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Minutes
Faith Formation Commission Meeting
January 20, 2009

We, the Faith Formation Commission of St. John the Baptist, strive to create an atmosphere of lifelong learning and development within our faith community that provides the experiences and information needed to nurture and sustain the seeds of faith planted within us.

Opening:

Attendance: Denise Brannaman, Benton Frey, Kathy Conley, Sue Schettler, Mark Butz, Dan Deininger, Mary Kay Brandt, Katie Pfiffner

Absent: Mark Anton

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Prayer and Faith Sharing: Mark Butz

Catechetical Plan: Katie shared feedback from the 106 surveys we received back from the all parish gatherings.

Katie then shared her six year plan for the parish's faith formation.

Recommended Actions: We discussed the possibility of send "we missed you cards" to the people who haven't shown up for the gatherings. We spoke about the possibilities of scheduling some of the Sunday gatherings before the 10:30 Mass on Sundays. We will poll the attendees in April to see if there is interest in doing this.

Additional Information/Communication/Delegations: Mary Kay shared the Youth Ministry Report and their calendar of activities. She also shared her frustrations with trying to form a middle school youth ministry team. She has only had one different student show up to each of the two scheduled meetings.

Old Business:

New Business: We have two vacancies to fill for next year's commission.

Visitors/Speakers:

Date of Next Meeting: Tuesday February 17, 2009, 7:00pm

**Prayer for next meeting:
Announcements or Memos**

Adjournment