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Dear Interim Minister,

Several of us who are Interim Ministers are in the process of forming a Disciples Interim Ministry organization. Our working title is Association of Disciple Intentional Interim Ministers.

The ADIIM will do the following:

- Provide a support system through a web site and direct contact with other interim ministers.
- Advocate for special needs of interim ministers in the Disciples Relocation System.
- Set standards for intentional interim ministry specialists.
- Share information and resources for interim ministry practice.
- Annual gathering of Disciples at the Interim Ministry Network conference.
- Gathering and a resource booth at General Assemblies.

There is a current steering committee selected at the 2008 Interim Ministry Network conference consisting of:

- James Cotten, Interim Minister, Fort Wayne, Indiana
- Leigh Earley, Interim Minister, Wichita, Kansas
- Terry Foland, Interim Minister, Moline, Illinois
- Burley Herrin, Interim Minister, Lincoln, Nebraska
- Sharon Kiesel, Interim Minister, Medina, Ohio
- Mike Weinman, Ozark Lakes Area Minister, Mid-America Region

There is a membership fee of fifty dollars per year to pay for the cost of meetings and fees for a booth, etc at the General Assembly. Please make your check out to Association of Disciples Intentional Interim Ministers, and send with the registration form to Ozark Lakes Area, ADIIM, 500 South Street, Springfield, Missouri, 65806.

Our temporary office is with the Ozark Lakes Area in Springfield, Mo.

We have a new web site at www.adiim.org

Join us and help to further shape an Interim Ministry organization for Disciples that will be of real value to you.

Sincerely,

The Steering Committee