

**“Deciding to “age in place” or to move to a new location:
it’s something we will all have to consider sooner or later.”**

The Rappahannock Clergy Association could use your help. At a recent meeting, a dozen or so clergy from the area met with Hal Hunter to discuss ways in which thoughtful people might begin to develop the kinds of services others will need to be able to stay in their homes as they become older. The discussion included individual pastors sharing the kinds of needs their friends and parishioners have begun to face as they retire and decide that they’d like to stay in Rappahannock County. All agreed that canvassing congregations would be a helpful way of obtaining relevant information about the type and level of needs the community might anticipate and try to meet.

That’s where you come in. On the reverse side is a very simple and short survey. The Rappahannock Clergy Association hopes that you will take a few minutes to complete it, and then return it to your pastor. As confidentiality is important, all your responses will be anonymous. However, if you are comfortable providing responses to the questions on this side of the questionnaire, the additional data collected will be most useful. Thanks for your help.

Please check as many responses as apply:

Gender: Female Male

Age: Under 50 50-60 60-65 65-70 70-75 75-80 80 +

Current living arrangements: w/Spouse w/ Family Alone Other

Still have access to a car/Still driving: Yes No

Do you have immediate family living in the Rappahannock County: Yes No

Do you have close friends living in Rappahannock County: Yes No

Is there currently someone you could call for help in an emergency: Yes No

How familiar are you with existing services in Rappahannock County:

Very familiar Somewhat familiar Not very familiar

In addition to participating in your church community, how many other organizations or groups do you participate in each month:

More than 10 5 – 10 3-5 2-3 1-2 None

If additional services were provided to folks trying to “age in place,” how likely would you be to use them:

Very likely Somewhat likely Not very likely

How interested would you be in receiving more information about existing and possible new services available to folks trying to “age in place” in Rappahannock County:

Very interested Somewhat interested Not very interested

Rappahannock Clergy Association / Community Needs Assessment

The purpose of this needs assessment is to better understand what services are currently available and being used, and to anticipate which services might be needed in the future.

For each of the following Services, please check as many boxes as apply:

Category of Service	Currently receiving <u>without</u> charge	Currently <u>paying</u> to receive service	Anticipate needing this service in the future
1. Handyman/odd jobs (minor home repair/maintenance)			
2. Daily assistance (go to mailbox, take out trash, etc.)			
3. Yard work (rake leaves, shovel snow, mow lawn, etc.)			
4. Transportation (medical appointments., shopping, bank)			
5. Computer/technology assistance (desk top, lap top, etc.)			
6. Plant care assistance (helping care for indoor plants)			
7. Pet care assistance (dog walking, pet feeding, vet visits)			
8. Friendly visits/companionship (coffee, chats, cards, etc.)			
9. Daily phone "check in"/reassurance calls			
10. Record keeping/bill paying (checkbook, accounts, etc.)			
11. Meal preparation in your home			
12. Laundry assistance (changing bed linens, etc.)			
13. Housekeeping assistance (vacuuming, dusting, etc.)			
14. Medication assistance (check-in reminders, supervision)			
15. Legal assistance (estate planning, living will, POA)			
16. Tax-preparation assistance (local, state, federal)			
17. Health & Fitness assistance (walking, jogging, exercise)			
18. Coordinate/scheduling of professional services (home nursing visits, doctors' visits, physical therapy, etc.)			



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