CONGREGATIONAL VITALITY PROJECT



Congregation Participant Short Survey

This short survey is designed to help congregational leaders understand participant perceptions of key missional areas. Please mark <u>inside</u> the box that best represents your perception of the congregation. *Please do not mark between boxes.* (e.g. Marking 1,2,3,4, or 5 is okay. Marking between 3 and 4 or 3.5 is not okay)

	Poorly		Some- what		Great
How well do these phrases describe your					
congregation?	1	2	3	4	5
Example			X		
Worship nurtures people's faith					
Deepens people's relationship					
with God					
A clear sense mission					
Excitement about the congregation's future					
Always ready to try something new					
A positive force in the community					
Works for social justice/advocacy					
How well does your congregation	Hardly at all		Well		Very Well
Incorporate new members into congregational life					
Seek out and use the gifts of members of all ages					
Build strong, healthy relationships among members					
Manage disagreements in a healthy respectful manner					
Address social concerns (helping those in need)					
Equip members to share their faith with others					
Interact with the local community					
Help members live out their faith in daily lives					

Demographic Information: Tell us about yourself.	
Your role in the congregation: □Active participant □ Lay leader □ Rostered leader called here □Visitor	
Your age: □ under 18 □18-24 □25-34 □35-44 □ 45-54 □ 55-64 □ 65-74 □ 75+	
Your ethnicity: ☐White/Caucasian ☐ African American ☐ African National ☐Amer. Indian/Alaska Native ☐ Asian ☐ Latino/Hispanic ☐ Arab/Middle Eastern ☐ Multiracial ☐ Other	Į

After collecting the completed surveys, the congregation's survey administrator can then enter the information at www.congregationalvitalitysurvey.com. Results of this survey will be presented as a PDF report which may be used to complete the new congregational life items on the Annual (parochial) report.

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