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Dear Ed.

I just wanted to let you know how inspiring you have been to me in providing leadership at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church in Woodridge, IL. You gave me the skills from your workshop with HealthierChurch.org from a few years ago to lead our congregation on a path of forward movement in ministry. Before your workshop, we would discuss ministry direction, have plenty of discussion and often times end up with no decision. The techniques I learned from you on getting consensus and direction in a single meeting and then move forward on a plan was invaluable.

I just used these techniques at our congregational meeting last January and we now have some new ministries in place based on direction from the congregation. I am blessed to have you in my life!

Thank you for your guidance, support and direction!

In Christ,

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