

Vice-President and Membership Committee's 2022 Fall Report to the CPFI Board of Directors November 18, 2022

The Vice-President's responsibilities include chairing the Membership Committee. The 2022 Membership Committee members are Susan Smith, Erin Vance, Nena Lindrose, Administrative Director, and Daniel Wilson, exofficio member per CPFI bylaws.

Please see Ron Herman's, Executive Director, report for our current membership statistics.

The membership committee continues to make phone calls, send emails, and texts to lapsed and graced members. Below are our current efforts since the 2022 Annual meeting June 3, 2022:

- -March 1, 2022, to April 30, 2022, calls were made to 37 lapsed and graced members with 5 (13.5%) renewals.
- -May 1, 2022, to July 31, 2022, calls were made to 29 lapsed and graced members with 3 (10.3%) renewals.

In summary, 66 calls were made yielding 8 renewals (12%).

CPFI is grateful to all our members who have renewed their memberships through the Covid-19 pandemic. It now time to get back to having a wider presence at National and State meetings, and prayer breakfasts.

On October 27, 2022, I had the privilege of speaking to the Highpoint School of Pharmacy, High Point, NC student CPFI chapter. The president had just been informed that they were awarded our Hands and Feet grant! The chapter members were so excited. I also took the opportunity to encourage students to continue their memberships in CPFI after graduation. Student chapters are not just a "club" that they leave behind after graduation.

Ongoing Membership challenge to you: Reach out to colleges and schools of pharmacy by asking if you may attend a chapter meeting and even give a program. Be proactive in inviting fellow pharmacists and student pharmacists to join CPFI or renew their membership.

In Christ, Greg Carlson CPFI VP and Membership Committee Chairman