Disaster Preparedness and Response Ministry Team (DPRMT)
- 7 formal team meetings – all virtual
- Multiple spontaneous meetings as needed
- Added one team member

DPRMT Member Training
- FEMA Incident Command System (IS-100c & IS-200c) trainings and the FEMA National Incident Management System (IS-700.b)
- Early Response Team Training
  - Muck and Gut webinar training – Sept. 22, 2021, by Penn Southeast VOAD
  - Muck/Mud-out and Damage Assessment training – Nov. 20, 2021
    Conducted by Southern Baptist Convention Disaster Relief
- CDC preparing DPRMT training ppts for future training

DPRMT Tools and Supplies
- Relocating and re-organizing for better accessibility

DPRMT Digital Presence
- Updated the virtual/digital visibility through Facebook and IKC Disaster Preparedness webpage

DPRMT COVID-19 Response
- Distributed 1,500 FEMA –DHS Cloth Face Masks from the Dept. of Health and Human Services

DPRMT Documents Compiled
- IKC Disaster Plan updated 04/09/21
- Disaster Planning for Faith Communities-Six Steps for Readiness 2021
- IKC DPRMT Managing Volunteers During Disaster on 07/28/21
- Guidelines for Deploying Volunteers During COVID-19 on 09/08/21

DPRMT Documents in Process
- Safety Plan for Faith-Based Events and Houses of Worship against Domestic Violence and Terrorist Attacks
  - **Step 1** – Distribute the FEMA “Power of Hello Guide” to send to association churches.
    Completed 11/20/21.
  - **Step 2** – Currently working on an assessment and safety plan for an IKC church in Indianapolis to offer as a template to IKC churches.
  - **Step 3** – Start conversation about church safety against terrorist and domestic violence with IKC churches using the template above at association meetings and annual gathering workshops.

DPRMT Church and Congregant Training
- “Great Shakeout Earthquake Drills” www.shakeout.com - Oct. 21, 2021
CDC meetings
CDC attended all CDC meetings
CDC provided monthly status reports

2021 NVOAD Virtual Conference
CDC and three DPRMT members participate in various training workshops

Disaster Response Activities
Afghan Evacuees Support at Camp Atterbury
CDC compiled a list of volunteers for transportation of Afghan families to the airport
and/or bus station for them to travel to their resettlement location
CDC provided donation options to retired clergy to support the resettlement efforts

Indiana VOAD
CDC participated in the monthly in-person or virtual meetings
CDC was appointed Indiana VOAD Treasurer
CDC was a member of By-Laws Committee
Revised by-laws 02-11-21

Indiana COADS
Allen County COAD
One DPRMT member participates in the meetings
West Central County COAD
One DPRMT member participates in the meetings
Johnson County COAD
CDC and one DPRMT member participate in the meetings
Reviewing COAD structure
Ad-Hoc Committee formed with CDC involved
Commodity Point of Distribution Plan (C-POD) workshop
CDC participated in this planning exercise
CDC members of the Volunteer Management Committee

COAD and LTRG Orientation
Jefferson County - June 19, 2021 flooding
CDC attended this orientation for CDC training purposes
CDC offered a $5,000 UCC Global H.O.P.E LTRG Seed Grant application
Monroe County COAD – June 19, 2021 flooding
CDC offered a $5,000 UCC Global H.O.P.E LTRG Seed Grant application
Hancock County COAD
CDC attended this orientation for CDC training purposes

Kentucky VOAD
CDC and/or DPRMT representative attended the quarterly virtual meetings
CDC provided the resource “Emergency Responder Self-Care Plan” to add to the
Kentucky VOAD website

Local VOAD and LTRG Orientation
Nicholas County - Carlisle, KY – Flooding July 29-30
CDC participates in this orientation with KY UMCOR
CDC offered a $5,000 UCC Global H.O.P.E LTRG Seed Grant application
Eastern Kentucky Flooding – Feb. 2021 Ice Storm and March 2021 floods – 31 Declared Counties
CDC participated in the coordination calls in the early stages of response
CDC initiated a team of DPRMT telephone volunteer (4) for Crisis Cleanup
CDC initiated a $7,000 UCC Global H.O.P.E./Disaster Ministry Recovery Grant application or Christian Appalachian Project (CAP). Grant was awarded.
CDC initiated a $7,000 UCC Global H.O.P.E./Disaster Ministry Recovery Grant application for Appalachia Service Project (ASP). Grant was awarded.
CDC attended the house dedication ceremony in Irvine, KY
CDC initiated a $5,000 UCC Global H.O.P.E./Disaster Ministry Recovery Grant application for Breathitt County, KY. Grant was awarded.
CDC initiated a $7,000 UCC Global H.O.P.E./Disaster Ministry Recovery Grant application for Breathitt County, KY. The application is currently in process.
CDC initiated a $15,000 Christian Church (DOC) Week of Compassion Long-Term Recovery Unmet Needs/Direct Client Assistance Grants application for Christian Appalachia Service Project (ASP). Grant application was denied.
CDC initiated a $15,000 Christian Church (DOC) Week of Compassion Long-Term Recovery Unmet Needs/Direct Client Assistance Grant application for Christian Appalachian Project (CAP). The application is currently in process.

Western/Central Kentucky Tornado Outbreak – Dec. 10-11, 2021 – 16 Declared Counties
CDC participated in the coordination calls in the early stages of response
IKC Work Camp Planning for 2022 spring, summer, fall deployment
  Background Check protocol in place
  Intent to Participate form in place
  Volunteer Registration Forms being designed
  Non-IKC Participant Consent Form being designed
  Volunteer Database being formulated
CDC initiated multiple $3,000 UCC Global H.O.P.E/Disaster Ministry Solidarity Grant application for churches in the Kentuckiana Association to reach out to Kentucky communities.
CDC initiated a $3,000 UCC Global H.O.P.E/Disaster Ministry Solidarity Grant application for the United Church of Paducah (KY) to reach out to the Mayfield, Kentucky community.

Respectfully submitted,

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