



From the Committee on Ministry

Re: Uncomfortable, Yet Responsible Preparations

Dear Friends in the Presbytery of Boston,

We would like to express our appreciation for the creative ways that you have all, in the midst of a pandemic, continued to fulfill our collective mission to proclaim the gospel of Jesus Christ. Unfortunately, as leaders, we all have to consider the unpleasant reality that some of our pastors and church leaders may become seriously ill with COVID-19. To prepare for this possibility, we are inviting congregations to consider the following questions and taking the following actions:

1. Does more than one person know how to login to the church computer?
2. Is the church's email list or email program available to more than one person?
3. Share login information for online resources such as Zoom or YouTube with multiple session members.
4. Be sure that persons from more than one household are able to access the church's financial information and bank account.
5. Be sure that persons from more than one household is able access session records.

While we hope that none of our leaders become ill, we also want to be prepared. Thank you for your continued service, and please contact COM through your congregation's COM liaison or our co-chairs: