

**Table 9
Number and Percent of Active PC(USA) Ministers¹ by Call² and Gender, 2005 to 2009**

| | | 2005 | | | 2006 | | | 2007 | | | 2008 | | | 2009 | | |
|-------------------------|---|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|--------|
| | | Men | Women | Total | Men | Women | Total | Men | Women | Total | Men | Women | Total | Men | Women | Total |
| Pastors/Co-Pastors | N | 5,154 | 1,165 | 6,319 | 5,063 | 1,190 | 6,253 | 4,922 | 1,178 | 6,100 | 4,783 | 1,169 | 5,952 | 4,711 | 1,219 | 5,930 |
| | % | 53% | 29% | 46% | 53% | 29% | 46% | 52% | 28% | 45% | 52% | 28% | 44% | 52% | 28% | 44% |
| Associate Pastors | N | 798 | 589 | 1,355 | 809 | 593 | 1,367 | 811 | 625 | 1,395 | 768 | 618 | 1,386 | 754 | 580 | 1,334 |
| | % | 8% | 15% | 10% | 9% | 14% | 10% | 9% | 15% | 10% | 8% | 14% | 10% | 8% | 13% | 10% |
| Supply Pastors | N | 364 | 230 | 594 | 350 | 244 | 594 | 363 | 263 | 626 | 359 | 285 | 644 | 367 | 288 | 655 |
| | % | 4% | 6% | 4% | 4% | 6% | 4% | 4% | 6% | 4% | 4% | 7% | 5% | 4% | 7% | 5% |
| Interims | N | 278 | 206 | 484 | 294 | 197 | 491 | 277 | 207 | 484 | 278 | 177 | 455 | 262 | 162 | 424 |
| | % | 3% | 5% | 3% | 3% | 5% | 4% | 3% | 5% | 4% | 3% | 4% | 3% | 3% | 4% | 3% |
| Chaplains | N | 372 | 306 | 678 | 374 | 323 | 697 | 367 | 341 | 708 | 376 | 363 | 739 | 381 | 369 | 750 |
| | % | 4% | 8% | 5% | 4% | 8% | 5% | 4% | 8% | 5% | 4% | 8% | 6% | 4% | 8% | 6% |
| PC(USA) Executives | N | 327 | 147 | 474 | 301 | 150 | 451 | 282 | 144 | 426 | 265 | 146 | 411 | 265 | 144 | 409 |
| | % | 3% | 4% | 4% | 3% | 4% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 3% |
| School Staff or Faculty | N | 348 | 139 | 487 | 341 | 136 | 447 | 346 | 145 | 491 | 331 | 148 | 479 | 326 | 148 | 474 |
| | % | 4% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 3% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 4% | 4% | 3% | 4% |
| Counselors | N | 113 | 53 | 166 | 104 | 50 | 154 | 95 | 58 | 153 | 83 | 54 | 137 | 81 | 54 | 135 |
| | % | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% |
| Tentmakers | N | 36 | 4 | 40 | 33 | 4 | 37 | 36 | 6 | 42 | 28 | 5 | 33 | 26 | 4 | 30 |
| | % | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Other Professionals | N | 324 | 170 | 494 | 331 | 191 | 522 | 343 | 191 | 534 | 351 | 205 | 556 | 361 | 230 | 591 |
| | % | 3% | 4% | 4% | 3% | 5% | 4% | 4% | 5% | 4% | 4% | 5% | 4% | 4% | 5% | 4% |
| Other | N | 1,582 | 1,022 | 2,636 | 1,569 | 1,046 | 2,650 | 1,554 | 1,061 | 2,656 | 1,587 | 1,083 | 2,670 | 1,542 | 1,126 | 2,668 |
| | % | 16% | 25% | 19% | 16% | 25% | 19% | 16% | 25% | 19% | 17% | 26% | 20% | 17% | 26% | 20% |
| Total Active Ministers | N | 9,696 | 4,031 | 13,727 | 9,569 | 4,124 | 13,693 | 9,396 | 4,219 | 13,615 | 9,209 | 4,253 | 13,462 | 9,076 | 4,324 | 13,400 |
| | % | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |

¹ Excludes retired and emeritus ministers.

² Based on primary call for ministers who have more than one. See Technical Information (pg. 31) for definitions.

* = less than 0.5%; rounds to zero