



Regional Ministers' Report, November 7, 2020

Summary of contacts since the last Regional Board meeting in June 2020...

Ministerial Groups:

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| • Columbia Gorge | 3 times | one meeting had WOC Staff guest |
| • Blue Mountain Rivers | 5 times | |
| • Santiam River | 4 times | one meeting had WOC Staff guest |
| • Scenic Rivers | 5 times | |
| • Snake River | 5 times | |
| • College of Regional Ministers | 7 times | |
| • Ecumenical Ministries Bishops and Executives | 3 times | |

Zoom or Phone Conference Meetings:

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| • Disciples Seminary Foundation Board/Committees | 8 times |
| • Week of Compassion Board/Executive Committee/Staff | 8 times |
| • Anti Racism Team | 4 times |
| • Anti Racism Trainers | 4 times |
| • Oregon Volunteers Organized to Assist in Disaster Team | 4 times |
| • Commission on Ministry | 3 times |
| • Meetings about FEDICE USA transition work | 3 times |
| • North American/Pacific Asian Disciples Ex. Cte./Bd. | 3 times |
| • Interchurch Center Board | 2 times |
| • Pastoral Relations Committee | 2 times |
| • New Church Ministry Team | 2 times |
| • Commission on Finance and Administration | 2 times |
| • Claremont Students Welcome Zoom Call | 1 time |
| • Verne Catt McDowell Foundation Annual Meeting | 1 time |

Work with Congregations:

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| • Murray Hills CC, Pastoral Search Committee/Board/Transition Team/Personnel | 10 meetings |
| • Burley First Christian, Met with leaders twice, met with CCF/Preach once | 4 events/mtgs. |
| • Eugene Transition Committee/Congregational Meeting | 2 times/1 time |
| • La Grande First Christian Pastoral Search Team | 2 times |
| • Salem First Christian Bible Study and Preaching | 1 each |
| • Silverton Congregational Zoom Search Orientation/Transition Team | 1 time/2 time |
| • Pendleton Associate Search Committee | 1 time |
| • Calls for Consultation on Other topics:
Red Rock, Mountain Home, Albany, Dallas, Ione, McMinnville, Nueva Vida, Grants Pass,
Salem FCC, Lynchwood, Eugene FCC, Springfield/Glenwood, Ontario, Nampa, Medford,
Lebanon, Peniel Ministries | |

Special Projects/Events Focus:

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| • Wild Women of the West online gathering for 6 regions | June |
| • On-line conversations about Racism, 2 events | June |
| • Certificate of Ministry Graduation Ceremony (27 grads) | July |
| • Anti Racism/Pro-Reconciliation training (70 + people) | August |
| • Regions/Church Extension Webinar with Rosario Ibarra (30+ people) | September |
| • Training for ALEX Data System Webinar | September |
| • New Church Summit Online Gathering | September |
| • Pension Fund Webinar | September |
| • Webinar by Church Law and Tax Report on Budgeting | October |
| • Webinar for PPP Loan Forgiveness | October |
| • Online Women's Gathering for Region (65-70 people) | October |

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