Interviewer 0:00

Today I'm talking to

Spencer Apple 0:01

Spencer apple.

Interviewer 0:03

And what church do you go to?

Spencer Apple 0:04

First Church of Christ.

Interviewer 0:06

Perfect. Where is it at?

Spencer Apple 0:08

Xenia, Ohio.

Interviewer 0:10

Awesome. Okay, so I just have a few questions today, asking you about like your church and what you've been doing this COVID-19 pandemic. So it's just three questions, and I just like to hear about what you have to say. So first, how has COVID-19 affected your faith or beliefs?

Spencer Apple 0:32

I feel the COVID-19 has made my beliefs stronger because we have to rely on faith. And that God is in control and we are not.

Interviewer 0:42

Okay. Cool. So the second question, is your religious community still gathering currently? If so, how has- Well, if so, or if not, how has COVID-19 affected your participation in that religious community?

Spencer Apple 1:01

No, it's just online. Oh, my God, the services are online.

Interviewer 1:05

Okay. So you guys don't mean anymore at all?

Spencer Apple 1:07

No.

Interviewer 1:08

Awesome. Um, and then a third question, is your religious community supplying or engaged in any kind of community service and an attempt to alleviate issues caused by this pandemic? If so, what are those efforts you guys have?

Spencer Apple 1:25

Yeah, so our church in another church close by are offering a food drive every Thursday night, and people drive through our church parking lot to receive a box of food.

Interviewer 1:36

That's really cool. I like to hear that different churches are doing that. Well, those are all my questions. Thank you for answering them today.

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