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Appendix A

The Six Exemplar Congregational Websites

These websites are considered in this study to be exemplars of their movements. They were observed almost daily over three months to generate variables for the content analysis described in chapter four and then observed later once or twice a week over seven weeks for the interpretive analysis described in chapter five.

Megachurches

Willow Creek Community Church 67 East Algonquin Road South Barrington, IL 60010 847-765-5000 http://www.willowcreek.org

Saddleback Community Church
1 Saddleback Parkway
Lake Forest, CA 92630
949-609-8000
http://www.saddleback.org - visitor
website
http://www.saddlebackfamily.org member website

Vibrant liberal/mainline churches
Seattle First Baptist Church
1111 Harvard Avenue
Seattle, WA 98122
206-325-6051
http://www.seattlefirstbaptist.org/

St. Gregory of Nyssa Episcopal Church 500 De Haro Street San Francisco, CA 94107 415-255-8100 http://www.saintgregorys.org Emergent churches
Cedar Ridge Community Church
2410 Spencerville Road
Spencerville, MD 20868
301-384-7444
http://www.crcc.org/

Solomon's Porch 100 W 46th Street Minneapolis MN 55419 612-874-6555 http://www.solomonsporch.com/

Appendix B

The Variables and their Definitions for the Content Analysis

Codesheet			
			f buildings (numphbuh
date		0, 1, 2, 3	5 = 5 or more
For presence or absence	variables		
0 = no, 1 = yes		Number of nature ph 0, 1, 2, 3	
Text number (ua)			
		Number of photos w	ith anchorage
Type of Church (typechurc)		(numphanh)	C
1 = megachurch		0, 1, 2, 3	5 = 5 or more
2 = vibrant libe			
3 = emergent		Photo of a minister of anchorage (photminh).	of the church with
Variables - Home page		unenerage (Procum).	
Number of photos (numphoth)		Photo of historic art	(photarth)
	30 = 30 or more	I note of installe are	(Priotal tri)
		Use of slideshow (sl	ideshh)
Number of photos of			
0, 1, 2, 3	30 = 30 or more	Number of graphics 0, 1, 2, 3	(numgraph) 15 = 15 or more
Number people in p	hotos with direct address		
(numphdah)		Presence of graphic	
0, 1, 2, 3	30 = 30 or more	denomination (graphdel	n)
Number of people in photos without direct		Presence of mission	or purpose statement
address (numphndh)		(misstath)	
0, 1, 2, 3	15 = 15 or more		
Number of people in	n photos shown full-	Link off menu to misstatement (loffmish)	ssion or purpose
body (numphfbh)	1	` '	
	15 = 15 or more	Link on menu to mis statement (lonmissh)	ssion or purpose
Number of people in	n photos with head shots	,	
(numphhsh)	F	Link off menu to sta	tement of beliefs
	15 = 15 or more	(loffbelh)	
Number of photos of people serving		Link on menu to stat	ement of beliefs
(numphseh)		(lonbelih)	
0, 1, 2, 3	5 = 5 or more	Presence of informat	tion for newcomers
Number of photos of people worshipping (numphwoh)		(infnewch)	and the mediate
0, 1, 2, 3	5 = 5 or more		

Link on or off menu to information for newcomers (linknewh)	Link (on or off menu) to opportunities for involvement (linkopph).
Presence of quotation from Bible (quobiblh)	Link (on or off menu) to site map (linksimh).
Presence of quotation from a twentieth century Christian writer (quowritb).	Search option (on or off menu) (searchoh).
Presence of quotation not from the Bible, dating from more than 100 years ago	Link (on or off menu) to audio (linkaudh).
(quowoldh).	Link (on or off menu) to video (linkvidh).
Number of imperative verbs not in menus (impvoffh) $0, 1, 2, 3$ $15 = 15$ or more	Link (on or off menu) to podcast (linkpodh).
Number of imperative verbs on menus (impveonh).	Link (on or off menu) to newsletter (linknwsh).
0, 1, 2, 3 15 = 15 or more	Number of internal links (numintlh) 0, 1, 2, 3 100 = 100 or more
Link off menu to questions people might have (loffqueh).	Number of outlinks (numextlh) $0, 1, 2, 3$ $15 = 15$ or more
Link on menu to questions people might have (lonquesh).	Presence of statement of the church's ministry/mission/purpose/vision (statmish)
Link off menu to prayer requests (loffprah)	Presence of "welcome" in a larger body of
Link on menu to prayer requests (lonprayh).	verbal text (welcomeh)
Link off menu to virtual community (loffvirh)	Presence of "welcome" set off from larger body of verbal text (welcbigh)
Link on menu to virtual community (lonvirth).	Presence of "Bible" (bibleh)
Link off menu to my account/my church/member log-in (loffmyah).	Presence of "community" referring to the congregation or subgroups of the congregation as a community (comcongh)
Link on menu to my account/my church/member log-in (lonmyach).	Presence of "community" referring to the neighborhood or people around the church (comneigh)
Link (on or off menu) to arts (linkarth).	
Link (on or off menu) to music (linkmush).	Presence of "evangelism" (evangelh) Presence of "growth" (growthh)
Link (on or off menu) to small groups (linksmgh).	Presence of "inclusion" or "inclusive" (inclusih)
Link (on or off menu) to educational opportunities (linkeduh).	Presence of "justice" (justiceh)
	Presence of "seeker" (seekerh)

Reference to God's love (Godloveh)	Presence of the concept of an individual's ministry/mission/purpose and the concept of the poor/service in the same sentence (pmipoorh)	
Reference to historic Christianity (histchrh)	poor/service in the same sentence (philpoorn)	
Reference to personal mission/purpose (persmish)	Presence of the concept of an individual's ministry/mission/purpose and the concept of world/international in the same sentence (pmiworlh)	
Reference to serving the poor (serpoorh)		
Reference to teaching or truth (truthh)	Variables on pages explicitly for newcomers/visitors, in the statement of ministry/mission/purpose/vision, or on a page	
Reference to the world or international ministries (worldh)	of FAQs (if linked from the homepage).	
Presence of "community" and "Bible" in the	Presence of "Bible" (bibleo)	
same sentence (combiblh) Presence of "community" and "evangelism"	Presence of "community" referring to the congregation or subgroups of the congregation as a community (comcongo)	
in the same sentence (comevanh)		
Presence of "community" and "growth" in the same sentence (comgrowh)	Presence of "community" referring to the neighborhood or people around the church (comneigo)	
Presence of "community" and the concept of inclusion/inclusive in the same sentence	Presence of "evangelism" (evangelo)	
(cominclh)	Presence of "growth" (growtho)	
Presence of "community" and the concept of the church as home/family in the same sentence (comhomeh)	Presence of "inclusion" or "inclusive" (inclusio)	
	Presence of "justice" (justiceo)	
Presence of "community" and the concept of the church's ministry/mission/purpose in the same sentence (commisch)	Presence of "seeker" (seekero)	
, , ,	Reference to God's love (Godloveo)	
Presence of "community" and the concept of an individual's ministry/mission/purpose in the same sentence (commisph)	Reference to historic Christianity or historic principles of a Christian tradition (histchro)	
Presence of "community" and the concept of world/international in the same sentence (comworlh)	Reference to personal mission/purpose (persmiso)	
	Reference to serving the poor (serpooro)	
Presence of "community" and the concept of poor/service in the same sentence (compoorh)	Reference to teaching or truth (trutho)	
Presence of the concept of the church's ministry/mission/purpose and the concept of an individual's ministry/mission/purpose in the	Reference to the world or international ministries (worldo)	
same sentence (chmipmih)	Presence of "community" and "Bible" in the same sentence (combiblo)	

Presence of "community" and "evangelism"	
in the same sentence (comevano)	Presence of "community" and the concept of world/international in the same sentence
Presence of "community" and "growth" in	(comworlo)
the same sentence (comgrowo)	
Presence of "community" and the concept of inclusion/inclusive in the same sentence	Presence of "community" and the concept of poor/service in the same sentence (compooro)
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(cominclo)	Presence of the concept of the church's ministry/mission/purpose and the concept of an
Presence of "community" and the concept of the church as home/family in the same sentence	individual's ministry/mission/purpose in the same sentence (chmipmio)
(comhomeo)	
Presence of "community" and the concept of the church's ministry/mission/purpose in the same sentence (commisco)	Presence of the concept of an individual's ministry/mission/purpose and the concept of the poor/service in the same sentence (pmipooro)
Presence of "community" and the concept of an individual's ministry/mission/purpose in the same sentence (commispo)	Presence of the concept of an individual's ministry/mission/purpose and the concept of world/international in the same sentence (pmiworlo).

Definitions of Variables

Unit of Analysis

The unit of analysis for this study is a congregational website.

General definitions

The home page of a website is the page that first comes into view when church's URL is typed into a web browser. Most congregations' URLs are in the form www.nameofchurch.org. Occasionally the church's URL will take the viewer to a gateway page with a simple photo or graphic on it and only one link. In that case, the homepage will be defined as the web page that appears when that one link is clicked.

A link is defined as a highlighted word, phrase, or graphic that enables the viewer to access another web page when he/she clicks on the link.

A link off menu is defined as a link that is not located on a navigation bar or on a menu (list) that drops down from a navigation bar or drops down under a heading such as "quick links." A navigation bar is usually located on the top, left side, or bottom of a webpage and it lists in a vertical or horizontal form a series of options of links similar to a table of contents. Some navigation bars have lists of links (drop-down menus) that drop down from a them when a word is clicked.

A link on menu is defined as a link located in a navigation bar or drop-down menu.

The first grouping of variables will be examined on homepages, and variable names that end with "h" are home page variables.

Other pages on congregational websites will also be examined: pages explicitly for newcomers/visitors, statements of ministry/mission/purpose/vision, and pages with FAQs (if linked from the homepage). Variables that end with "o" are from the additional pages examined.

Variables that begin with "num" are counted, and the code sheet gives the way the results are described. All other variables record the presence or absence of a word, concept, or visual component, and are recorded as "0" for not present and "1" for present.

Variables - Home page

Number of photos (**numphoth**) – when a photo montage (photos that blur into each other) is present, count the number of photos that make up the montage. When a slide show (photos that alternate taking the same space) is present, count the number of photos that make up the slide show. Does not include graphics.

Number of photos of people (**numphoph**) – description of photo montage and slide show from previous variable apply here as well.

Number of people in photos with direct address (**numphdah**) – people looking directly at the camera.

Number of people in photos without direct address (**numphndh**) – this can include a partial view of someone's body

Number of people in photos shown full-body (**numphfbh**) – the entire body shows or at least the whole body from the thighs up. The person may be facing in any direction, toward or away from the camera.

Number of people in photos with head shots (**numphhsh**) – only shoulders and above.

Number of photos of people serving (**numphseh**) – people shown engaged in service activities, e.g foodbanks, construction efforts, relief ministries, etc.

Number of photos of people worshipping (**numphwoh**) – photos of worship services, people singing or praying.

Number of photos of buildings (**numphbuh**) – photos of church buildings or other buildings, shown whole or in part.

Number of nature photos (**numphnah**) – includes such things as trees, flowers, fish, sunsets, when not clearly identified with a building.

Number of photos with anchorage (**numphanh**) – photos with a word or description that identifies the content of the photo.

Photo of a minister of the church with anchorage (**photminh**).

Photo of historic art (**photarth**) – a photo of a painting or a statue that appears to be more than 100 years old.

Use of slideshow (**slideshh**)— photos, graphics, text or a mix of these items that take turns appearing in the same space.

Number of graphics (**numgraph**) – denominational logos, congregational logos, logos that promote particular ministries or organizations, graphical links, paintings or other art (not photographs).

Presence of graphic associated with denomination (**graphdeh**).

Presence of mission or purpose statement (misstath).

Link off menu to mission or purpose statement (**loffmish**).

Link on menu to mission or purpose statement (**lonmissh**).

Link off menu to statement of beliefs (loffbelh).

Link on menu to statement of beliefs (lonbelih).

Presence of information for newcomers (**infnewch**) – information explicitly labeled for newcomers or uses the word "new".

Link on or off menu to information for newcomers (**linknewh**).

Presence of quotation from Bible (quobiblh).

Presence of quotation not from the Bible, from a twentieth century Christian writer (**quowritb**).

Presence of quotation not from the Bible, dating from more than 100 years ago (**quowoldh**).

Number of imperative verbs not in menus (impvoffh) – a verb that appears to express command, entreaty or exhortation, a verb usually used without a preceding word and without an added ending such as "-ed" or "-ing." (Example of imperative verbs: join us, give, come, learn, find, share, grow, worship, celebrate, look here, sign up, let us know, learn more). Imperative verbs may also be preceded by the words "we invite you to" or "we welcome you to."

Number of imperative verbs on menus (**impveonh**).

Link off menu to questions people might have (**loffqueh**) – uses the word "question" and can include FAQs.

Link on menu to questions people might have (lonquesh)

Link off menu to prayer requests (**loffprah**) – a link that enables people to submit prayer requests.

Link on menu to prayer requests (lonprayh)

Link off menu to virtual community (**loffvirh**) – a link that connects viewer to blog, chat, poll, message board, yahoo group.

Link on menu to virtual community (lonvirth).

Link off menu to my account/my church/member log-in (loffmyah).

Link on menu to my account/my church/member log-in (**lonmyach**).

Link (on or off menu) to arts (linkarth).

Link (on or off menu) to music (linkmush).

Link (on or off menu) to small groups (**linksmgh**) – includes book groups.

Link (on or off menu) to educational opportunities (**linkeduh**) – includes classes, seminars

Link (on or off menu) to opportunities for involvement (**linkopph**).

Link (on or off menu) to site map (linksimh).

Search option (on or off menu) (searchoh).

Link (on or off menu) to audio (linkaudh).

Link (on or off menu) to video (linkvidh).

Link (on or off menu) to podcast (linkpodh).

Link (on or off menu) to newsletter (**linknwsh**).

Number of internal links (**numintlh**) – links that connect the viewer with a webpage connected to the church's URL.

Number of outlinks (**numextlh**) – links that connect the viewer with a webpage connected to a URL that does not relate to the church.

Presence of statement of the church's ministry/mission/purpose/vision (**statmish**)

Presence of "welcome" in a larger body of verbal text (welcomeh).

Presence of "welcome" set off from larger body of verbal text (welcbigh).

Presence of "Bible" (bibleh).

Presence of "community" referring to the congregation or subgroups of the congregation as a community (**comcongh**).

Presence of "community" referring to the neighborhood or people around the church (**comneigh**).

Presence of "evangelism" (evangelh).

Presence of "growth" (growthh).

Presence of "inclusion" or "inclusive" (inclusih).

Presence of "justice" (justiceh).

Presence of "seeker" (seekerh).

Reference to God's love (**Godloveh**) – e.g. "love of God," "love of Jesus," "God's love," "Jesus' love."

Reference to historic Christianity (**histchrh**) – includes historic principles of a Christian tradition.

Reference to personal mission/purpose (**persmish**) – e.g. "personal life mission," "discover who God has designed you to be," "empowering members to express their true selves," "God's mission for our lives," "peoples' visions and ideas of ministry come to life," "equip members for their ministry in the church and life mission in the world"

Reference to serving the poor (**serpoorh**) – e.g. "poor," "needy," "refugees," "food pantry," "food bank."

Reference to teaching or truth (truthh).

Reference to the world or international ministries (worldh)

Presence of "community" and "Bible" in the same sentence (**combiblh**).

Presence of "community" and "evangelism" in the same sentence (**comevanh**).

Presence of "community" and "growth" in the same sentence (**comgrowh**).

Presence of "community" and the concept of inclusion/inclusive in the same sentence (**cominclh**).

Presence of "community" and the concept of the church as home/family in the same sentence (**comhomeh**).

Presence of "community" and the concept of the church's ministry/mission/purpose in the same sentence (**commisch**).

Presence of "community" and the concept of an individual's ministry/mission/purpose in the same sentence (**commisph**).

Presence of "community" and the concept of world/international in the same sentence (**comworlh**).

Presence of "community" and the concept of poor/service in the same sentence (**compoorh**) – concept of poor/service includes words like "poor," "needy," "refugees," "food pantry," "food bank."

Presence of the concept of the church's ministry/mission/purpose and the concept of an individual's ministry/mission/purpose in the same sentence (**chmipmih**).

Presence of the concept of an individual's ministry/mission/purpose and the concept of the poor/service in the same sentence (**pmipoorh**) – concept of poor/service includes words like "poor," "needy," "refugees," "food pantry," "food bank."

Presence of the concept of an individual's ministry/mission/purpose and the concept of world/international in the same sentence (**pmiworlh**).

Variables on pages explicitly for newcomers/visitors, in the statement of ministry/mission/purpose/vision, or on a page of FAQs (if linked from the homepage).

Presence of "Bible" (bibleo).

Presence of "community" referring to the congregation or subgroups of the congregation as a community (**comcongo**).

Presence of "community" referring to the neighborhood or people around the church (**comneigo**).

Presence of "evangelism" (evangelo).

Presence of "growth" (growtho).

Presence of "inclusion" or "inclusive" (inclusio).

Presence of "justice" (justiceo).

Presence of "seeker" (seekero).

Reference to God's love (**Godloveo**) – e.g. "love of God," "love of Jesus," "God's love," "Jesus' love."

Reference to historic Christianity or historic principles of a Christian tradition (**histchro**).

Reference to personal mission/purpose (**persmiso**) – e.g. "personal life mission," "discover who God has designed you to be," "empowering members to express their true selves," "God's mission for our lives," "peoples' visions and ideas of ministry come to life," "equip members for their ministry in the church and life mission in the world"

Reference to serving the poor (**serpooro**) – e.g. "poor," "needy," "refugees," "food pantry," "food bank."

Reference to teaching or truth (trutho).

Reference to the world or international ministries (worldo)

Presence of "community" and "Bible" in the same sentence (**combiblo**).

Presence of "community" and "evangelism" in the same sentence (**comevano**).

Presence of "community" and "growth" in the same sentence (**comgrowo**).

Presence of "community" and the concept of inclusion/inclusive in the same sentence (**cominclo**).

Presence of "community" and the concept of the church as home/family in the same sentence (**comhomeo**).

Presence of "community" and the concept of the church's ministry/mission/purpose in the same sentence (**commisco**).

Presence of "community" and the concept of an individual's ministry/mission/purpose in the same sentence (**commispo**).

Presence of "community" and the concept of world/international in the same sentence (**comworlo**).

Presence of "community" and the concept of poor/service in the same sentence (**compooro**) – concept of poor/service includes words like "poor," "needy," "refugees," "food pantry," "food bank."

Presence of the concept of the church's ministry/mission/purpose and the concept of an individual's ministry/mission/purpose in the same sentence (**chmipmio**).

Presence of the concept of an individual's ministry/mission/purpose and the concept of the poor/service in the same sentence (**pmipooro**) – concept of poor/service includes words like "poor," "needy," "refugees," "food pantry," "food bank."

Presence of the concept of an individual's ministry/mission/purpose and the concept of world/international in the same sentence (**pmiworlo**).

Appendix C

The 60 Congregations Studied in the Content Analysis

<u>Emergent</u>	6
	Providence Community Church
1	1039 E. 15th Street, Plano, TX 75074
Extended Grace	972-633-2223
2944 E Ellis	http://www.providencecommunity.com/
Muskegon MI 49444	1 1
231-865-8055	7
http://www.extendedgrace.org/	Reba Place Church
	PO Box 6017
2	Evanston, IL 60204
New Life Church	847-869-0660
776 West Farm Rd 186	http://www.rebaplacechurch.il.us.menno
Springfield, MO 65810	nite.net/
881-5558	
http://www.new-	8
lifechurch.org/index.html	Wounded Healer Fellowship
	The Great Commission Center (GCC)
3	4th Floor, 4350 W. Hallandale Beach
House of Mercy	Blvd
499 Wacouta St.	Pembroke Park, FL 33023
St. Paul, MN 55101	954-437-1855
651-298-0858	http://www.woundedhealerfellowship.co
www.houseofmercy.org	m/
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The Church at Matthew's House	Vineyard Central
1874 Avenida Aragon	1757 Mills Ave.
Oceanside, CA 92056	Norwood, Ohio 45212
760-295-5662	513-396-7202
http://www.matthewshouse.com/	http://www.vineyardcentral.com/
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The Bridge Church	Jacob's Well
P.O. Box 431154	1617 West 42nd Street
Pontiac, MI 48343	Kansas City, Missouri 64111
248-332-8633	816-531-2757
http://www.thebridgechurch.com/	http://jacobswellchurch.org/

11 17 **Highway Church** Church of the Apostles 201 Castro St., 3rd Floor 4272 Fremont Ave. N. Mountain View, CA 94041 Seattle, WA, 98103 650-968-4200 http://www.apostleschurch.org/home.ph http://www.highway.org/ p 12 18 Mission Gathering (Disciples of Christ) St. Paul's Collegiate Church at Storrs 1768 Storrs Road, Suite C 3828 Herman Ave. San Diego CA, 92104 Storrs Mansfield, CT 06268 619-624-9335 860-429-1830 http://www.missiongathering.com/home. http://www.spcc-storrs.org/ php 19 13 Three Nails Mosaic 325 Oliver Avenue PO Box 4764 Pittsburgh, PA 15222 Austin, TX 78765 http://www.threenails.org/index.html www.mosaicaustin.org 20 14 theGathering University Baptist Church 223 SW 7th Ave. 1701 Dutton Ave. Amarillo, TX 79101 Waco, TX 76706 PO Box 2713 http://www.ubcwaco.org/mainblog/ Amarillo, Texas 79105 806-576-1867 15 http://gatheringamarillo.org/ **Fusion Church** PO Box 54895 Vibrant Liberal/Mainline Oklahoma City, OK 73154 405-255-4405 21 St. Peter's Lutheran Church http://www.fusionokc.com/ 619 Lexington Ave. 16 New York, NY 10022-4613 Vintage Faith 212-935-2200 350 Mission Street http://www.saintpeters.org/ Santa Cruz, CA 95060 22 831-429-1058 x222 http://vintagechurch.org/ **Broadway United Methodist Church** 3344 N. Broadway Chicago, IL 60657 773-348-2521

http://www.brdwyumc.org/

Prince of Peace Lutheran Church 2045 N 800 E.
North Logan, UT 84341-1904 752-7753,
http://home.comcast.net/~princeofpeacel

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Church of the Holy Innocents San Francisco, 455 Fair Oaks Street San Francisco, CA 94110-3618 415-824-5142 http://www.holyinsf.org/

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Lord of Light Lutheran Church 801 S Forest Ave Ann Arbor, MI 48104-3590, 734-668-7622 http://www.lol-a2.org/

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Madison Christian Community 7118 Old Sauk Rd Madison, WI, 53717-1099 608-836-1455 http://www.madisonchristiancommunity. org

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Lyndale United Church of Christ 810 West 31st St. Minneapolis, MN 55408 612-825-3019 http://www.lyndaleucc.org/ 28

First Congregational Church 945 G. Street N.W. Washington, DC 20001 202-628-4317 www.fccuccdc.org

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First Presbyterian Church City of NY New York, NY, 10011 212-675-6150 www.fpcnyc.org

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Trinity Lutheran Church / Manhattan 168 W 100th St. New York, NY 10025-5145 212-222-7045 http://www.trinitylutherannyc.org/

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Claremont UCC Congregational 233 W. Harrison Ave. Claremont, CA 91711 909-626-1201 www.claremontucc.org

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University Lutheran Church of the Incarnation 3637 Chestnut St Philadelphia, PA 19104-2612 215-387-2885 www.uniluphila.org

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34 United Church of Hayward 30540 Mission Blvd Hayward, CA 94544 www.haywarducc.org/

35 Central Presbyterian Church 201 Washington St. S.W. Atlanta, GA 30303 404-659-0274, 814 www.cpcatlanta.org

36 Gloria Dei Lutheran Church 219 N 6th Ave E. Duluth, MN 55805-1924 218-722-3381 http://www.gloriadeiduluth.org/gloriadei home.html

37 Wallingford United Methodist Church 2115 N. 42nd Street Seattle, WA 98103 http://www.wallingfordumc.org/

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60 Westover Church 505 Muirs Chapel Road Greensboro, NC 27410 336-299-7374 http://www.westoverchurch.com/Home/ Default.aspx

Appendix D

Questions Used for Telephone Interviews of Website Producers

What is your role in the production of the website?

What is the purposes and goals behind of the website? Are there specific things in mind? How are the purposes and goals established and by whom?

What are the things you look for when deciding what to place on the website? Are their specific things you look for, as well as specific things you avoid?

Who makes the decisions about content (both verbal and visual) on the website? What role at the church does that person or do those people hold?

What criteria are used to choose verbal content?

What criteria do you use to decide which photos and graphics to use?

What criteria are used to choose the verbal and visual content for the home page?

What criteria are used to chose material that will give information to newcomers and potential visitors?

What criteria are used to chose material that will give information to church members and regular attenders?

What criteria are used to decide which links will be on the home page?

In what ways have the website producers for your church discussed the following concepts as they relate to the website: community, the arts, purpose statements, mission statements, statements of faith, tithing, stewardship, welcoming newcomers, helping people grow in faith, prayer, helping people get involved, questions people might have?

What role does the senior pastor of your church have in choosing material for the website?

If the senior pastor is involved with the website, what are his or her priorities for the website? In what ways are those priorities similar or different from the other people involved with the website?

Who do you think benefits most from the existence of the website?

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