

NOTES: WEC Meeting January 7, 2015

Present: Rick & Kathy Fiske, Richard Schramm, Polly Forcier

Absent: Pru Schuler, Barbara Bartlett, Shoshana Belisle, Naomi Malik,
Joanna Garbisch

Sharing progress on Initiatives

VISITORS HANDOUT is complete and approved and located in the back of the church. She will supply Geraldine with stock as needed.

ENGAGEMENT IDEAS – Rick spoke with Wendy on the day that she left suggesting “hand of friendship”. Going forward, Jen Gelfen will take this up with the Worship Committee. Another suggestion is more individual music interspersed within the service.

COFFEE HOUR REVIEW – Naomi has purchased some mugs and an announcement that they are for new comers to use should be made when inviting everyone for coffee hour at the end of the service as well as being printed in the Order of Service. Naomi should be reimbursed for this expense.

COMMUNICATIONS BULLETIN BOARD – Rick suggests photos of all church members be displayed on one bulletin board and perhaps add group photos of church committees. Rick will email Deb Rice to invite her to our next meeting to talk about how we might work together on this. Heading “Welcome to North Chapel” is still needed.

COMMUNICATION EASEL – Perhaps this could notify people of upcoming programs such as refugee meetings and concerts.

WELCOMING GREETERS – Rick and Kathy visited the UCC church in Medfield, MA and learned about how they reach out to greet visitors. Rick and Kathy will continue to visit other churches and encourage others on the committee to do so as well. Committee should look for other extroverted people to do this. Another idea is to have families as greeters.

SIGNAGE THROUGHOUT BUILDING – will be handled by Gina.

NEXT MEETING – FEBRUARY 4, 2016