

October 12, 2008 Membership Committee Minutes

Attendees: Phil Schmidt, Bob Campbell, Paul Tait, Joe Sharp, Stephanie Rieck, Bob Boyd

- Membership Spotlight interview: Our next Tidings interview will be with Eric and Marcia Mandy on November 9th at 9:00 am. Possible candidates for next month are: (they are not in any particular order) Kosmider, Phil Schmidt, Fisher, Kay Ball, Churchill's, Burton's, Helen Evanoff, Barb Coon, Dave Welles, John Davis, Karen Morse, Polly White, Ruth Laws, Nancy Crotty, Martindale's.
- The Blessing of the Pets was on October 5th. Again we lucked out on the weather; it was a beautiful sunny day. Ken performed a shorten service and Dr. Anne Bergstrom was the guest speaker. We had a very good turnout and the Wood County Humane Society set up a table outside the courtyard with handout materials. The most interesting blessing of the pets was the last one in line. A young man showed Ken pictures of his pet on his PDA.
- The next event for the church and the Perrysburg community is the Chili Cook-off. Bob Campbell has produced posters for the front lawn sign post. We will also produce an ad for the newspaper inviting the general public.
- We will produce a poster for the Thanksgiving kick-off brunch. The poster will show last year's pledges and a chart for this year's campaign. Ken has indicated that we want to start promoting the "Start a family tradition" theme and we will incorporate it into the poster.
- There will be an ad produced for the Perrysburg Coral Symphony program.
- We will be reviewing our website for possible updates in the various sections.
- An add will be placed in the Perrysburg and Bowling Green papers and in the school paper at Owens Community College for the Youth Ministry Coordinator.
- There still needs to be an internal signage program for the church. We need to decide on the type of signs, consistent in the look and usage, placement and what rooms need to be identified. In addition, everyone need to agree on the label of each room. Stephanie has a catalog of various signage that is used in churches. If approval is given, the committee will present a proposal to vestry.
- A goal for 2008 will be to find topics for generating press releases throughout the year on the activities at St. Tim's. We are encouraging all the committees to let us know about anything news worthy.
- The Membership Committee meets the first Sunday of each month at 9:00 am. Our next meeting will be November 2nd at 9:00 am.