

Men's Group Meeting Minutes 1-21-09

The third meeting of 2009 was held on January 21st. 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, hey this is the same group as last time, we could use some new faces.

The meeting started at 7pm with Ken as acts prayer leader reading from John 14 and looking at despair, the lack of hope, in the world The service began with the singing of "Come, Holy Ghost" and finished with an, unintended, a cappella of "We are One Body".

The group then performed its scripture study on the Sunday Mass readings for January 25 th 2009. We concluded that the first reading (Jon 3:1-5, 10), the second reading (1 Cor 7:29-31) and the third reading (Mk 1:14-20) all reflected the theme of: "Repent, and believe", with the study of what to believe (literal versus Basic Instructions Before Leaving Earth)

<http://www.nccbuscc.org/nab/bible/jonah/jonah3.htm><http://www.nccbuscc.org/nab/bible/1corinthians/1corinthians7.htm>

<http://www.nccbuscc.org/nab/bible/mark/mark1.htm>

Jim Hodson then presented a witness talk on the CRHP theme of Eucharist. Starting with 1 Cor 11:25-31.

<http://www.nccbuscc.org/nab/bible/1corinthians/1corinthians11.htm>

Ken handed out invitations to "2 nd Annual Into the Desert for Christ Mens' Conference" for Sat Feb 21 8:00-6:30 St Paul's Catholic Church. More info at <http://www.cmfp.org> .

We completed the agenda through Feb 18, Hal promised to update the online version.

We are still waiting for some copies of WHAT PAUL MEANT by Garry Wills and will review the introduction and chapter 1 at next weeks meeting.

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