Committee Activities

Worship Committee

Planning for services continues with good successes. Kudos to Casey Dake for including an agenda item each month called "services report" – whereby the committee gives input regarding the last month's services positive and negative. This allows us honest discussion on what is working or not working. We feel this is a great addition. I would like to see a formal thank you from the Council or Board for this innovation.

Date: March 11, 2009

The Worship Ministry Team has now met twice, regular meetings calendared (4th Wed of month). This team has discussed the strengths of all members and the passions of all members. Our task will be to creatively assist in forming worship services, both on Sundays and on weekdays. This allows the Worship Committee to tend to the "business" end of things.

Mid week services planned: March Taize services – Four Tuesdays; April – Good Friday and Seder; May – TBD.

Worship committee continues sending a liaison to Music committee. One of the suggestions was a more formal exiting down the main aisle – when this occurred some weeks ago – it appeared very deliberate and organized. VERY well done. That feedback will go to Music Committee this month.

Music Committee

Children's choir to sing in March!

Lay Ministers

No new info.

INFO FOR COUNCIL / REQUEST

- 1. The Worship Committee requests that all Directors speak to their committee chairs regarding the need for inserts to handed to WAs and for folks to email announcement for the back of the OoS.
- 2. Please see item above re: Casey Dake.

Growth Goals / Progress

Board Goals: Grow from 185 members to 370 members by June 2011, with interim goals of an average of 7.4 new visitors per week, a positive welcoming Sunday experience and structured path to new membership for at least 15% of all new visitors.

GOAL: Sunday experience: Positive first impression, visitors talk to at least 4 people, excellent worship

Current Committee Chairs

Casey Dake, Worship Merlin Snider, Music

Rev. Betty Stapleford, Lay Ministers

Ministry Metrics

Quarterly Service Attendance by Week including:

Current Quarter

✓ Previous Quarter

☐ Same Quarter Last Year