**Pastoral Report December 2020 – January 2021**

**December 10 2020 – January 13 2021 (Since last report submitted December 10, 2020)**

Building was open for worship in October-November, now back to virtual only

livestreaming, posting worship as videos on Facebook, Youtube, 1uccc.org, and Church Facebook page. Uberconference also being utilized

**for church meetings, Zoom is available, as is blended meetings (face to face and zoom)**

Worship

- Led worship/preached on the following days

December 13, 2020 virtual only service (live stream and uberconference; Youtube, 1uccorg and church Facebook website;;December 20, 2020 face to face service (as well as live stream and uberconference; Youtube, 1uccorg and church Facebook website; ; December 24, 2020 face to face service (as well as live stream and uberconference; Youtube, 1uccorg and church Facebook website;December 27, 2020 face to face service (as well as live stream and uberconference; Youtube, 1uccorg and church Facebook website;;January 3, 2021 face to face service (as well as live stream and uberconference; Youtube, 1uccorg and church Facebook website; ; January 10, 2021 face to face service (as well as live stream and uberconference; youtube, 1uccorg and church facebook website;

**Funeral**: December 18 - Vonny Bailey (funeral and committal)

December 16 - Art Upperman (shared with Pastor Rachel)

Pastor Rachel led committal December 22)

**Wedding none at present**

**Baptism none at present**

**Administrative**

**Meetings**

December 14 - consistory

December 15 – Pastoral Concerns

December 22 – Pastoral Concerns

January 5 – pastoral concerns

January 5 church and ministry

January 5 – clergy support group

January 7 – conference call – Penn central conference

January 7 – marantha zoom call – jim burgess

January 11 – mercersburg association clergy meeting (disaster preparedness and responses)

January 12 – webinar – Thom Ranier

January 12 – wedinar – Rick Warren (strategic plans)

January 13 – stewardship meeting (zoom)

**Pastoral Care**

Calls - 15

Calls to inactive members - 90-95 (approx.)

**Pastoral Care/Counselling**

Sessions - 10

***Also using texting and social media to maintain pastoral contact with people***

**Outreach/Ventures**

Assorted calls/contacts made to people about Dove festival (phone calls, texts)

December 14 – meeting, to discuss possible outreach projects

Dec 21 – walk in encounter

Dec 21 – 2 outreach encounters on the street

Dec 30 – calls to 2 organizations with

Jan 6 – call to Project Share – Souper Bowl

Jan 6- outreach conversation with colleague

**Theology Pub: - Alibi’s Eatery and Spirits**

Strategic calls

Called 1/12/21 Mollie Pitcher – at 6 tables only right now (50% or lower; no upstairs)

Call 1/12/2021 Market Cross – 50% seating for time being, kitchen closes at 8 pm

Not started theology pub up yet

**Community Office Hours:**

Called Jan 5; open to dine in area on January 6

Called 1/13/2021 – dining area is open, seating is 50% capacity

Not started community office hours yet

**FELLOWSHIP EVENTS** –

Men’s group and weekday festival events are on hold, depending on decisions of consistory and statements from the governor about Cumberland county

**INFORMATIONAL**

No sunset vespers or Messy church for winter

**SABBATICAL: beginning steps (no major changes in last month**

PLAN:

Reset, Restart and Refresh

Theme: To look at what makes communities holy and sacred

Nothing new to add at this time

More details will be forthcoming