

Metropolitan Retirees Association

Metropolitan Life Insurance Company

February 9, 2006

Dear Members,

Our holiday luncheon was held on December 7, at La Maganetta restaurant. It was attended by 156 members who enjoyed lunch and the company of friends.

It was suggested by one of our members that our first meeting of the year be held in the spring when there is warmer weather than we have in February.

Therefore, we will meet on **Friday, April 21, 2006 from 11 a.m. till 2 p.m.** As usual we are meeting at the Monsignor Farricker Parish Hall of the Epiphany R.C. Church. The church hall address is 373 Second Avenue (21 and 22 Street). If you need it, an elevator to the hall is available from inside the church. Refreshments will be available. This date will not interfere with the Passover Holiday.

We thought at this meeting we would do something different, have a contest of Metropolitan memorabilia owned by our members. Prizes will be awarded, so if you have any items please bring them along. A prize will be given for the oldest dated item (remember the towels), the most unique item. Suggestions for any additional categories for winning a prize will be appreciated. If you are going to bring something, please call me so that I can complete a listing of the item and its owner. This is needed to facilitate returning of the item.

It is the beginning of the year and dues for 2006 are due and remain \$5.

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We regret to report the passing of several of our former co-workers:

Rosemary Anastasio

John Bourgeois

Dottie DiCastro

George Fowler

Joseph Geraci

Elsye Hellman

Lucy Kelly

Louise Quinn

The officers and I look forward to seeing you on April 21, 2006.

Sincerely,

Jean Verrico

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MRA Website addresses:

<http://www.mlwebsitedesigns.com/retirees/> -- for retired members of MetLife

<http://www.myfamily.com> -- for retired and former employees who had many years of service but are not eligible to receive a MetLife pension

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