

Sharing What You Learn

A Guide for Region Delegates



As a Region Delegate, you are a vital link between our region and your congregation. The Delegates meeting and our region newsletters are full of encouragement, news, and ideas worth passing along. Sharing them doesn't have to be complicated—a few simple words at the right moment can make a real difference. Below are a handful of ways to share, from quick and easy to a little more involved. Choose whatever fits you and your congregation best.

Simple Ways to Share

- **Mention one highlight.** Take 60 seconds before or after a meeting or during announcements in worship to share a single encouraging takeaway from the Delegates meeting.
- **Forward the newsletter.** Email or text the region newsletter to your congregation, with a short note pointing to the part you found most helpful.
- **Ask your newsletter editor.** Request that they feature region newsletter articles or announcements in your next church newsletter.
- **Post it where people gather.** Pin a printed copy of the newsletter to your bulletin board or leave a few copies in a common area. Invite your congregation (especially church leadership) to subscribe to the region newsletter themselves—links are right on our website.
- **Add a line to announcements.** Slip a quick update into your regular weekly or monthly announcements.

A Few Steps Further

- **Host a brief recap.** Set aside five minutes at a gathering to walk through two or three highlights from the Delegates meeting.
- **Start a small group chat.** Create a simple text or messaging group to share newsletter updates and meeting news as they come.
- **Write a short summary.** Pull a few key points into a one-paragraph note tailored to what matters most to your congregation and publish it in your church newsletter.
- **Invite a conversation.** Ask one or two members to read the newsletter with you and share what stood out, then pass those reflections along. Invite people you know have particular interests that align with region work to volunteer on the collaboratives or other region teams and task groups.

However you choose to share, your willingness to pass the word along keeps our whole region connected and encouraged. Thank you for all you do on behalf of our family of faith.