Weekly Update copy

Notes from the President:

The Leadership Retreat was an uplifting time, a time for listening and sharing with others as we explored the richness and diversity of our responses to challenging questions. But that was just the beginning. In the coming weeks we will provide a similar opportunity to as many of you as possible. The Board will be listening, and will use what we hear to guide us as we discern our common direction—and wildest hopes—for the next ten years.

We will start with Table Talks during the Coffee Hour on Sunday, September 29. A Board Member will be at the table to listen and to record your conversation. In future months we offer other opportunities; let us know if you have a preferred way to spend some time listening and sharing with others. For this month, there are three questions we will be asking you to consider together: "What is our core?" "What could we become?" "What would it take to do it?"

We hope to hear from as many of you as possible; it should be a lively discussion.