

Evangelization Commission
January 2009

The Evangelization Commission met on Wednesday evening, January 14. Those present included Don Simms, Mary Lou Peters, Glen Waeckerle, Fr. Ed, and Mary Jo Masterson. Meeting opened with prayer and reflection on Bob Rumping.

There was discussion on setting up shelves with materials to check out in memory of Bob. He devoted the last years of his life producing DVDs based on Psalms and Proverbs. It would be a tribute to him to make those materials available to parishioners through some type of "library." Mary Jo will look into the cost of shelving. It was suggested to start out "small," perhaps somewhere in the chapel. Fr. Ed would like to contribute shelving.

Mary Mother will host The Life of St. Paul, put on by the Theater of the Word, on Tuesday, March 3, at 7:00 p.m. in the church. Information will be placed in our bulletin as well as those of neighboring parishes. Glen will email the other parishes.

Mary Lou reported that we have 53 ambassadors. Visits were scheduled with approximately 40 newly registered families during the past year. Visits are generally made a couple of months after a family has registered.

There was discussion on evangelization tools that might be use at MMOC. Members shared welcoming cards, magnets, and other materials that they had gotten from parishes they had visited during the holidays. Fr. Ed will share one of the ideas with the Liturgy Commission for possible use at Easter. Mary Jo will look into magnets with parish info.

The meeting closed with prayer at 8:25 p.m. The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, February 18.