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Pennsylvania Region of the Christian Church

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The Pennsylvania Region of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) seeks to be faithful in our ministry as we live out and live into what it means to be a Faithful and Loving Regional Church. In addition to our congregations we are home to Camp Laurelview, The Thomas Campbell Christian Center, and the Confer Vista Apartments ministry.

2020 has been a fruitful and unusual year for our regional church. Much fruit has been shared in our beloved region. We held a regional assembly as is our custom. This year's assembly; however, was held on Zoom and took on the characteristic of a season rather than an event. The assembly affirmed our much vetted and updated governance documents and we elected and consecrated a new group of regional leaders. Our financial life bore fruit as well. We live within our means and have run a surplus in our operating and Camp Laurelview budgets for six years in a row. Our members have been faithful and generous in supporting our financial requirements. Our facilities are in good condition and we took the opportunity that 2020 provided to make some capital improvement to our camp. The fellowship of our ministers has increased over the past year due to weekly gatherings on ZOOM. We meet every Tuesday for two hours where we care for one another and workshop ideas for effective ministry. We have engaged many general ministries during our meetings in an effort to promote and foster our life of covenant as Disciples. We communicate weekly through our newsletter and have an active Facebook page.

COVID 19 has certainly impacted our regional life. We have lost members and have had three ministers die of the virus. Our congregations and ministers have been flexible and faithful. We were unable to hold camps and youth ministry has been a challenge. Like everyone else we are bound and bonded in this historic pandemic. We are quite grateful for our general ministry partners who have come along side our work and people in ways that bring light and life.

God continues to bless us and call us to a rich and fruitful regional church life. Together we yield ourselves to the one who loves us more than we can ask or even imagine.

Benevolent Institutions related to the Church through the Christian Church in Pennsylvania

Thomas Campbell Apartments, Inc.
50 Beech Street
Washington, PA 15301

Thomas Campbell North Apartments,
Inc.
850 Beech Street
Washington, PA 15301
(724) 225-2290

Confer Vista Apartments
98 Confer Drive
Uniontown, PA 15401
(724) 437-865

Camp Ground

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