

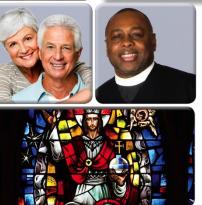




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# **Church Insurance Insurance for the Greater Good**





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# **Church Insurance—Overview**



# The Mission of the Company



- "The object of The [Church Properties Fire Insurance] Corporation is to reduce as low as possible the cost of fire insurance to the Episcopal Church..."
- "The handling of losses will be sympathetic and tactful, the Corporation considering always the best interest of our Church..."
- "In time it is to be hoped that the Corporation can, through its specialized knowledge, co-operate so effectually with church as to reduce the fire hazard..."

# The Mission of the Company

Today, the mission of the company remains essentially unchanged—serve the church through superior products and services; specialized knowledge; and deep understanding of client needs.



# **Competitive Advantages vs. Disadvantages**

#### When compared to competitors, Advantages include:

# Captive allows product and price flexibility

- Able to package many necessary coverages in single product
- Able to implement changes quickly

**Use of captive to issue policies directly** • Significantly lower costs than competitors

Lower target return than competitors

Client loyalty and high retention

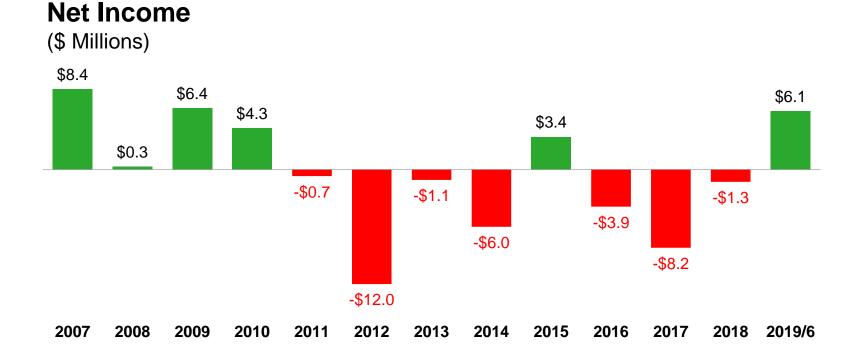
- Allows more competitive pricing
- Reduces overall costs and loss ratio

# **Competitive Advantages vs. Disadvantages**

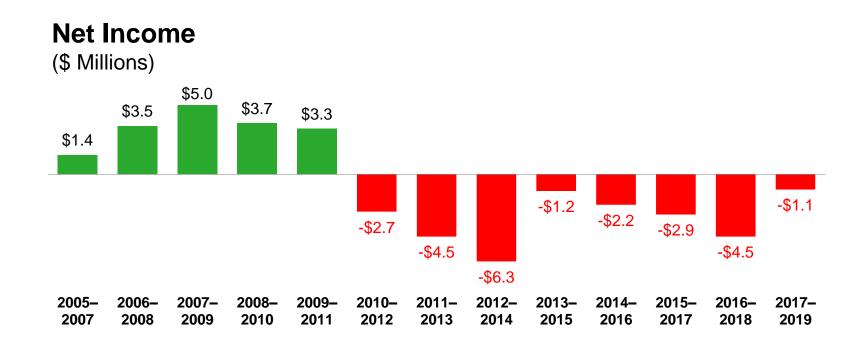
#### When compared to competitors, **Disadvantages** include:

Small number of prospects	<ul><li>Lack of scale</li><li>Premium growth limited</li></ul>
Coastal exposed properties	<ul> <li>Much greater need for reinsurance, which increases cost and depresses earnings in most years</li> </ul>
Many old and difficult-to-repair buildings	<ul><li>Valuation of properties more complex</li><li>Cost to repair increased</li></ul>
Broader products than most competitors	<ul> <li>Cost of claims increased</li> </ul>

## **Financial Results—Net Income for Insurance Operations**



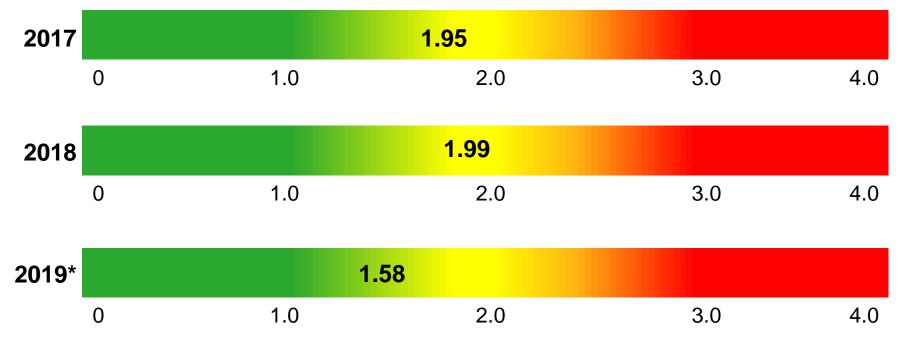
#### **Financial Results—Net Income: 3-Year Moving Average**



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# **Capital Position of CICVT**

Premium to surplus ratio indicates continued adequate capital position



#### **Reinsurance Improvements**

2017

- Overall cost improvement est. \$6.3M, decrease 26.3%
- Max risk loss \$750K (or \$1.24M) vs. \$6.25M
- Flood covered on property without restrictions
- Quake/Fire following covered in Cat
- Umbrella no longer swing rated

 Hours clause on Cat from 96 to 168

 Definition of risk is location

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Retention from \$10M to \$3M

# **Areas of Focus**

- Inspections, visits, pictures
- Roofs
- New IT systems, forms, rates
- Claims Vendor Management Program
- Policy issued as PDF—Green Initiative
- Growth Strategy
- Relationship Management



#### **Issues/Lessons**



- Hurricane deductibles too high
- Relationship management
- Access to locations following storms
- Qualified contractors
- Deferred maintenance
- Public Adjusters

# Service & Product Update

## **Church Insurance—Client Visits**



## **Market Position**

**Church Insurance aims to be a premier provider that:** 

#### **Fully understand the needs of Episcopal Institutions**

- **Be available** to clients with immediate answers to concerns
- Provide broad products, including quick and easy claim settlement
- Provide risk assessment and management services beyond for-profit competitors

## **CIAC Team**

- VP, Risk Management and Marketing
- Service Center Manager
- 10 Client Representatives
- 4 Enrollment Specialists
- 8 Regional Representatives



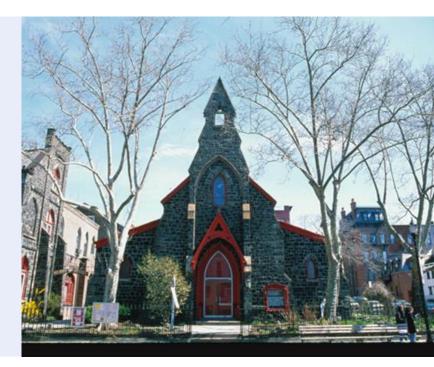
Kelly Best Team Leader Billing & Collections Department

"Customer service is what sets us apart. It's part of our value proposition. It's our ministry."

## **Products and Services**

#### Provide

- Property and Casualty insurance
- Liability coverage
- Risk management services
- Safeguarding programs
- Serve 90% of Episcopal dioceses and churches



#### **Service to the Church—Products Offered**

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Property	Liability	Directors & Officers Liability	Employment Practices Liability	Umbrella Liability	Workers Compensation	Commercial Auto	International Travel

#### **Products and Services**



#### **Products**

**Higher Limits** 

Automatically Included Coverages

#### **Services**

On-site Visits and Walk-through of Property

Safeguarding online

**Episcopal Safety Program** 

The Good Steward

#### **Risk Management Field Services**

- Property walk-throughs
- Episcopal Safety Program (ESP)—Loss Control Reports & Dividend Program
- Property Valuations



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