

## Evangelism Minutes – January 20, 2009

Katie Curry, Ann Lanfri, Cynthia Reynolds, Pat Taylor, Raggs Ragan, Guest Mimi Eick  
Absent: Norm Franzen, Ann Hickman, Marion Parker

- **Opening Quotes** - Raggs opened the meeting with prayer.
- **Youth/Sunday School**
  - Care Kits for Homeless/Needy
    - We will put together a flier promoting a program that asks for hygiene, food, and other items that can be put in a plastic bag and given to parishioners to hand out (as they wish) to people in need. Sunday school will put “packages” together.
    - *Action Item – Cynthia will make flier*
    - *Action Item – Set out boxes for collection with take-away “needs” lists*
  - Youth Mission Trip
    - Mimi discovered YouthWorks, an organization that provides mission opportunities for youth groups fairly locally (i.e. Yakima Reservation)
    - *Action Item – David to mention this opportunity to his Sunday School class*
  - Bishop’s Ball
    - Mimi can chaperone St. James youth who would like to attend this event in June.
    - *Action Item – David to mention this opportunity to his Sunday School class*
  - Youth Event Coordinator
    - Still looking for a person to coordinate youth group activities
    - *Action Item – Pray that this person discovers his/her calling.*
  - Youth Bulletin Board
    - *Action Item – Katie will ask David if the kids would like to take this over.*
- **Website**
  - Vestry minutes are now posted on the website.
  - Ann L. would eventually like a vestry tab on the website with photos and bios
- **Fellowship**
  - Next 50 Years Party – this Saturday
    - *Action Item – Katie will talk to Betsy about time capsule project/materials*
    - *Action Item – Raggs will locate/collect bulletins, newsletters, annual report, directory for capsule. Ann is donating an ornament, Cynthia is donating a t-shirt*
    - *Action Item – Katie to email to see if anyone has a portable photo printer*
  - Shrove Tuesday
    - *Action Item – Katie to ask Kevin S. to coordinate Shrove Tuesday Feb. 24*
  - Fellowship Leader
    - *Action Item – Raggs to ask Susan Lymer if she is still willing to take this on*
- **Seekers/Unchurched**
  - Banners – we received grant money for three St. James banners
    - *Action Item – Katie and Raggs to design and order banners*
    - *Action Item – Evangelism Committee to report on visibility success in August*
  - Prayer Box – Still waiting for the ground to firm before posting Community Prayer Box
- **New Ideas**
  - E-newsletter proposed instead of mailing out every month. People who prefer email would get a notice when it was on the website and a link to get them there. Others would have their hard copy left at church for pick-up. Others will be mailed.
- **PTT Articles (March)**
  - “Next 50-years” party report - Katie
  - Care Kits for Homeless/Needy - Cynthia
- **Closing Prayer**