

## Elders 2020 Report

Aside from all our normal responsibilities, January was our time to prepare for the annual meeting. We worked on reports and reviewing our constitution and by-laws. As usual the meeting went quite well and all offices were affirmed.

February found us looking into some of the topics brought up in the annual meeting. One main concern was the parking lot expansion.

March started out fairly normal but it has been anything but since. We, along side the Pastors needed to make some difficult decisions on how to move forward in light of COVID-19.

- We tried two services until the government restricted large gatherings.
- We decided to go on-line, which wasn't the same without the fellowship but has been well received and a very real blessing.
- We suspended all small groups.
- We tried to keep in touch via phone with all our PCF Family.

Much of the rest of the year was spent playing chess with COVID-19. We needed to focus on the needs in our fellowship and how to meet them in spite of regulations, executive orders and even fear (mostly of the unknown!).

Between June 7<sup>th</sup> and September 20<sup>th</sup> we elected to turn to the outdoors for our servicers. We also went online to reach those who could not be with us. This worked well and we would like to give a great big PCF thank you to our Pastors and worship team for making this happen with all the extra work and set-up time involved. And would love to again thank God for all those beautiful Sunday mornings!

- We decided to have online sign-up for our clean-up days.
- We offered the opportunity for online giving.
- We moved forward and finished the church sign.
- We put new monitors on the front walls of the sanctuary.
- We were able to still have our baptism.
- We finished the paving.

We led some small groups, helped lead our membership classes and worked beside our Pastors to keep things going in these uncertain times. However, one thing we can be certain of is God's faithfulness. Many good things have come out of all this and to God be the Glory!

God Bless and stay safe,  
Tom, Kathy, Ben, Henry,

Bob