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EFFECTIVE LEADERSHIP AND PASTORING IN A POST-COVID, POST CHRISTIAN WORLD (PART 4)

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In last month's article, I listed five factors (below), that we routinely find to be true of most plateaued or declining churches. In this final article, I want to offer some concrete recommendations about how you can address any of the areas below in which you believe your church needs improvement.

Challenge #1 - Missional Drift - The church has forgotten its God-given mission and reason for being. The church doesn't see itself as a missionary to the community that continually reevaluates its ministry and strategy, but rather simply repeats its calendar of activities year after year, which over time becomes more about serving members' preferences than accomplishing the biblical mission of the church.

Potential Strategy/Action - Participate in the Facilitating Renewal Guide developed by Resound. We can help you lead this with your key lay leaders.....



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Spring

SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING

APRIL

SUNDAY

19
2026

AT 5:30 PM

NEW CITY CHURCH
8622 BLUE RIDGE BLVD
RAYTOWN, MO 64138

We will provide light refreshments from
5:30-6pm. Program will begin at 6pm.

Financial Update - February Overview

MTD Budget - \$38,657.63

MTD Actual Income - \$24,846.22

MTD Actual Expenses - \$38,130.86

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