

We are member churches connected by our common denominational bond, theological and ecclesiastical heritage, and cultural context. Together we occupy this particular geographical plot of land in God's world. Regardless of our differences in location, challenges, or ministry emphases, we have the shared responsibility of spreading the Gospel of Jesus and God's Kingdom wherever we may find ourselves. As such, CMT would like to ask some follow-up questions based on the feedback:

1. Why are youth and young adults such a concern for many of our member churches? Should they be? Why or why not?
2. How can we get the member churches of Classis more engaged in the existing ministries of Classis (e.g. Campus Ministry, Home Missions) so that they can take more ownership of what is happening with these ministries? On the other hand, how can the various committees and operational bodies of Classis improve communication so that member churches know what is happening at the Classical level?
3. How could we possibly modify the structure (e.g. location, frequency, time) of Classis meetings or Classis committees so that a broader representation of members can participate and be engaged (i.e. beyond pastors, retirees, and denominational and classical staff)?
4. Finally, are there any other ideas on how we can improve the operations, goals, or cohesiveness of Classis Hamilton?