

Interim Minister's Report

It has been a bumpy road. Metaphorically speaking, these last two years have felt like we've leveled ridges between the ruts in the road and almost scraped the oil pan off. Yet, together we stayed on the journey of faith, though even the steering wheel was modified en route through statutes revisions, deliberate discernment and elections.

We are surviving and thriving, plowing through rough terrain to meet the spiritual needs of real people. Again, using analogy, who says a Franciscan vehicle needs fenders? And holes in our tailpipe just means we make noise and doesn't affect the load we can carry in a very needy world.

Gratitude for all in our O.E.F. community who continue the journey of faith together in spite of.....

To God be the glory.

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