

Meeting minutes for the Nassau Community Resource Committee 22 October 2019 at Grace United Methodist Church

In attendance were Michael Needham, John Imhoff, Diana Murphy, Reverend Edward VanKamper, Reverend Dion Marquit, Carol Siver, Lori Clark and Sheila Foraker.

Rev. VanKamper opened meeting with prayer.

The two topics of discussion this evening focused on the holiday party and the community center.

The holiday party is scheduled for December 15 it's a Sunday at the veterans association building at Chandler young from 6 to 8 PM. It will be a joint venture between the youth committee the veterans association and the Nassau resource committee organizations. Mr. Imhoff will be Santa and there will be snacks, caroling, games and an auction where we will sell items to raise money for the Nassau resource center.

There will be a meeting at 7 PM on November 13 to discuss the holiday party. The meeting will be held at the VA.

The event will be advertised through the youth committee, with pamphlets going to every child at DPS here in Nassau. Mike will likely ask the Parzych's to play music to lead the caroling, and we're hoping to take in knickknacks sports memorabilia, kitchenware, wine glasses, etc. for the auction. Looking for high end stuff...not flea market stuff.

The committee will be looking for someone to assist with the auction at the holiday party.

Mike indicated that he was able to sell the baseball jersey on his eBay account and needs to write a check to the committee.

Just for clarification the Nassau resource committee is the operating arm of the not Nassau community connections Inc., with Nassau community connections Inc. being the legal title of our organization. Our website is – <https://nassauresourcecommittee.org>

I love this “Do not despise humble beginnings“

A proposal to operate a community center in the Sunday school building at Grace united Methodist church was presented to and considered by the churches committee. As presented, the proposal was not approved.

Carol Siver presented the information indicated that if we wanted to operate a community center in the building, it would be best to start with a specific limited schedule with specific room or rooms identified for use at those times. Following was a comprehensive discussion of what could and could not happen within the church building, and it was decided that a later meeting would be held to review possible options for building use.

Mike and some others will meet at the church house on October 29 to discuss plans and to begin planning a path forward with regard to what space is appropriate for the community center needs, and what improvements the center might do to the space.

Meeting closed with prayer – Pastor Marquit