects and detailed conversation about the projects and the processes used to achieve them.

Meeting adjourned at 10:00 am. Seven attendees stayed for the activity.

Hands-On Activity

Many thanks to Joyce Sullivan, Barbara Buzek, and Belinda Baker who organized and supervised the making of fused glass nightlights for the group. Barbara and Belinda had created a number of great examples to inspire, and everyone put their own spin on the 3"x4" mini artworks.