

October 2021 Area Assembly District 5 Report

District 5 has had 5 district meetings this year with one more scheduled in October. Our attendance is averaging 23-24 members at the district meetings. Most of the groups are meeting face to face with one group that closed their meeting because the church is being sold and there was no interest in looking for another place.

We had planned for three events: Day of Workshops, Gratitude Luncheon, and Holiday Luncheon thinking that our groups would feel like getting together. We had to cancel the Day of Workshops scheduled for September 25 due to a low number of pre-registrations and people who were presenting canceling due to COVID 19 fears. Pre-COVID, we generally had 70 people attend. In planning the last two events, GRs felt that we would not have good attendance at the Gratitude and Holiday Luncheons. These two events are also canceled.

Janice E. continues to work with Diane, our Area Public Outreach person. There are plans to start a meeting at the Hernando County Corrections Facility. Several of the groups have donated money to purchase How Al-Anon Works. The literature from the group that closed was donated to support putting Al-Anon books in the library or to have when a meeting is started.

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