



SIXTY YEARS *of* CORAL RIDGE

Dear Church Family,

The COVID-19 pandemic has quickly changed the world we live in. Uncertainty, fear, confusion and financial loss can cause us to lose perspective quickly. I've been reminded often that God's ways are not our ways. In the midst of a crisis we must never forget the truth that God is in control and His mission cannot be stopped. Jesus continues to build His Church and the gates of hell will not prevail. We need a perspective that reflects the reality of this hope. **Difficult times can be seen either as an obstacle or an opportunity.**

The Church has always been the hope of the world, and this moment is no different. I have seen God do amazing things through this ministry throughout this current crisis:

- People have come to know Christ, reengage with the church, and grow deeper in their relationships with God.
- Worship has continued and our online audience has expanded well beyond our typical weekly attendance.
- New virtual studies and small groups have been launched.
- Children and youth are being equipped.
- Essential workers have been cared for and the most vulnerable of our city are receiving the support they need.

All of this has been done by the grace of God, the innovation of technology, and an incredibly creative and flexible team of ministry leaders.

As we approach our ministry year-end on June 30, **I am asking you to partner with us in order to reach South Florida and beyond with the message of Jesus Christ.** We are committed more than ever before to equip gospel-centered, culture-shaping Christians in order for the Kingdom to be advanced on earth as it is in heaven.

When you give financially to Coral Ridge you give hope! **You give hope to our people, our city, and our world.**

Many decades ago, D. James Kennedy prayed that our church would be used to bring about revival. Let's continue to trust that God would use this ministry during this time to awaken people like never before. **In our 60th Anniversary as a church, may this be a defining moment for us as we partner with God to make Him known from generation to generation.**

I am grateful for your support!

For Christ and His Church,



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert J. Pacienza". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Rev. Robert J. Pacienza
Pastor, Coral Ridge Presbyterian Church

P.S. Would you partner with us by bringing hope to a hopeless world? You can do so with a one-time, financial gift prior to June 30.