ASSIGNMENT FROM *“THE POST QUARANTINE CHURCH’*, BY THOM S. RANIER

 Read the book by Thom Ranier.

1. Summarize the six challenges addressed by Ranier. This is your **midterm assignment**
2. Develop an action plan to lead your local church during the post-quarantine era into the future. Consider these 9 suggestions from Thom Ranier in the development of your proposed action plan.
3. Create a process to evaluate new and pre-existing programs. Replace complexity with simplicity.
4. Plan focused outreach efforts to obey the Great Commission.
5. Anticipate and strategize for smaller gatherings.
6. What will “multi” look like in your congregation’s future?
7. Realign and plan to financially undergird staff and leadership including technological support staff. Who/what will you need?
8. Include the use of social media resources
9. Use digital technology for worship .
10. How will ministry training be delivered?
11. Will your church move to a multi-pastor structure
12. Cut and paste or Click on the following link for help on developing an action plan that addresses at least four(4) of the nine (9) issues above. For this assignment, assume that you have only the normal financial resources of your congregation at your disposal. Presume that you are in the appropraiate position of leadership to present your proposal to the pastor and/or church board.

 <https://creately.com/blog/diagrams/how-to-write-an-action-plan/>

1. The assignment is due as a part of your **final exam requirements**.