

December Community Life Meeting**Date:** December 8, 2009**Time:** 7:00p**Place:** Lending Library**Agenda**

- ◆ **Opening Prayer**
- ◆ Meeting was called to order at 7:15pm. Those present were, Emey Vaillancourt, Dave Jones, Cathy Sullivan, Richard Burke, Jeanne Sorsen, Rhonda Dillon, Cindy McDonald.
- ◆ Item 1: Ministry Fair “Rap up” questions:
 - **Was making contact with the ministries under you of any benefit to your commission?**
Not really, the ministries seem to function well on their own. It was nice to make ‘contact’, but I don’t know if our “CONTACT” with the ministries was of benefit to our commission.
 - **Why or Why not?**
The ministries felt the fair was good & a benefit, but our contact with the leaders of the ministries under our commission was not necessarily a benefit to our commission.
 - **Would your commission be willing to make contact with its ministries again?**
Yes
 - **Future recommendations for the ministry fair**
We discussed having the ministry fair quarterly. It may be less work, but it could lose its “IMPACT”. It may get to be ‘old hat’ and people would not participate.
- ◆ Item #2: Upcoming Events
 - ◆ Cookie Exchange – December
 - Mike Lentz purchased ‘snowman’ cookies for decorating from the LOFT house.
 - We need to request cookie decorating donations (school star lights / bulletin)
 - Cathy will create ‘blurbs’ for Star Lights, Epiphany Extra and the bulletin
 - ◆ Epiphany Mission - February 21-23
 - Speakers each night from 7pm – 8pm
Sunday will have events for all ages – Fr. Jim Deegan will speak to the adults
 - Hospitality will be offered each night after the speaker
Feb. 21: Community Life (All present agreed to help with Hospitality)
Feb 22: Knights of Columbus
 - ◆ Business Day & possible parishioner list of businesses – TABLED FOR JANUARY MTG
- ◆ Item #3: Community Life Commission Expectations – Update Action Plan
 - ◆ Putting ideas on paper TABLED TIL JANUARY
 - ◆ Review current goals for the year
 - Emey will ‘clean up’ the action plan document and email it to all commission members for review & updates
 - Goal 2, Step 2: Richard will meet with Libby to get references to our sub ministries on our website. Cathy will forward the updated contact list to Richard
 - Goal 3, Step 1, Ministry Fair
- ◆ Item #4: New Business- NONE

- ◆ Item #5: Closing prayer and adjournment

Meeting Action Items

Action Item	Assigned To	Status
a. Ministry contact list to Richard	Richard	
b. Create 'blurbs' for Star Lights, Epiphany Extra and the bulletin	Cathy	
c. Forward Sub Ministries list to Richard	Cathy	
d. Update Action Plan for review	Emey	