

**CONGREGATIONAL FOUNDATION  
FY 2019-2020  
ANNUAL REPORT**

For seventeen years, the Congregational Foundation (CF) has been a supporting organization for the National Association of Congregational Christian Churches (NACCC). This year the Board of Governors of the Congregational Foundation (CF) updated our mission and vision statements to read as follows:

***Mission Statement***

The Congregational Foundation supports the National Association of Congregational Christian Churches, its ministries and programs, through a commitment to current donors and development of prospective donors.

***Vision Statement***

To develop long term, sustainable sources of revenue that support the National Association of Congregational Christian Churches' ministries and programs.

The Board remains grateful to individuals whose generosity since 2003 has enabled the NACCC to launch distinctive initiatives through endowments. Further, the Foundation generates an annual distribution; in FY2020, the CF distribution to the NACCC was \$115,900.

The consolidation task team, comprised of representatives from throughout the NACCC and CF led by Rick Bauzenberger, Foundation Treasurer, accomplished the goal of reviewing all NACCC and CF funds and endowments. While adhering to legal constraints, they merged accounts and honored donors' preferences. In early April, the Board of Directors reaffirmed an earlier decision to transfer permanently restricted endowments to the Foundation, the culminating step of a three-year process.

Our efforts were heavily supported by NACCC staff, who readily shared their insights and focused their time on the needs of the Foundation. Sincere thanks also is extended to members of the Board of Governors. Their concerned and sage attention undergirds a commitment to the future of the NACCC defined by donor engagement: Edith Bartley (Vice President), Laura Hamby (Secretary), Rick Bauzenberger (Treasurer), Dick Davis, Kevin Gromley, Varn Philbrook, Blaine Simons, Bob Smith, Jim Waechter (NACCC Moderator), Cindy Bacon Hammer (NACCC Vice Moderator).

Respectfully submitted,



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