

Men's Group Meeting Minutes 1-14-09

The second meeting of 2009 was held on January 14th. The minutes of that meeting are presented as follows:

Attendance: Eugene Pongratz, Hal Pawlowski, Ken Pritchett, Mark Savarse, James Hodson, Ed Willekens and Harry Abby.

The meeting started at 7pm with Mark as acts prayer leader who presented an inspiring array of prayers to God the Father in Heaven. The service began with the singing of "He is exalted" and concluded with "Indescribable".

The group then performed its scripture study on the Sunday Mass readings for January 18th 2009. We concluded that the first reading (1Sam 3:3-10,19) and the third reading (Jn1 :35-42) presented God's call to Samuel in the Old Testament and Peter in the New Testament. The Second reading (Cor 6:15, 17-20) is God's declaration that our bodies are temples of the Holy Spirit and we are to glorify God in our bodies.

Ken Pritchett then presented a witness talk on the CRHP theme of Reconciliation.

He recounted his apostasy of his faith for some 30 years and the struggle involved in his heroic return to the Sacraments.

We conclude the reading of THE JESUS PRAYER by a brief review of the last chapter of the book. The group selected the book WHAT PAUL MEANT by Garry Wills as our book review assignment.

Mark concluded the meeting with a closing prayer @ 9pm.