

THE PRESBYTERY OF NEW HARMONY

COMMISSIONERS' HANDBOOK

November 11, 2025

First Presbyterian Hartsville
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Friends, we have the wonderful opportunity to hear from NHP Moderator, the Rev. Ashley Cheek preaching at our worship. Immediately following worship is a time for conversation regarding establishing a covenant partnership NHP and Kajiado Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church of East Africa (PCEA).

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The information to access the online version of this handbook is being emailed to each minister member of NHP and every Clerk of Session. It is the Clerk's responsibility to distribute that information to the Ruling Elder Commissioner eligible to vote at the meeting.

A limited number of printed handbooks will be available at the meeting. Please print their own Handbook, or parts you believe you need; better still for the good stewardship of God's creation, download it on your laptop or notebook and bring that to the meeting.

All Minister Members and Ruling Elder Commissioners are urged to **read all the reports** in order to be fully prepared for the meeting.

The price of lunch is \$15.00.



Ashley L. Cheek

Reverend Ashley L. Cheek is the pastor and head of staff at First Presbyterian Church in Hartsville, South Carolina. First Presbyterian Church is an inclusive, affirming, and growing congregation with a thriving preschool and kindergarten program and serves as a hub for community outreach and support. Ashley is passionate about connectional ministry as she believes the church thrives when all of God's people experience belonging and are able to discover God's call and claim on their lives.

Ashley also serves the Presbyterian Church USA as moderator of New Harmony Presbytery. She is co-chairing the development of an emergency shelter for the under-housed and homeless in Hartsville, South Carolina, and is engaged in the ministry of Mother Esther School and Rescue Center in Nairobi, Kenya. Ashley is a recent graduate of the Liberty Fellowship Program of South Carolina.

Ashley is married to Rev. Nick Cheek and is the mother of Lydia, Nicholas, and Ada. When Ashley is not at church, you will likely find her playing pickle ball with her family, crossing the state to visit her college freshman, or out for a walk with friends.

History of First Presbyterian Church Hartsville

As you sit in this beautiful sanctuary, we give thanks for our church's history and the impact it has had on this corner in Hartsville. Our lineage goes back to the Williamsburg church of Kingstree, our great-great grandmother. Our great grandmother is Indiantown Presbyterian Church. Eventually it was determined that there was a need for a church in Darlington County, so Darlington Presbyterian Church was formed, and from that church Hartsville Presbyterian Church was established in 1867.

Our church buildings have grown from a small wooden building to include a new sanctuary, an educational wing, staff offices, our Memorial Fellowship Hall, and finally a renovation of our sanctuary, but what has truly mattered most are the people of our congregation here at the corner of Home Ave and 6th St. Our focus is to be God's Kingdom breaking forth, serving our community here in Hartsville as well as our state and beyond. Our mission statement is—*FPC is a body of Christ followers compelled by God's love to strengthen all of God's community through the way we worship, serve, and live.* Each Sunday, we are challenged to widen God's table and to make space for all to have a place at God's table.

FPC has a long lineage of pastors that have served and led our congregation through the years. Rev. Ashley Lewis Cheek came in 2019 and serves alongside our dedicated staff who strive to enhance the lives of members of our congregation, as well as those in our community.

We are ending 2025 with an exciting new addition- Susie Burns, our Pastoral Resident, who will serve the families, children, and youth of FPC. Susie joins us December 1, 2025.

FPC has a thriving music program, with multiple choirs, after school piano lessons, and community concerts. We have educational programs for all ages and are grateful to have a full-time preschool with over 100 children ranging from 6 months to 5k.

Over the past few years, our focus has been strengthening our service within our community and around the world. We have several support groups open to the community- a Dementia Support group, Grieving Together, two AA meetings, and a new group – Navigating Illness. Our missions include serving local organizations such as Hartsville Interfaith Ministries, the Soup Kitchen, The Trent Hill Center, House of Hope – Hartsville House, Thornwell, Black Mountain Home for Boys, and globally- Mexico, Dominican Republic, Kenya and most recently, Costa Rica.

FPC is committed to bringing God's kingdom to earth on the corner of Home and 6th in Hartsville in our individual and communal lives. It is a gift to be the church.

Mother Esther School & Rescue Center



Mother Esther History

Mother Esther School and Rescue Center was founded when 26 young women demanded a better life and a brighter future for themselves. In December 2015, these girls, ages 10-14 years old, fled their rural homes for fear they would be forced into child marriage like so many of their peers. They ran to Loodokilani Presbyterian Church to seek sanctuary and searched specifically for Reverend Charles Maina, a vocal advocate for the rights of girls and women in the area. The Loodokilani congregation responded by turning their church sanctuary into a dormitory and classroom for the girls - a place where they could learn and grow in safety.

By the beginning of 2025, Mother Esther School and Rescue Center had grown into a center that has welcomed and supported more than 350 girls in their journey of education and empowerment. The original sanctuary has become a preschool classroom and the compound has grown to include many additional buildings. It is a thriving center of hope and possibility for the girls and the surrounding community.

Everything Mother Esther School is today and everything it will become is based on the courage and resilience of those young women who stood up to declare that they are made in God's image and deserve the future of freedom and possibility that God intends for every human being. The empowerment of young women remains the center of the mission of Mother Esther School: to give girls the safety and opportunity to choose a future for themselves.



The farm at Mother Esther produces fruits and vegetables to improve nutrition for the girls.



Our high school girls are the first in their families to attend high school.



We work closely with families and community leaders to preserve connections and celebrate local culture.

2025 Mother Esther Information

Primary School (Nursery - Grade 6)	Junior School (Grades 7-9)	High School (Grades 10-12)	Staff Members
170	120	52 4	26

PROPOSED DOCKET

PRESBYTERY OF NEW HARMONY 119th STATED MEETING

9:30 a.m. Tuesday, November 11, 2025 at First, Hartsville

Moderator's Theme: Belonging to God, One Another, and Ourselves

1-4-25

8:30 A.M. Registration, Gathering, Fellowship and Refreshments

9:30 Determination of a Quorum and Call to Order with Prayer Rev. Ashley Cheek, Moderator
Land and Labor Acknowledgement
Review and Adoption of the Docket and Omnibus Motion (see Commissioners' Handbook)
Welcome and Recognition of First Time Ruling Elders and Corresponding Members
Introduce and Seat Corresponding Members
Welcome by the Host Pastor Rev. Ashley Cheek

9:50 Celebrating and Honoring Timmonsville and Fraser Memorial Presbyterian Churches
By Commissioned Pastors Bob Henry and Chuck Staggs

10:00 Worship (Offering to Mother Esther School and Rescue; check: "*New Harmony Presbytery*")

11:00 Conversation on an NHP Internation Covenant Partnership Rev. Ashley Cheek

12:00 Lunch – **ORDER OF THE DAY** (cost - \$15; checks: "*First Presbyterian Church*")

1:00 Good News from our Congregations (not announcements) **Ruling Elders ONLY!!!**

1:30 Horizon Stewardship Rev. Steve Lindsley, D.Min., Senior Ministry Strategist

1:40 Synod of South Atlantic (SOSA) Elder Jackie Rembert, Moderator, Synod of South Atlantic

1:50 Committee on Ministry (COM) Elder Avery Dickson, COM Moderator

2:00 Guiding Council Rev. Gavin D. Meek, Guiding Council Moderator

2:30 Committee on Representation and Nominations (CORN) Rev. Rodney Foster, Moderator

2:40 New Business and any items which might have been removed from the Omnibus Motion
Announcements, Expression of Thanks, Adjournment & Prayer

OMNIBUS MOTION

The Presbytery of New Harmony – Tuesday, November 11, 2025

(An **Omnibus Motion** expedites business and contains “many” or several items believed to be straight-forward, easily understood, and non-controversial, thus thought not to elicit questions or debate. An Omnibus Motion is acted upon in one vote by the presbytery and comes at the beginning of the meeting. At the time of its consideration at the beginning of the meeting, any Commissioner or Minister member may request the removal of any item in the Omnibus Motion; if that occurs, that item/s will be placed as the first item/s under New Business.)

Your Guiding Council recommends the following OMNIBUS MOTION:

Receive the following written reports and approve the actions therein:

(The Commissioners’ Handbook Index has the page number for each report/document.)

- **Guiding Council** but does not include...
 - the election of the nominees for CORN.
 - Pursuing the Covenant Partnership with Kajiado Presbytery.
 - Conducting a second reading of and take action on the Proposed 2026 Budget.
- **Committee on Ministry (COM).**
- **Committee on Preparation (CPM).**
- **Fork Administrative Commission.**
- **Fraser Memorial Administration Commission.**
- **Hebron Administrative Commission.**
- **New Harvest Administrative Commission.**
- **Salem Black River Administration Commission.**
- **Timmonsville Administrative Commission.**

HELPING CHURCHES CULTIVATE GENEROSITY AND ACHIEVE THEIR VISION



CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

Partnering with churches to fund bold initiatives, tackle deferred maintenance, eliminate debt, and pursue transformative goals that leave a lasting impact on both the congregation and the community.

ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP

Empowering congregations to nurture a year-round culture of generosity, emphasizing the spiritual joy of giving while ensuring sustainable support for ministry beyond just meeting a budget.

ASSET STEWARDSHIP

Helping churches reimagine the use of underutilized buildings and campuses to enhance ministry impact while generating new revenue streams to sustain and expand their mission

GENEROSITY COHORT

Equipping presbyteries and other judicatory bodies to guide smaller churches in adopting best practices that foster generosity and boost giving across their congregations.



STEVE LINDSLEY, D. Min

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OUR JOURNEY

The Synod of South Atlantic, PC(USA) embodies the grace and love of Jesus Christ, cultivates authentic community within and across presbyteries, and inspires impactful ministry, developing leaders so that the Church becomes united in faith, hope, love, witness, and service.

This journey together calls for more than a description of why and what we do. Our values represent a commitment to serve in a way that demonstrates integrity and is centered on Christ.

OUR VALUES

GRACE
LOVE
AUTHENTICITY
TRANSPARENCY
UNITY
HOPE
FAITHFULNESS
REFORMING



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EMBODY

LEADER FORMATION

With a vision for sustainable and holistic leadership, the Embody Leader Formation Program equips leaders at every level to lead impactful ministry for tomorrow's church, today. Each new Synod Commissioner will be in a cohort to take part in formative education that encourages self-awareness, empathy and builds capacity for deeper service. Example topics include:

- Human Systems & Organizational Culture
- Communicating for Change
- Transforming Conflict
- Building Agreement
- Emotional Intelligence

Presbyteries that do not have a new Synod Commissioner in a particular year will be invited to send someone else to participate in the training.

We are all on a journey to becoming that which God intends.

NETWORKS

Synod Networks are open, collaborative groups, centered around a shared interest, purpose, mission, or ministry, building relationships and connections across the Synod. Networks are organized by people and/or ministries that come from multiple presbyteries. They may form for various lengths of time to accomplish their purposes. They build on the example of our existing Racial Ethnic Ministries to provide a space for people to gather to support one another, deepen their work, and broaden their connections with interested persons around the Synod.



CULTIVATE

Beyond these connections, Synod Networks provide openings for people to step into the work of the Synod. A representative of each approved Synod Network has voice in the deliberations of the Synod and its committees, providing better communications and opportunities for wider impact.

Funding is included in the Synod budget for 2025 and beyond to provide seed money for Synod Networks, and these networks will be eligible to apply for grants through an expanding grant program to support their work.



INSPIRE

GRANTS & SCHOLARSHIPS

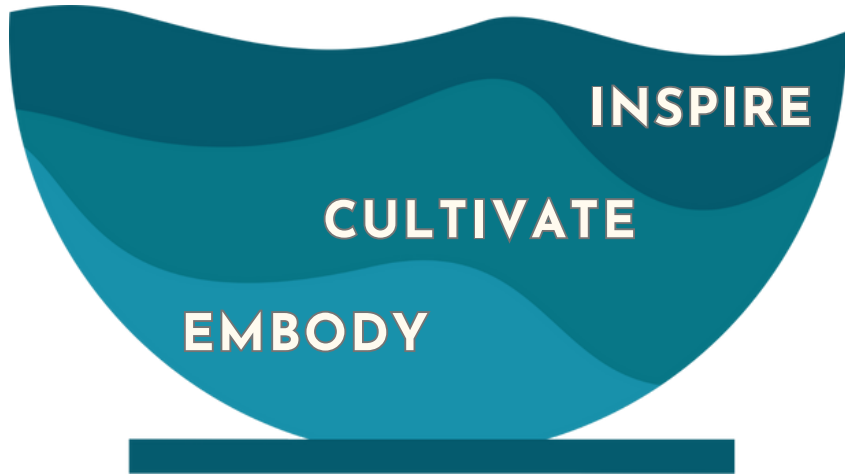
The Grants and Scholarships program of the Synod has been deepened and broadened to offer more support to Synod Networks, partnerships, and new ministries.

The creation of a Youth and Young Adult Grant Program beginning in 2026 will support networking and leadership development efforts, with our young(er) Presbyterians.

All annual applications for grants and scholarships are online only and available on synodofsouthatlantic.org.

Scholarship Application Deadlines:
May 15th

Grant Application Deadlines:
October 1st



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Guiding Council Report

Presbytery of New Harmony – Tuesday, November 11, 2025

Rev. Gavin D. Meek, Moderator of the Guiding Council

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. Elect the following people to the Committee on Representation and Nominations:

2026 Moderator for CORN: RE Linda Jackson (Melina, Gable)

Class of 2028 (* denotes second term)

*RE Linda Jackson (Melina, Gable)

*RE Betty Anne Smith (John Calvin, Florence)

CP Bob Sloan (Patrick and Society Hill)

Class of 2027 Vacancy

TE Jim Burton (Honorably Retired and St. Paul's and Indiantown)

2. Approve the establishment of a Covenant Partnership between NHP and Kajiado Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church of East Africa (PCEA), empowering the NHP Moderator, the Rev. Ashley Cheek, and the Executive Presbyter and Stated Clerk, the Rev. Gavin Meek, to oversee that process with regular progress reports.
3. Conduct a second reading of the attached Proposed 2025 Operating Budget (attached) for debate and approval.

The Guiding Council (GC) reports the following actions taken on behalf of NHP:

1. Approved the **minutes** of the **August 23, 2025 Stated Meeting of NHP**.
2. Approved the dates and locations of the upcoming **2026 NHP Gatherings**:
 - Feb. 21 (Saturday) Georgetown (last hosted 2/15)
 - May 19 (Tuesday) Indiantown (last hosted 10/18)
 - Aug. 15 (Saturday) ZOOM
 - Nov. 17 (Tuesday) Presbyterian Communities of Florence (last hosted 7/18)
3. Received any and all reports and acted on recommendations from its committees (**Cultivation and Empowerment [CEC]** and **Personnel and Finance [P&F]**) including the following:

Approved from P&F: reviewed 3Q financials; proposed 2026 Budget for a second reading for discussion and action; renaming and repurposing the Church Extension Fund to the G.I.V.E. Fund; moving the EP&SC from 4 to 5 weeks of vacation (NHP policy recommends an additional week of vacation for every 15 years of ministry experience. Rev. Meek has 37 years of ministry experience and would be eligible for 6 weeks of vacation; he requested 5.); approved the Assoc. for COM position description and the hiring of Rev. Joel Long to fill it.

4. Received the following report from the EP&SC: as Stated Clerk, he consulted to the Session of **Swan Lake** on the sale of a small portion of property to provide financial resources to repair and enhance its main facilities, ruling that it does not need presbytery approval, according to the Trust Clause in the Constitution, only congregational approval which has occurred; Rev. Dr. Busby secured a \$60,000 **Black Church Cornerstone Collaborative (BCCC)** grant from Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary in 2026 for strengthening rural black congregations by way of micro-grants to NHP black congregations; he will be part of a **PCUSA Presbytery Leader delegation to Palestine** (Dec. 9-20) to learn firsthand what is happening there.
5. Received a report concerning the **South Carolina Inn at Montreat Review Team**, assessing its ministry, discerning its future direction, and presenting recommendations to the respective five SC presbyteries; **Elder Johnny Dennis** (Kingston, Conway) is serving as NHP's representative and will likely meet for the last time in January to approve recommendations for the five SC presbyteries to act upon.
6. Received a report by the council appointees (Rev. Larson and Elder Wilson) on a Team reviewing the **boundaries of the five South Carolina presbyteries**. It was reported that the Team will zoom with the Corey Schlosser-Hall and with some presbytery leaders that have experience with these efforts and discussion.
7. Approved unanimously the recommendation of an appointed team consisting of the Rev. Tony Larson, Geneva Sharp, and Orby Ferguson to repurpose and rename the former Church Extension Fund, which was exclusively for new church development, to the **Growth, Innovation, Vitality and Evangelism (G.I.V.E.) Fund** in order for it to be used by our NHP congregations and NHP for other similar purposes. (see attached)
8. Established an Administration Commission (AC), to be populated by COM (CP Bob Henry, Fork, Mod; RE James David Lane, Fork Clerk of Session; TE Robert Bannan, Kingston, Conway; TE Jen Kottler, John Calvin, Florence; RE Janice Rosier, Bennettsville), for Fork Presbyterian Church (Fork), Fork, South Carolina, with the authority to assume Original Jurisdiction if necessary should the Session of three decrease to two or one (It has.). As with all AC's, the Stated Clerk or designee, shall be an ex. officio member, with voice, no vote, and this AC, its commission and work, will be reviewed annually by the COM. The commission includes the following:
 1. to assume original jurisdiction (G-3.0303e) for Fork, if and when the Session of three decreases to two or one;
 2. to dissolve the congregation after ascertaining that it is no longer viable, preferably at its request;
 3. to arrange for the pastoral care of the members;
 4. to publicize the dissolution of the congregation;
 5. to ascertain the financial status and outstanding financial obligations of the congregation;
 6. to secure the Session records;

7. to secure the legal rights to all property (real or personal) held by or for the benefit of the congregation;
8. to dispose of the moveable personal property of the congregation;
9. to secure the building and property;
10. to deal with matters of insurance;
11. to dispose of the building and grounds (subject to any guidelines established by NHP or the Guiding Council) or convey the building and grounds to the corporation of the Presbytery of New Harmony Inc. of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.);
12. to recommend to NHP the use of any part of the assets of the congregation;
13. to plan and conduct a closing worship service celebrating the life and ministry of the congregation; and
14. to secure the assistance of other individuals, as appropriate, to assist with this effort, and to do such things and take such actions, for, in the name of, and on behalf of NHP as shall be necessary to accomplish the general purpose of this resolution.

BACKGROUND: It was reported by the Fork Session Moderator, Commissioned Pastor Bob Henry, that the congregation has dwindled to only a few active and regular members and attenders, it has little remaining financial resources, and one of the three Session members has quit attending and another is moved out of state. There are only a few possible replacements and half of them are immediate family members of the remaining Session member, who serves as Clerk, Treasurer, and groundskeeper. The CP Henry believes the time has come to dissolve the congregation and believes the remaining elder agrees.

9. Established an Administration Commission, to be populated by COM (RE Johnny Raffield and TE Stewart Rawson, co-mods; TE Frank Colclough (clerk); RE Margaret Cooper; RE Ellaree Hampton,), for Salem Black River Presbyterian Church (SBR), Mayesville, South Carolina in order to work with the Session. As with all AC's, the Stated Clerk or designee, shall be an ex. officio member, with voice, no vote, and this AC, its commission and work, will be reviewed annually by the COM. The commission includes the following:

1. Pray for the Session and congregation of SBR, in particular for reconciliation;
2. Be committed to Jesus' directive, in the Sermon on the Mount, to resolve matters among believers prior to litigation and going to court (Matthew 5);
3. Contact the Session of SBR, appointing a new moderator when appropriate, to learn their concerns and issues that led to this situation and try to create a way forward that respects of their concerns and issues, abides by our Constitution, and honors our Lord Jesus Christ; and
4. Utilize whatever resources needed to accomplish this commission.

BACKGROUND: It was reported at the August 6 Guiding Council that the Stated Clerk and the COM Liaison for SBR received notice that SBR wanted to leave the PCUSA.

10. Received reports on **NHP Administrative Commissions:** PDAC, Fork, Fraser Memorial, Hebron, New Harvest, Salem Black River and Timmons ville (see attached AC reports).

PROPOSED 2026 BUDGET	2024 Budget Year-end	2025 Budget to Sept 30	2025 Budget Approved	PROPOSED 2026 Budget
Revenues				
Budgeted Receipts				
400100 Shared Mission Support from NHP Congregations	\$ 371,529.34	\$ 250,625.32	\$ 380,000.00	\$ 375,500.00
400200 Per Capita Apportionment (\$22.50 x 6,368 - 3%)	\$ 113,664.42	\$ 97,576.22	\$ 132,405.00	\$ 138,982.00
400400 Trans - Candidate/Scholarship Fund# (~2.95% of Fund)	\$ 3,000.00		\$ 7,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
400405 Trans - Mission & Ministry (M&M) Fund* (~3.95% Fund)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 65,250.00	\$ 80,500.00
400415 Trans - Small Church Support/Redev.+ (~8.4% but sales)	\$ 3,551.14	\$ -	\$ 40,000.00	\$ 30,000.00
400422 Trans - Unrestricted Reserve	\$ 66,101.39	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
400424 Trans - Campus Christian Life Fund@ (~3.66% of Fund)	\$ 2,000.00	\$ -	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
400900 Interest Income	\$ 1,087.12	\$ 955.66	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
400580 Mortgage Income	\$ 22,048.00	\$ 20,642.00	\$ 27,200.00	\$ 27,500.00
400910 Miscellaneous Income	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Total Revenues	\$ 582,981.41	\$ 369,799.20	\$ 654,855.00	\$ 660,482.00
Expenses				
Mission Beyond NHP				
520000 General Assembly Shared Mission Support	\$ 80,000.00	\$ 53,333.34	\$ 70,000.00	\$ 50,000.00
520050 GA Per Capita (\$11.26 x 6,368 members)	\$ 64,346.80	\$ 52,853.13	\$ 70,460.00	\$ 71,704.00
520100 Synod Shared Mission Support (\$1 x 6,368)	\$ 6,566.00	\$ 4,875.75	\$ 6,500.00	\$ 6,368.00
520103 Synod Per Capita (\$2.50 x 6,368)	\$ 9,849.00	\$ 7,313.64	\$ 9,750.00	\$ 15,920.00
520105 Presbyterian College	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 3,750.00	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
520110 SC Christian Action Council	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 3,750.00	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
520400 Presby Retirement Communities SC	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 7,500.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00
520500 SC Inn at Montreat	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 3,750.00	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
520505 SC Campus Ministry@	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
520810 Presbyterian Agency for Development Disabilities	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 3,750.00	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 7,500.00
520815 Presbytery Leader Formation	\$ 197.63	\$ 250.00	\$ 250.00	\$ 250.00
520815 International Covenant Partnership*				\$ 15,000.00
Total Mission	\$ 192,959.43	\$ 142,625.86	\$ 188,960.00	\$ 193,742.00
Guiding Council				
522010 Council Expenses	\$ 388.82	\$ 57.40	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00
522024 Administrative Commissions	\$ 965.51	\$ 232.71	\$ 500.00	\$ 2,000.00
522025 Presbytery Meetings*	\$ 8,583.23	\$ 694.99	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 6,000.00
522027 Presbytery Functions*	\$ 2,990.94	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00
522029 Gifts and Memorials	\$ 873.00	\$ 376.19	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00
522040 Communications Admin (+3% COLA)	\$ 10,197.00	\$ 7,854.21	\$ 10,472.00	\$ 10,786.00
522042 Communication Services Mileage	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00
522043 Youth Coordinator (Contracted)*	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 6,000.00	\$ -
522045 General Assembly Expenses	\$ 3,979.55	\$ -	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 2,500.00
522046 Moderators' Conference*	\$ 820.57	\$ 519.37	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,500.00
522047 Synod Commissioner Training*	\$ -	\$ 500.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
Total Guiding Council	\$ 28,798.62	\$ 11,234.87	\$ 31,972.00	\$ 27,786.00
Presbytery Office Expenses				
521020 Electricity	\$ 4,629.05	\$ 3,502.36	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
521030 Water & Sewer	\$ 204.38	\$ 166.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00
521040 Nextiva	\$ 1,676.94	\$ 1,115.85	\$ 1,670.00	\$ 1,670.00
521041 Cellular Phone	\$ 2,288.69	\$ 1,850.00	\$ 1,800.00	\$ 3,000.00

521042 Copier (Internet Services)	\$ 1,673.26	\$ 1,296.33	\$ 1,600.00	\$ 1,600.00
521050 Office Supplies	\$ 1,700.08	\$ 2,171.40	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 2,000.00
521060 Staff Travel*	\$ 491.33	\$ 236.18	\$ 750.00	\$ 750.00
521070 Equipment Purchases	\$ 532.88	\$ 1,387.16	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00
521080 Computer & Tech (Service & Maintenance)	\$ 12,212.05	\$ 10,903.76	\$ 11,500.00	\$ 11,500.00
521090 Postage	\$ -	\$ 146.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00
521100 Property Insurance	\$ 6,138.00	\$ 3,969.00	\$ 8,000.00	\$ 8,000.00
521130 Audit (full every 3 yrs)	\$ 8,500.00	\$ 4,450.00	\$ 8,000.00	\$ 8,000.00
521140 Conferences and Training*	\$ 6,281.79	\$ 1,771.18	\$ 7,500.00	\$ 7,500.00
521142 Coaching	\$ 1,800.00	\$ 750.00	\$ 1,800.00	\$ 1,800.00
521300 Constant Contact Subscription	\$ 474.72	\$ -	\$ 400.00	\$ 400.00
521400 Miscellaneous	\$ 193.20	\$ 334.85	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00
521402 Bank Analysis Charges	\$ 113.00	\$ 152.95	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00
522600 Property Maintenance	\$ 4,344.67	\$ 3,839.86	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 2,500.00
Total Presbytery Office Expenses	\$ 53,254.04	\$ 38,042.88	\$ 53,620.00	\$ 55,320.00
Committee on Rep. and Nom. (CORN)				
522100 Committee Expenses	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00
522110 Travel Expenses	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Total CORN	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00
Permanent Judicial Commission (PJC)				
522700 Commission Expenses	\$ 280.14	\$ -	\$ 400.00	\$ 400.00
522710 Travel Expenses	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00
Total PJC	\$ 280.14	\$ -	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00
Committee on Ministry (COM)				
523010 Committee Expenses	\$ 522.96	\$ -	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00
523020 Travel Expenses	\$ 143.38	\$ -	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00
523030 Shared Grants*	\$ -	\$ 34.22	\$ 500.00	\$ 2,000.00
523040 School of Theology*	\$ 203.23	\$ -	\$ 1,500.00	
523044 Fall Ministers' Retreat*	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 250.00	\$ 250.00
523046 Coaching for Pastoral Leaders*	\$ 800.00	\$ -	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
523048 Cluster Lunches*	\$ 4,071.03	\$ 4,134.17	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
523049 Training and Workshops*	\$ 1,207.04	\$ 2,041.76	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
523052 EP Visitation*	\$ 1,805.68	\$ 718.04	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,500.00
523053 APC&F Visitation*	\$ 989.26	\$ 331.94	\$ 750.00	\$ 500.00
523054 Background Checks*	\$ 325.84	\$ 393.13	\$ 250.00	\$ 400.00
523055 ACOM Mileage*				\$ 500.00
523056 Events and Gatherings*	\$ 4,636.98	\$ 4,602.77	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 6,000.00
523057 Commission Pastors' Scholarship*	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
523058 Children/Youth M&M(Mission & Ministry)*	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00
Total COM	\$ 14,705.40	\$ 12,256.03	\$ 27,950.00	\$ 28,350.00
Committee on Preparation for Ministry (CPM)				
523810 Committee Expenses	\$ 1,303.82	\$ 17.88	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00
523820 Travel Expenses	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00
523830 Annual Consultations	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00
523840 Consultations	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00
523845 Scholarships for Candidates#	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,600.00	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 3,000.00
523850 Extraordinary Grants*	\$ 445.00	\$ 441.75	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,500.00
523860 Psychological Testing*	\$ 2,474.35	\$ -	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00
523865 Scholarships Commission Pastor Applicants#	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00

523870 School of Theology*	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,500.00
523875 Background Checks*				\$ 400.00
Total CPM	\$ 7,223.17	\$ 4,059.63	\$ 19,400.00	\$ 19,300.00
Cultivation & Empowerment Comm. (CEC)				
522900 Committee Expenses	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00
522910 Congregational Grants+	\$ 2,501.14	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 20,000.00
522930 Leader Scholarships+	\$ 700.00	\$ 6,600.00	\$ 15,000.00	\$ 10,000.00
522950 Events*	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 2,500.00
522960 Resources*	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 2,500.00
Total CEC	\$ 3,201.14	\$ 11,600.00	\$ 49,000.00	\$ 35,500.00
Personnel & Finance (P&F)				
527010 Committee Expenses	\$ 575.00	\$ 645.64	\$ 750.00	\$ 1,000.00
527020 Travel Expenses	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Total P&F	\$ 575.00	\$ 645.64	\$ 750.00	\$ 1,000.00
Self Development of People Committee (SDOP)				
528010 Committee Expenses	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00
528020 Travel Expenses	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00
Total SDOP	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00
Presbytery Disaster Asst. Commission (PDAC)				
529010 Commission Expenses	\$ 360.07	\$ -	\$ 400.00	\$ 400.00
529020 Travel Expenses	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00
Total PDAC	\$ 360.07	\$ -	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00
Salaries & Benefits (+2.7% COLA to Salaries)				
Executive Presbyter and Stated Clerk				
530010 Salary & Housing (+3% COLA)	\$ 108,675.12	\$ 83,706.84	\$ 111,609.00	\$ 114,957.00
530020 Mileage/Cont. Ed/Prof. Expenses	\$ 8,500.00	\$ 8,231.79	\$ 8,500.00	\$ 8,500.00
530030 Board of Pensions	\$ 42,383.16	\$ 29,736.99	\$ 40,633.00	\$ 43,260.00
530040 SECA (7.65% of Salary & Housing)	\$ 8,314.08	\$ 6,403.50	\$ 8,538.00	\$ 8,794.00
Total EP and Stated Clerk	\$ 167,872.36	\$ 128,079.12	\$ 169,280.00	\$ 175,511.00
Associate for Pastoral Concerns and Fellowship (10 hrs./wk)				
530310 Salary & Housing (+3% COLA)	\$ 39,382.08	\$ 16,852.20	\$ 21,908.00	\$ 20,829.00
Total Associate for Pastoral Concerns & Fellowship	\$ 39,382.08	\$ 16,852.20	\$ 21,908.00	\$ 20,829.00
Associate for Committee on Ministry (10 hrs./wk)				
530310 Salary & Housing	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 20,829.00
Total Associate for Committee on Ministry	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 20,829.00
Financial Administrator (15 hrs./wk)				
530600 Salary (+3% COLA)	\$ 17,045.04	\$ 13,128.84	\$ 17,505.00	\$ 18,030.00
Total Financial Administrator	\$ 17,045.04	\$ 13,128.84	\$ 17,505.00	\$ 18,030.00
Office Administrator (32 hrs./wk)				
530700 Salary (+3% COLA)	\$ 37,833.12	\$ 32,752.00	\$ 38,854.00	\$ 40,020.00
530730 BOP/Major Medical (Member only) & D&D(+1%)	\$ 12,843.48	\$ 12,247.23	\$ 16,798.00	\$ 14,946.00
530740 Deferred Compensation	\$ 2,450.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 2,400.00	\$ 2,400.00
Total Office Administrator	\$ 53,126.60	\$ 45,999.23	\$ 58,052.00	\$ 57,366.00
Other Personnel Expenses				
530750 Employer Matching SS/Medicare	\$ 4,198.32	\$ 3,509.79	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 5,500.00
Total Other Personnel Expenses	\$ 4,198.32	\$ 3,509.79	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 5,500.00
Total Salaries & Benefits	\$ 281,624.40	\$ 207,569.18	\$ 271,745.00	\$ 298,065.00
Total Expenses	\$ 582,981.41	\$ 428,034.09	\$ 644,647.00	\$ 660,313.00
Net Total	\$ -	\$ (58,234.89)	\$ 10,208.00	\$ 169.00

G.I.V.E. Fund

Growth, Innovation, Vitality, and Evangelism Fund

New Harmony Presbytery

(Approved by the Guiding Council: 10/29/25)

Purpose

The G.I.V.E. Fund exists to assist and support the witness of New Harmony Presbytery and its congregations to the sovereign activity of God in the world, so that all congregations become communities of faith, hope, love, and witness. The fund provides resources for strategic investments that grow discipleship, innovate ministry approaches, enhance congregational vitality, and extend the church's mission in new and creative ways giving new life and purpose to funds that were once used for new church development.

The G.I.V.E Fund Alings with NHP's Mission and Goals

The G.I.V.E. Fund directly supports New Harmony Presbytery's mission:

- **Nurturing togetherness** through collaborative initiatives and resources that address 21st century challenges
- **Walking alongside pastoral leaders** by funding efforts that equip and encourage their faithfulness, growth, and creativity
- **Supporting racial equality, social justice, and diversity** in all forms of worship and ministry

The fund advances NHP's ministry goals by:

- Engaging in new and creative ministries as we live out of (not on) Presbyterian and Christian traditions
- Embracing and being empowered by our diversity through connecting congregations and communities
- Discovering, highlighting, celebrating, and utilizing the various resources in our midst to grow, innovate, revitalize, and extend the witness of the Presbytery and its congregations.

Principles

The G.I.V.E. Fund operates as an endowment, with ordinarily 5% of the fund balance available annually for distribution. This approach ensures the fund's sustainability and ongoing impact across generations while providing substantial resources for significant ministry initiatives.

Eligible Initiatives

The G.I.V.E. Fund may support initiatives in four key categories:

Growth Initiatives

Projects that grow communities of faith, hope, love, and witness by deepening discipleship, expanding participation, or strengthening spiritual formation.

Examples may include:

Discipleship & Formation

- Comprehensive faith formation programs for youth and adults
- Small group ministry infrastructure (curriculum, leader training, coordination)

- Intergenerational programming that connects age groups in shared ministry
- New member incorporation pathways with mentoring and spiritual gift discernment

Targeted Outreach

- Young adult and young family ministries
- Bilingual or multicultural ministry development
- Digital discipleship strategies for online community building and faith formation
- Community listening projects that lead to relationship-building and invitation

Strategic Partnerships

- Joint ministry ventures with neighboring congregations to reach new populations
- Partnerships with schools, community organizations, or businesses that create natural connection points

Innovation Initiatives

New and creative ministries that live out our Presbyterian witness in our contemporary context while addressing contemporary challenges and opportunities.

Examples may include:

Fresh Expressions of Church

- Dinner church models (worship around shared meals)
- Outdoor or nature-based worship communities
- Jazz vespers, contemplative services, or other alternative worship formats
- Micro-churches or house church networks
- "Church on Tap" or cafe-based faith communities

Creative Use of Resources

- Reimagining building use (community co-working spaces, after-school programs, farmer's markets)
- Shared or collaborative staffing models between congregations
- Bi-vocational ministry models that connect pastors to community contexts
- Social enterprise ministries (coffee shops, thrift stores, community kitchens)

Digital Innovation

- Hybrid worship excellence (intentional online community, not just streaming)
- Virtual small groups, classes, and fellowship
- Podcast or digital content creation for faith formation
- Online giving and engagement platforms that lower barriers

Experimental Ministry

- Ministry prototyping with permission to fail and learn
- Pop-up worship experiences in public spaces
- Arts-based ministry and community engagement

Vitality Initiatives

Multi-year strategies that renew congregational energy, embrace diversity, promote justice, or build capacity for sustained ministry and witness.

Examples may include:

Organizational Health

- Strategic planning and congregational visioning processes

- Conflict transformation and mediation support
- Transitional ministry consultation for congregations in pastoral transitions
- Financial sustainability planning and stewardship renewal

Pastoral Care & Renewal

- Programs addressing clergy burnout and resilience
- Peer learning cohorts for pastors
- Spiritual direction and sabbatical support for ministry leaders

Worship Renewal

- Music and worship arts investments (equipment, musicians, training)
- Liturgical education and worship planning resources
- Preaching excellence workshops

Justice & Equity Work

- Anti-racism training and implementation (Facing Systemic Racism, Sacred Conversations on Race)
- LGBTQ+ inclusion processes (More Light, Covenant Network resources)
- Accessibility audits and improvements for full inclusion

Evangelism Initiatives

Extending the witness of the church by being bearers of good news particularly to vulnerable, under-served, and excluded areas or populations through means other than new church planting and construction.

Examples may include:

Community-Engaged Ministry

- Food security partnerships (community gardens, food pantries, community kitchens)
- Affordable housing advocacy and development partnerships
- Health ministry collaborations (parish nurses, mental health first aid, health fairs)
- Educational partnerships (tutoring, literacy programs, GED preparation)

Justice & Advocacy

- Living wage and economic justice campaigns
- Environmental justice and creation care ministries
- Immigration accompaniment and advocacy
- Gun violence prevention initiatives
- Maternal health and reproductive justice education

Ministry with Marginalized Populations

- Prison and jail ministry (reentry support, family ministry)
- Ministry with those experiencing homelessness (shelter partnerships, street outreach)
- Refugee resettlement partnership and welcome
- Ministry with those experiencing addiction (recovery groups, harm reduction)

Ecumenical & Interfaith Collaboration

- Shared ministry in rural areas or where multiple small congregations exist

Geographic Extension

- Satellite worship or ministry sites in underserved areas
- Ministry in non-traditional locations (apartment complexes, community centers, parks)
- Regional ministries serving clusters of rural congregations

Alternative Models

- Chaplaincy in non-traditional settings (workplaces, public schools, hospitals)
- Community organizing training and participation
- Social enterprise that combines mission and sustainability

Distinction from CEC Grants

While the Cultivation and Empowerment Committee provides grants for specific congregation-initiated projects with defined scopes and timelines, the G.I.V.E. Fund supports:

- **Strategic, transformational initiatives** rather than individual projects
- **Multi-year investments** requiring sustained funding beyond annual grant cycles
- **Larger-scale efforts** that may exceed CEC grant limits
- **Capacity-building and systemic change** that creates lasting organizational, ministry, or justice infrastructure

CEC grants empower congregations to experiment with specific ministry projects; G.I.V.E. Fund investments create the conditions for sustained growth, innovation, vitality, and extension across the presbytery.

Eligible Recipients

G.I.V.E. Fund recipients may include:

- New Harmony Presbytery itself for presbytery-wide initiatives, including engaging part-time consultants as a resource to work on developing new worshiping communities and new outreach/transformation efforts within current congregations. Consultants to implement Anti-racism training, LGBTQ+ inclusion training, as well as justice and advocacy training for work with marginalized groups can also be included in these initiatives.
- Individual congregations pursuing transformational change
- Clusters of congregations working collaboratively
- New Worshipping Communities
- Partnerships between NHP congregations and community organizations advancing shared mission

Application and Accountability

Proposals should demonstrate:

- Strategic approach to growing faith communities or extending witness
- Emphasis on creativity, diversity, justice, or collaborative resource-sharing
- Defined goals with measurable outcomes
- Plan for sustainability beyond initial funding
- Potential for significant, lasting impact

The **G.I.V.E. Fund** shall be administered by [the Guiding Council/appropriate committee], which will develop detailed application guidelines, evaluate proposals, approve funding, and monitor outcomes. Recipients will be required to provide regular progress reports and final evaluations demonstrating faithful stewardship and results.

ASSOCIATE FOR COMMITTEE ON MINISTRY

(Guiding Council approved: P&F draft October 27, 2025)

PURPOSE: To assist and support to the Executive Presbyter and Stated Clerk (EP&SC) of New Harmony Presbytery (NHP) in matters involving Committee on Ministry (COM) responsibilities.

ACCOUNTABILITY: The Associate for Committee on Ministry (ACOM) is directly accountable to the EP&SC and to NHP through its Personnel and Finance Committee.

RELATIONSHIPS: Relates to the COM, the minister members, pastoral leaders, Sessions, and staff of NHP.

RESPONSIBILITIES: In collaboration with the EP&SC, the ACOM will be responsible for:

A. COM Staff Support, particularly in the following ways:

1. Attend COM meetings.
2. Collaborate with the COM Moderator and EP&SC in the development of the COM agenda.
3. Equip, assist and support the COM liaisons in their work with congregations and their pastoral leaders.
4. Provide staff support to Administrative Commissions when directed by the EP&SC.
5. Assist and support the ministry of the Presbyter for Pastoral Concerns and Fellowship by making them aware of relevant issues and collaborating in shared ministry.

B. Life and Mission of the Presbytery:

1. Advocate for the mission and ministry of NHP to its congregations and their pastoral and congregational leaders.
2. Attend NHP Gatherings and meetings
3. Pray intentionally and fervently for the NHP, its minister members and pastoral leaders.

C. Perform other tasks as time allows and assigned by EP&SC.

EXPERIENCE/SKILLS/QUALIFICATIONS:

- A strong and growing faith in God in Jesus Christ and grounded in a keen understanding, acceptance and practice of Reformed theology and Presbyterian polity.
- A Teaching Elder/Minister of Word and Sacrament in Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.).

- Be practiced at and delight in collaborative and collegial leadership.
- Demonstrated ability to relate to diverse of theological perspectives, cultures, races, ethnicities, ages, and socio-economic levels and to move comfortably between and within them and ability to work with a variety of personalities.
- Good administrative, organizational, and communication skills, both verbal and written, and ability to be self-motivated, meet established deadlines and move easily between projects and tasks.
- Ability to maintain discretion and confidentiality.
- Good work ethic as well as the ability to balance life and work.

TYPE: Part-time (approximately 10 hours/week), exempt/salaried position.

TERMS/COMPENSATION/BENEFITS: Determined by the Guiding Council through the Personnel and Finance Committee, ordinarily on an annual basis which includes an annual review of performance; **specifically**, this position has the following benefits:

1. A cash salary will be paid twice a month by direct deposit with standard payroll deductions.
2. Optional participation, at the employee's expense, in the Board of Pensions of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A) 403B plan, currently through Fidelity Investments; and
3. Reimbursement of work-related expenses (\$50/month cell phone) and travel using the current IRS rate.
4. This agreement may be changed as mutually agreed upon.

NOTICE: The employment relationship may be concluded by either party with no less than a 30-day notice, except that the Personnel and Finance Committee, in consultation with the EP&SC, may terminate for cause without such notice.

Rev. Joel Long, Associate for Committee on Ministry

Date

Rev. Gavin D. Meek, Executive Presbyter and Stated Clerk

Date



Rev. Joel Long

Minister of Word and Sacrament

Honorably Retired Teaching Elder
Member of Salem Presbytery

Formal Education:

BA, Lenoir Rhyne University, Hickory, NC
M.Div., Columbia Theological Seminary, PCUSA

Certification: Interim/Transitional Ministry Week 1 and 2

Continuing Education: Stewardship, Conflict Mediation, Interim/Transitional Training

Work Experience:

First, Quitman, Georgia, Solo Pastor, 125, 3 years
Mulberry, Charlotte, NC, Solo Pastor, 400, 5 years
Sharon, Charlotte, NC, Head of Staff (supervised 1 Teaching Elder and staff), 1,050, 2 years
Carolina Freight Carriers, Cherryville, NC, Corporate Chaplain, 11,000 employees, 5 years
First, Eden, NC, Head of Staff (Supervised several staff members), 650, 15 years

Interim/Transitional Ministry:

Fellowship, Greensboro, NC, Interim, Head of Staff, 250, 2 years
First, Boone, NC, Interim, Head of staff, 400, 2 years
Acting General Presbyter, Salem Presbytery, 3 months
New Philadelphia Moravian, Winston-Salem, NC, Interim Associate Pastor, 1,100, 6 months
Alamance, Greensboro, NC, Interim, Head of Staff, 500, 2 years
Sinking Spring, Abingdon, Virginia, Interim, Head of Staff, 250, 2 years

Congregations Served in New Harmony Presbytery:

First, Sumter, SC, Bridge Interim Pastor, 400, 6 months
Trinity, Surfside Beach, SC, Parish Associate for Pastoral Care, 125, 4 Years (actively serving)
Georgetown Presbyterian, Georgetown, SC, Transitional Pastor/Head of Staff, 400, 11/23-9/25

Service to the Church:

Commissioner, General Assembly
Committee/Commission on Ministry, Salem Presbytery
Administrative Commissions
COM Liaison to Pastor Nominating Committees
Acting General Presbyter, Salem Presbytery

COMMITTEE ON REPRESENTATION AND NOMINATIONS REPORT

The Presbytery of New Harmony – November 11, 2025

Rev. Rodney Foster, Moderator

The CORN nominates the following to be elected (* denotes 2nd term):

PRESBYTERY MODERATOR – James Wilson, RE, Melina, Gable

PRESBYTERY MODERATOR-ELECT – Cecilia Evans, RE, Celebration, Carolina Forrest

GUIDING COUNCIL – At-large, Class of 2028 – Avery Dickson, RE, First, Cheraw

CULTIVATION AND EMPOWERMENT COMMITTEE (CEC)

Moderator 2026 – Jody Foster, TE, Wedgefield

Class of 2028 – Debbie Barrett, John Calvin, Florence

Eva Ruth, TE, At-large

Flury Wilson, Friendship, New Zion

Class of 2027 Vacancy – Jake McFadden, RE, Melina, Gable

PERSONNEL AND FINANCE COMMITTEE (P&F)

Moderator 2026 – Carnell Hampton, TE, Honorably Retired, Ebenezer and Friendship

Class of 2028 – Judy Cettei, TE, Honorably Retired

Areatha Clark, RE, Westminster, Alcolu

Stephanie Hagerty, RE, Wedgefield

COMMITTEE ON MINISTRY (COM)

Moderator 2026 – Tom Langston, TE, Honorably Retired and Lake City

Class of 2028 – *Robert Bannan, TE, Kingston, Conway

*Sheryl Davis, RE, Westminster, Alcolu

Lou Easterling, RE, Williamsburg, Kingstree

*Hal Stuckey, RE, Indiantown

COMMITTEE ON PREPARATION FOR MINISTRY (CPM)

Moderator 2026 – Frances Dennis, RE Kingston, Conway

Class of 2028 – Pete Brezenski, TE, Murrells Inlet

Mike Fleenor, TE, Honorably Retired

Nathan See, TE, First, Myrtle Beach

Connie Shearin, RE, John Calvin, Florence

PERMANENT JUDICIAL COMMISSION (PJC – 6 yr. terms)

Class of 2026 Vacancy – Jody Foster, TE, Wedgefield

COMMISSIONER TO THE SYNOD OF SOUTH ATLANTIC

Class of 2027 – *Ella Busby, TE, NHP Associate Presbyter and Second and Melina

SC INN BOARD at MONTREAT Class of 2028 – *Linda Jackson, RE, Melina, Gable

227th GENERAL ASSEMBLY (2026) (Adopted amendment gives NHP two REs and TEs)

Ruling Elder Commissioner – James Wilson, 2026 NHP Moderator and Melina, Gable

Teaching Elder Commissioner – Tom Langston, Honorably Retired and Lake City

Committee on Ministry (COM) Report

NHP Stated Meeting – November 11, 2025

Elder Avery Dickson, Moderator

Recommendations: None

Between meetings, COM approved by Unanimous Consent

1. Approved the appointment of TE Frank Colclough, RE Margaret Cooper, RE Ellaree Hampton, TE Stewart Rawson, and RE Johnny Raffield (Mod) to the Salem Black River Administrative Commission.

COM met by ZOOM September 23, September 29, and October 28, 2025, and took the following action, using its commission authority approved by New Harmony Presbytery.

1. Approved an Administrative Commission for the Fork Presbyterian Church consisting of TE Robert Bannan, Commissioned Pastor Bob Henry (Mod.), TE Jen Kottler, RE James David Lane (Clerk of Session), and RE Janice Rosier.
2. Approved TE Don McCann to serve as Moderator of Session for Marion Presbyterian Church.
3. Approved the Bridge Interim Covenant between TE Rhett Talbert and Georgetown Presbyterian Church from October 1 until the new Pastor arrives..
4. Offered blessing to First Presbyterian Church, Hartsville, in their plans to hire a person to fill a non-ordained position.
5. Approved the call and membership in NHP for the Rev. Chris Weichman as the Pastor of Georgetown Presbyterian Church including the terms of call and the start date of December 1st. (Adjusted the start date at the October COM meeting to December 8.)
6. Approved of TE Tom Langston, RE Janice Smith, RE Hal Stuckey, RE Mary Terwiske, and TE Gavin Meek to review installed pastors' terms of call in 2026.
7. Approved the request from Summerton Presbyterian Church to cover 50% of the cost of engaging Cyclical Full Circle.
8. Approved a team of TE Robert Bannan, RE Sheryl Davis, RE Hal Stuckey, RE Mary Terwiske, and TE Gavin Meek to review 2026 Supply Pastor and Commissioned Pastor Covenants.

COM received reports from

1. Administrative Commissions for Hebron Presbyterian Church, New Harvest Presbyterian Church, Timmonsville Presbyterian Church Fraser Memorial Presbyterian Church and the Marion Presbyterian Church Discernment Team. (Refused to act on a request to exempt Marion Presbyterian Church from portions of the Discernment Process since the request did not come from the Session.)
2. Carolina Presbyterian Church – concerning the return of an elder to the session.
3. Kentyre Presbyterian Church – updating their situation about pulpit supply and session meetings.
4. First Presbyterian Church, Hartsville – concerning their search for an additional staff person.
5. Larger Parishes of Goodwill-Congruity; Melina-Second, Sumter; and Friendship-Harmony-Westminster and their progress toward shared ministry.
6. In addition to the actions listed above

COM continues to

1. Monitor efforts to form Larger Parishes.
2. Assisted churches in transitions.
3. Monitored the progress of Administrative Commissions and the Marion Discernment Process.
4. Monitored the need for a conflict response team.

Faith Journey

Rev. Chris Weichman

I was born in Evanston, IL and moved to Pittsburgh, PA at the age of four. I grew up with three younger sisters. I did not grow up in a Christian family. My mother was raised Catholic and attend parochial school; my father had no faith background.

My youngest sister began attending a youth group at a Presbyterian church. One evening she returned from youth group and announced to the family, "We need to go to church." We attend four or five times a year. It wasn't until I went to Westminster College that I became interested in church, the Bible, and faith. I was invited to Sunday evening vesper services and was greatly encouraged by Rev. Wayne Nickerson, Dean of the Chapel. His messages connected the gospel to real life. Through the chapel office I began volunteering with our Habitat for Humanity student group. This helped me grasp faith not just as an intellectual exercise, but as something that is lived out. When I was twenty-one, I was baptized and joined the church.

My faith has always been connected to mission. After a brief stint with Dun & Bradstreet after graduation I began to volunteer with a Christian housing Ministry called Hosanna Industries in Pittsburgh. Hosanna specializes in home repairs for families in need. Eventually they offered me a full-time position. It was during my time at Hosanna Industries that I felt a call to ministry. After a long season of prayer and discernment I enrolled at Pittsburgh Theological Seminary. In seminary I was discerning if I was being called to the mission field or to the pastorate, so between my middle and senior year I spent ten months in Berlin Germany working with Kurdish refugees from Iraq and Turkey. My senior year I committed to pursue pastoral ministry. I was ordained in June 1998. I am grateful God has graced me with this call.

I have been blessed to serve in churches with a strong missional identity. My current church is First Presbyterian Church of the Covenant in Erie, PA. As a downtown church we are very active in our neighborhood, with an outreach to Gannon University students and a vibrant ministry with the unhoused and families that struggle to make ends meet. This ministry has had a powerful impact on me and the church. We now advocate for our neighbors and friends who work to find stability for themselves and their families. We strive to be a place of welcome for our neighborhood.

I enjoy serving the church in various ways. I have served as the moderator of Shenango Presbytery and as a presbytery representative to the Synod of the Trinity. I am currently serving on the board of directors for The Outreach Foundation and as a Trustee at Pittsburgh Theological Seminary.

I have been married to my wife Karen for twenty-six years. We have two daughters, Emma and her husband live in Charlotte, NC and Noelle will be graduating in December from Clarion University with a degree in psychology and early childhood intervention.

Statement of Faith

Rev. Chris Weichman

I believe in the Triune God – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. There is only one living and true God, the author of creation, who was before the foundations of the world. In scripture, prayer, and worship the living God encounters human beings. God desires to be in relationship with us and in grace covenants with us strengthening the bonds of relationship and reconciliation.

I believe in the sufficiency of God's grace. In the fullness of time God sent Jesus Christ into the world, to bear the sins of the world and to reconcile the world to himself. In his life and on the cross Jesus made atonement for our sins. As Jesus is one with God it was impossible for him to be defeated by death. Jesus rose from the dead and ascended to heaven. It is as true God and true flesh that Jesus acts as our mediator and intercessor at the right hand of God. Just as Jesus ascended so he shall come again in the fullness of time. At his coming the dead will be raised and the creation will be renewed and restored.

Our faith comes from the Holy Spirit through the proclamation of the gospel. It is the Holy Spirit which at Pentecost gave birth to the church. The Holy Spirit dwells within us and among us and unites us with Christ. Faith is our God given response to the gospel whereby we come to trust God. We come to know scripture as the word of God by the testimony of the Holy Spirit moving our hearts and minds to be transformed more and more into the image of Christ. The Holy Spirit unites us with Christ, elicits our faith, and makes us alive to the presence of God in the sacraments.

It is through the sacraments that we are marked as believers and empowered for mission in the world. Baptism is a symbol of our participation in Christ's death and resurrection. We are engrafted into Christ and become united with him. We have died to the old and are raised in newness of life. Through baptism we are not only united with Christ but to believers past and present. In baptism we are called to live lives of faithfulness and discipleship. Baptism is a sign of God's enduring grace; though we may falter God's grace endures.

The celebration of the Lord's Supper is a celebration in the presence of Christ. We give thanks for God's presence and work in the world, and anticipate the fulfillment of the Kingdom. In the Lord's Supper we declare of faith in Christ and remember his life, death, and resurrection. It is a communion with the risen Lord and with other Christians in the body of Christ. In the breaking of the bread and pour out of the cup we are fed spiritually by faith, and are renewed by the presence of Christ for mission in the world.

By the gift of faith we are called to serve the world. We are to proclaim the gospel boldly in the struggle against injustice, poverty, and evil. God has given the church a special calling, to speak about the hope of the good news in Jesus Christ.

Committee on Preparation for Ministry (CPM) Report

The Presbytery of New Harmony – November, 2025

Josie Holler, Moderator

The committee faithfully and prayerfully engages in its role and responsibility on behalf of the Church and the Presbytery of New Harmony in accompanying and supervising the faithful individuals under its care.

For Information:

Inquirers:

Ray Dobell, (Kingston Presbyterian Church, Conway) Union Seminary in Charlotte, and TE Lamar Helms serves as liaison.

Darren Wilson (Friendship Presbyterian Church, New Zion) graduate of Union Presbyterian Seminary in Charlotte, North Carolina, and TE Jim Burton serves as liaison.

Candidate:

Holly Bannan, (Kingston Presbyterian Church, Conway) Union Seminary in Charlotte, and RE Cathy Chapman serves as liaison.

Randolph Green (Congruity Presbyterian Church, Gable). Graduate of ITC with Reformed Theology, Polity and language requirements completed at Union Presbyterian Seminary in Charlotte, North Carolina, and CP Elijah Washington serves as liaison.

Cate Henderson Jobe, (First Presbyterian, Hartsville) Union Seminary, Richmond TE Josie Holler serves as liaison.

Naomi McQuiller (Second Presbyterian Church, Sumter) Columbia Theological Seminary, Decatur, Georgia and CP Delcia Harper Baxter serves as liaison.

Flury Wilson (Friendship Presbyterian Church, New Zion) graduate of Union Presbyterian Seminary in Charlotte, North Carolina, and TE Frank Colclough serves as liaison.

Other Information:

CPM continues to meet with our seminarians to conduct annual consultations aimed at reviewing their progress both academically and spiritually.

CPM is supervising Commissioned Pastor training in addition to supervision of seminary students. All people on track for CP have been notified of changes in the process and will be meeting with CPM in the coming year.

Fork Administrative Commission Report

The Presbytery of New Harmony – November 11, 2025

BACKGROUND: The congregation has dwindled to only a few active and regular members and attenders, with little remaining financial resources. One of the three Session members has not been attending for many months and another has moved out of state to be near children. There are only a few possible replacements and many of them are immediate family members of the remaining Session member, who serves as Clerk, Treasurer, and groundskeeper. The Commissioned Pastor Henry believes the time has come to discuss with the congregation dissolution and he believes the remaining elder agrees.

Thus, at the unanimous request of the Committee on Ministry, the Guiding Council established an Administrative Commission (AC) for Fork Presbyterian Church (FPC) with Original Jurisdiction (G-3.0303e) with the following persons and responsibilities:

- **Commissioned Pastor Bob Henry** (AC Moderator) Commissioned Pastor for Fork Presbyterian Church (FPC) and Cultivation and Empowerment Committee member;
- **Rev. Robert Bannan:** Pastor, Kingston PC, Conway; Committee on Ministry member and FPC COM Liaison;
- **Rev. Jen Kottler,** Supply Pastor at John Calvin and Committee on Ministry member;
- **Elder James David Lane:** Clerk of Session, Fork PC
- **Elder Janice Rosier:** First PC, Bennettsville
- **Rev. Gavin Meek:** EP & SC, ex. officio with voice, no vote.

The AC for Fork Presbyterian Church shall have the following responsibilities:

1. to assume original jurisdiction (G-3.0303e) for Fork, if and when the Session of three decreases to two or one;
2. to dissolve the congregation after ascertaining that it is no longer viable, preferably at its request;
3. to arrange for the pastoral care of the members;
4. to publicize the dissolution of the congregation;
5. to ascertain the financial status and outstanding financial obligations of the congregation;
6. to secure the Session records;
7. to secure the legal rights to all property (real or personal) held by or for the benefit of the congregation;
8. to dispose of the moveable personal property of the congregation;
9. to secure the building and property;
10. to deal with matters of insurance;
11. to dispose of the building and grounds (subject to any guidelines established by NHP or the Guiding Council) or convey the building and grounds to the corporation of the Presbytery of New Harmony Inc. of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.);
12. to recommend to NHP the use of any part of the assets of the congregation;
13. to plan and conduct a closing worship service celebrating the life and ministry of the congregation; and
14. to secure the assistance of other individuals, as appropriate, to assist with this effort, and to do such things and take such actions, for, in the name of, and on behalf of NHP as shall be necessary to accomplish the general purpose of this resolution.

As is now standard practice in NHP, this AC, its commission and work, will be reviewed annually by the COM.

Fraser Administrative Commission Report
The Presbytery of New Harmony – November 11, 2025
Commissioned Pastor Chuck Staggs, Moderator

Elder Margaret Joyner – Clerk
Rev. Dr. Stewart Rawson, Elder Hal Stuckey, Elder Lisa Cooper
Rev. Gavin D. Meek, Stated Clerk and Ex-Officio

Chuck Staggs (moderator): Commissioned Pastor for Fraser Memorial and Swan Lake PCs in Sumter, S.C., former member of COM

Elder Margaret Joyner: (Clerk) Clerk of Session at Fraser Memorial PC

Rev. Dr. Stewart Rawson: Minister at First Presbyterian Church in Sumter, S.C.

Elder Hal Stuckey: Liaison from NHP to Fraser Memorial PC, Sumter, S.C.

Elder Lisa Cooper: Elder at Second Presbyterian Church, Sumter, S.C.

The Fraser Administrative Committee has met four times since our last report. The church grounds and have been prepared for the closing service on November 8, 2025 – service from 11:00 A.M. to 12:30 with a meal to follow. Also, as determined in an earlier meeting the antique curio cabinet, containing pictures and information denoting the history of Fraser church and two large tables all given to the church by the Claudia Fraser Family would be shipped to First Presbyterian Church, Sumter, S.C. to be displayed in their Archive room. There are some other designated pieces that will be given to certain members of the church family. Fraser Church was a mission church started out of First Presbyterian in the 1950's.

The AC reviewed Fraser Church' financial Statements – it is determined that Fraser funds of \$14,115.75 would be adequate to cover the expenses of the church and closing service, balance after church closing will be transferred to Presbytery. The church has been appraised at \$268,000.00. The sales price of the church was discussed. Ean Geddi Ministries made an offer of \$274,000.00 for the Fraser Church and property and has been accepted by the Fraser Administrative Committee with an approximate closing on December 1, 2025. The congregation of Fraser Memorial Presbyterian Church requested that 15% of the proceeds of the sale be donated to Sumter United Ministries and 10% be given to Sumter Christian Charities with the balance going to Presbytery to be used in the Small Church Support/Redevelopment Fund and other places to be determined. The Fraser AC approved a motion to suggest these amounts to the Guiding Council.

Given the amount of the anticipated donation to Sumter United Ministries, Gavin Meek suggested contacting this ministry about having the donation recognized in a special way as coming from Fraser Memorial Presbyterian Church. A meeting will be held with Mark Champagne, Director of Sumter United Ministries, on November 3, 2025.

Respectfully submitted by Moderator: Commissioned Pastor Chuck Staggs.

Hebron Administrative Commission Report

The Presbytery of New Harmony – November 11, 2025

Rev. Jody Foster & Commissioned Pastor Chuck Staggs, Co-Moderators

Elder Dorothy McBride, Clerk; Rev. Carnell Hampton; Elder David Holler

Rev. Gavin Meek, NHP Stated Clerk and E-Officio

The Hebron Administrative Commission reports to the Presbytery we believe we have made great progress getting to know the Hebron families and friends, and understanding their desires for themselves and the property.

The actual Hebron congregation has been lost to time, even before COVID. Leadership dwindled, and with it, the possibility of forming a Session.

In the past year, friends of Hebron have made improvements at Hebron and added a storage building to the property. The sanctuary and fellowship buildings have been used well in this past quarter: Friends of Hebron have gathered for weekly Bible study led by Rob DuBose. The sanctuary has been in use for a wedding and a community gospel concert. The buildings also have been opened for several funerals (burials) on the grounds. Sunday Lord's Day worship has not been held.

We are reviewing 1918 documents that appear to indicate a separate incorporation of the Hebron Cemetery, under a Board of Trustees. There is a separate cemetery fund administered by the remaining trustees. The Commission itself receives financial reports of the general fund from its appointed treasurer, Will Fraser, a friend of Hebron and member of First PC, Sumter. We are regularly sharing prayers and concerns with the Hebron families. Together we are working towards an outcome and future that protects holy ground and nurtures the faith of all the Lord's people, within Presbytery and beyond, to the glory of GOD.

New Harvest Administrative Commission Report

The Presbytery of New Harmony – November 11, 2025

Elder Sheryl Davis, Moderator, Rev. Dr. Christa Brewer, Clerk

Elder Janice Smith, Elder Tom Hoffmeyer, Commissioned Pastor Marshall Ivey

Rev. Gavin D. Meek, Ex-Officio

The New Harvest Administrative Commission has prayerfully walked, first with the session and then with the congregation to provide prayer and support. The AC has adopted the following motions unanimously:

1. to empower Tom Hoffmeyer to do the work of getting bids for the HVAC and to bring that information back to the AC before authorizing the work;
2. to direct the treasurer to pay supply pastors a full check of \$150 plus mileage for each Sunday to lead worship;
3. to create a membership list of those people who have previously joined the church and have participated in the life of the church or given at least \$1 to the church since Easter 2022;
4. to approve the membership roll for New Harvest; and
5. to call a congregational meeting of active members of New Harvest Presbyterian Church on November 16, 2025 at 3:00 p.m. in New Harvest's Sanctuary in order to hear from them their opinion about the proposal to dissolve the congregation. The Rev. Dr. Christa Brewer will moderate the meeting on behalf of the AC.

The Administrative Commission along with New Harvest's members, will continue working to discern together the church's future.

Respectfully submitted,

Elder Sheryl Davis, Moderator

Salem Black River Administrative Commission Report

The Presbytery of New Harmony – November 11, 2025

Elder Johnny Raffield, Co-Moderator
Rev. Dr. Stewart Rawson, Co-Moderator
Rev. Dr. Frank Colclough, Clerk
Elder Margaret Cooper and Elder Ellaree Hampton
Rev. Gavin Meek, Stated Clerk and Ex-Officio

At the request of the Committee on Ministry, the Guiding Council established an Administrative Commission (AC) for Salem Black River Presbyterian Church (SBR) with the following persons:

Elder Margaret Cooper, Manning
Elder Ellaree Hampton, Goodwill, Mayesville
Rev. Dr. Frank Colclough, Supply Pastor Harmony
Rev. Dr. Stewart Rawson, Pastor, First, Sumter
Elder Johnny Raffield, Swan Lake, Sumter
with Rev. Gavin Meek, Stated Clerk, Ex-Officio with voice, no vote

The AC shall have the following responsibilities

1. Pray for the Session and congregation of SBR, in particular for reconciliation;
2. Be committed to Jesus' directive, in the Sermon on the Mount, to resolve matters among believers prior to litigation and going to court (Matthew 5);
3. Contact the Session of SBR, appointing a new moderator when appropriate, to learn their concerns and issues that led to this situation and try to create a way forward that respects of their concerns and issues, abides by our Constitution, and honors our Lord Jesus Christ; and
4. Utilize whatever resources needed to accomplish this commission.

The AC has met four times by Zoom.

On September 28, the members of the AC worshiped at SBR. Following worship, the session received the AC with cake prior to meeting. The meeting began with introductions of all present. The AC expressed to the session that it wanted them to remain in the PCUSA with New Harmony Presbytery NHP. Discussion for a way forward to address all concerns was not achieved; however, making the face-to-face connection directly with the session did convey how important historically and contemporarily the SBR congregation has been as a strong supporter of NHP. Although no specific progress was made, just sitting down over refreshments was helpful.

On September 30, the AC appointed Rev. Dr. Frank Colclough, Rev. Dr. Stewart Rawson and Rev. Gavin Meek to meet with a representative selected by the SBR which occurred by Zoom on October 29. The focus of the meeting was to move forward in a way that is favorable and acceptable to both parties. The members of the AC felt the meeting was productive and positive. The SBR representative with meet with the session in order to work out a way to move forward.

Timmons ville Administrative Commission Report

The Presbytery of New Harmony – November 11, 2025

Commissioned Pastor Bob Henry, Moderator and Rev. Jen Kottler, Clerk

Ruling Elders Sheryl Jackson, Christie McLeod, Frances Pigate

Rev. Gavin D. Meek, Stated Clerk and Ex-Officio

The Administrative Commission (AC) consists of the following:

- **Commissioned Pastor Bob Henry** (moderator) Commissioned Pastor for TPC and Cultivation and Empowerment member;
- **Elder Sheryl Jackson**, Clerk at New Harvest and Guiding Council member;
- **Rev. Jen Kottler**, Supply Pastor at John Calvin and Committee on Ministry member & TPC COM liaison
- **Elder Christie McLeod**, former Clerk and PNC at First Cheraw, attorney;
- **Elder Frances Pigate**: long-time member of TPC and former Clerk.

The Timmons ville Administrative Commission began meeting regularly in August. The AC met on August 21, 27th and on September 15th and 29th in preparation for the closing worship service. The AC had been planning since the beginning of 2025 to hold the final worship service in December, but it became apparent that it was necessary to hold that service sooner, due to the poor health of the remaining members. The final worship service was held on Saturday, October 4, 2025 at 11am followed by a catered lunch by Shoney's in Hartsville. The AC has not met since that service, due to the illness and subsequent death of Pastor Bob Henry's brother in New York.

There are two entities that are interested in the building. After the final service, the locks were changed and keys held at the NHP office. The AC will meet soon to consider those offers. The membership of the remaining members will be transferred to the Presbytery, unless other requests have been made. The remaining members of TPC have requested that a tithe of the sale of the property be provided to Thornwell.

Respectfully submitted,

Rev. Jennifer Kottler, clerk

CULTIVATION & EMPOWERMENT COMMITTEE

The Presbytery of New Harmony - November 11, 2025

Rev. Jody P Foster, Moderator

Cultivation & Empowerment (CEC) was pleased to make awards this year to congregations and individuals, partnering with the leadership of our churches for material upgrades and mission enhancements.

As ever, we were pleased to grant presbytery funds for youth mission trips and assistance to church leaders for enrichment and cross-cultural experience.

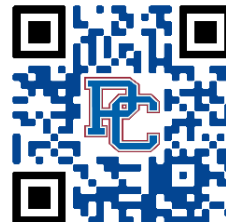
This year, “green grants” were especially active, as Sessions worked to upgrade their facilities with new lighting and other changes for safety and reducing operating costs.

CEC is grateful for the service of Elder Areatha Clark rotating off and Ruling Elders Myra Burrows and Penny Stokes-Hall, who completed their terms and are moving on. Thank you all for lending your time and talents beyond your “walls” for the sake of our entire presbytery.



EXECUTIVE CERTIFICATE IN RELIGIOUS FUNDRAISING (ECRF)

Presbyterian College is proud to partner with **the Lake Institute on Faith & Giving** at the **Lilly Family School of Philanthropy (Indiana University)** to offer the **Executive Certificate in Religious Fundraising (ECRF)**. The executive certificate program provides the research, tools, and customized training to meet the growing needs of leaders in religious communities and fundraisers of faith-based organizations. The focus of the ECRF is on the cultural, organizational, and philanthropic practices unique to religious institutions. These practices in turn enable donors motivated by spiritual and religious values to experience the joy of generous giving. **The next course will be hosted at Trinity Presbyterian Church in Atlanta, GA from May 11-13.** PC(USA) leaders can receive a Church Financial Leadership Grant through the Presbyterian Foundation to assist in attending the ECRF.



Scan QR Code to
register for the next
ECRF course

THRIVING IN MINISTRY CONFERENCE

As part of PC's **Ecology of Calling Initiative** (funded by a grant from the Lilly Endowment) we are excited to sponsor a conference for clergy and other church professionals entitled **Thriving in Ministry**. The conference will occur on our campus **April 27 & 28**. PC alumni will serve as the featured speakers. **There is no cost to attend the conference, and hotel expenses will be covered for the first 20 participants who register.**



Scan QR Code to
register for the Thriving
in Ministry Conference

THE PRESBYTERIAN PROMISE SCHOLARSHIP UPDATED AMOUNT! AN \$96,000 SCHOLARSHIP OVER 4 YEARS FOR PRESBYTERIANS

The Presbyterian Promise Scholarship is a commitment by Presbyterian College to recognize students for their merit and affiliation with the Presbyterian Church. PC seeks to develop students academically and spiritually in this signature scholarship. Students who are of members of Presbyterian churches, or who attend Presbyterian/Reformed secondary schools, will receive a scholarship for a minimum of **\$24,000 per year for up to four years**—that's a \$96,000 commitment to you.



Scan QR Code to apply
or to refer a student

SUMMER MIDDLE SCHOOL MISSION EXPERIENCE

Monday, July 6 - Thursday, July 9, Presbyterian College is hosting a unique summer experience for middle school youth groups that combines service/mission projects with a conference-style community. **Groups will engage in morning worship, impactful service, and meaningful faith formation opportunities.** As part of our **Ecology of Calling Initiative**, this event is **free to the first 50 participants who register** (including youth and adults). Groups are responsible for their own transportation, but all lodging, meals, and conference events are provided.



Scan QR Code to
register your group for
the Middle School
Summer Experience

Contact Rev. Dr. Buz Wilcoxon, Chaplain & Dean of Spiritual Life, for any questions or to schedule a visit. Email: bwilcoxon@presby.edu Phone: 251-281-6822

We are happy to work with you to schedule guest preaching opportunities, retreat leadership, campus visits, or any other ways that we can be a resource for your church family.

**EXCITING NEWS FROM THE FOOTHILLS RETIREMENT COMMUNITY IN EASLEY!
GROWTH IN THE UPSTATE**

The Terraces
AT FOOTHILLS

EXPANSION SITE PLAN



119 NEW independent living apartments of varying sizes and configurations
A NEW memory care household for 24 additional residents
EXTENSIVE refurbishment of the 25-year old main building

THANK YOU, NEW HARMONY PRESBYTERY, FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT!

In 2024

Total giving from New Harmony Presbytery \$32,605 (65 gifts - 33 congregations and presbytery)

Total 2024 Mother's Day Offering (statewide)	\$216,248
From New Harmony Presbytery	\$ 14,965

Your gifts supported 19 residents receiving charitable care -- \$1,043,113 in care.

In 2025 (as of October 30)

Total giving from New Harmony Presbytery \$32,351 (65 gifts - 34 congregations and presbytery)

Total Mother's Day Offering (to date – statewide)	\$182,642
From New Harmony Presbytery	\$ 15,817

**So far, your 2025 gifts have supported 17 residents receiving charitable care –
Approximately \$1,000,000 in care to date.**

New Harmony Presbytery Hall of Fame – Generous gifts to PCSC through the years

First (Sumter)	36+ consecutive years
Georgetown (Georgetown)	36+ consecutive years
Trinity (Surfside Beach)	36+ consecutive years
Wedgefield (Wedgefield)	36+ consecutive years
White Oak (Ruby)	22 consecutive years
First (Cheraw)	20 consecutive years

The Presbytery Of New Harmony
2025.09.30 NHP Operating Budget

Date Range: Jan 1st 2025 - Sep 30th 2025 | Includes Open Transactions

Accounts	Actual Last Year Year to Date	Actual This Year Year to Date	Annual Budget This Year Year	Annual Budget Remaining This Year Year	Annual Budget % Used This Year Year
Revenues					
Budgeted Receipts					
400100 Shared Mission Support	246,928.66	250,625.32	380,000.00	129,374.68	65.95 %
400200 Per Capita Apportionment	89,587.31	97,576.22	132,405.00	34,828.78	73.70 %
400400 Trans - Candidate/Scholarship Fund	0.00	0.00	7,000.00	7,000.00	0.00 %
400405 Mission & Ministry (M&M) Fund	0.00	0.00	65,250.00	65,250.00	0.00 %
400415 Trans - Small Church Support/Redevelopment Fund	0.00	0.00	40,000.00	40,000.00	0.00 %
400424 Trans - Campus Christian Life Fund	0.00	0.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	0.00 %
400900 Interest Income	934.61	955.66	1,000.00	44.34	95.57 %
Total Budgeted Receipts	337,450.58	349,157.20	627,655.00	278,497.80	55.63 %
Other Income					
400580 Mortgage Income	15,886.00	20,642.00	27,200.00	6,558.00	75.89 %
Total Other Income	15,886.00	20,642.00	27,200.00	6,558.00	75.89 %
Total Revenues	\$ 353,336.58	\$ 369,799.20	\$ 654,855.00	\$ 285,055.80	56.47 %
Expenses					
Mission					
520000 GA Shared Mission Support	60,000.00	53,333.34	70,000.00	16,666.66	76.19 %
520050 GA Per Capita	48,260.10	52,853.13	70,460.00	17,606.87	75.01 %
520100 Synod Shared Mission Support	4,924.69	4,875.75	6,500.00	1,624.25	75.01 %
520103 Synod Per Capita	7,386.88	7,313.64	9,750.00	2,436.36	75.01 %
520105 Presbyterian College	3,750.00	3,750.00	5,000.00	1,250.00	75.00 %
520110 SC Christian Action Council	3,750.00	3,750.00	5,000.00	1,250.00	75.00 %
520400 Presby Retirement Communities SC	7,500.00	7,500.00	10,000.00	2,500.00	75.00 %
520500 SC Inn at Montreat	3,750.00	3,750.00	5,000.00	1,250.00	75.00 %
520505 SC Campus Ministry	1,500.00	1,500.00	2,000.00	500.00	75.00 %
520810 P.A.D.D.	3,750.00	3,750.00	5,000.00	1,250.00	75.00 %
520815 Presbytery Leader Formation	197.63	250.00	250.00	0.00	100.00 %
Total Mission	144,769.30	142,625.86	188,960.00	46,334.14	75.48 %
Guiding Council					
522010 Council Expenses	186.78	57.40	300.00	242.60	19.13 %
522024 Administrative Commissions	965.51	232.71	500.00	267.29	46.54 %
522025 Presbytery Gatherings	260.44	694.99	6,000.00	5,305.01	11.58 %
522027 Presbytery Functions	2,990.94	1,000.00	3,000.00	2,000.00	33.33 %
522029 Gifts and Memorials	2,523.00	376.19	500.00	123.81	75.24 %
522040 Communications Administrator	7,647.75	7,854.21	10,472.32	2,618.11	75.00 %
522042 Communication Services Mileage	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00	0.00 %
522043 Youth Coordinator (Contracted)	0.00	0.00	6,000.00	6,000.00	0.00 %
522045 General Assembly Expenses	2,375.45	519.37	2,500.00	1,980.63	20.77 %
522046 Moderators Conference	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	0.00 %
522047 Synod Commissioner Training	0.00	500.00	1,000.00	500.00	50.00 %
Total Guiding Council	16,949.87	11,234.87	31,972.32	20,737.45	35.14 %
Presbytery Office Expenses					
521020 Electricity	3,627.78	3,502.36	5,000.00	1,497.64	70.05 %
521030 Water & Sewer	148.38	166.00	200.00	34.00	83.00 %
521040 Telephone-Nextiva	1,258.82	1,115.85	1,670.00	554.15	66.82 %
521041 Cellular Phone	1,838.69	1,850.00	1,800.00	(50.00)	102.78 %
521042 Copier	1,281.97	1,296.33	1,600.00	303.67	81.02 %
521050 Office Supplies	1,234.11	2,171.40	1,500.00	(671.40)	144.76 %

Accounts	Actual	Actual	Annual	Annual	Annual
	Last Year	This Year	Budget	Budget	Budget
	Year to Date	Year to Date	This Year	Remaining	% Used
			Year	This Year	This Year
521060 Staff Travel	365.37	236.18	750.00	513.82	31.49 %
521070 Equipment Purchases	140.39	1,387.16	500.00	(887.16)	277.43 %
521080 Computer and Tech	9,655.09	10,903.76	11,500.00	596.24	94.82 %
521090 Postage	0.00	146.00	200.00	54.00	73.00 %
521100 General Insurance	4,104.00	3,969.00	8,000.00	4,031.00	49.61 %
521130 Audit	4,200.00	4,450.00	8,000.00	3,550.00	55.62 %
521140 Conferences and Training	5,134.38	1,771.18	7,500.00	5,728.82	23.62 %
521142 Coaching	1,350.00	750.00	1,800.00	1,050.00	41.67 %
521300 Constant Contact Subscription	0.00	0.00	400.00	400.00	0.00 %
521400 Miscellaneous	10.00	334.85	500.00	165.15	66.97 %
521402 Bank Analysis Charges	101.00	152.95	200.00	47.05	76.48 %
522600 Property Maintenance	3,694.67	3,839.86	2,500.00	(1,339.86)	153.59 %
Total Presbytery Office Expenses	38,144.65	38,042.88	53,620.00	15,577.12	70.95 %
Committee on Representation and Nominations (CORN)					
522100 Committee Expenses	0.00	0.00	50.00	50.00	0.00 %
Total Committee on Representation and Nominations (CORN)	0.00	0.00	50.00	50.00	0.00 %
Permanent Judicial Commission (PJC)					
522700 Commission Expenses	280.14	0.00	400.00	400.00	0.00 %
522710 Travel Expenses	0.00	0.00	100.00	100.00	0.00 %
Total Permanent Judicial Commission (PJC)	280.14	0.00	500.00	500.00	0.00 %
Committee on Ministry (COM)					
523010 Committee Expenses	522.96	0.00	100.00	100.00	0.00 %
523020 Travel Expenses	143.38	0.00	100.00	100.00	0.00 %
523030 Shared Grants	0.00	34.22	500.00	465.78	6.84 %
523044 Fall Ministers' Retreat	0.00	0.00	250.00	250.00	0.00 %
523046 Coaching for Pastors	600.00	0.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	0.00 %
523048 Cluster Lunches	2,961.44	4,134.17	5,000.00	865.83	82.68 %
523049 Training and Workshops	1,207.04	2,041.76	2,000.00	(41.76)	102.09 %
523052 EP Visitation	243.63	718.04	1,500.00	781.96	47.87 %
523053 APC Visitation	828.59	331.94	750.00	418.06	44.26 %
523054 Background Checks	168.40	393.13	250.00	(143.13)	157.25 %
523056 Events and Gatherings	4,616.98	4,602.77	6,000.00	1,397.23	76.71 %
523057 Commission Pastors Scholarship	0.00	0.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	0.00 %
523058 Children/Youth M&M (Mission & Ministry)	0.00	0.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	0.00 %
Total Committee on Ministry (COM)	11,292.42	12,256.03	26,450.00	14,193.97	46.34 %
Committee on Preparation for Ministry (CPM)					
523810 Committee Expenses	1,303.82	17.88	200.00	182.12	8.94 %
523820 Travel Expenses	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00	0.00 %
523830 Annual Consultations	0.00	0.00	300.00	300.00	0.00 %
523840 Consultations	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00	0.00 %
523845 Scholarships for Candidates	3,000.00	3,600.00	5,000.00	1,400.00	72.00 %
523850 Extraordinary Grants	300.00	441.75	1,500.00	1,058.25	29.45 %
523860 Psychological Testing	2,474.35	0.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	0.00 %
523865 Scholarships Future Commissioned Pastors	0.00	0.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	0.00 %
523870 School of Theology	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	0.00 %
Total Committee on Preparation for Ministry (CPM)	7,078.17	4,059.63	20,900.00	16,840.37	19.42 %
Cultivation & Empowerment Commission (CEC)					
522900 Committee Expenses	0.00	0.00	500.00	500.00	0.00 %
522910 Grants	3,501.14	5,000.00	25,000.00	20,000.00	20.00 %
522930 Scholarships	700.00	6,600.00	15,000.00	8,400.00	44.00 %
522950 Events	0.00	0.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	0.00 %
522960 Resources	0.00	0.00	3,500.00	3,500.00	0.00 %
Total Cultivation & Empowerment Commission (CEC)	4,201.14	11,600.00	49,000.00	37,400.00	23.67 %
Personnel & Finance (P&F)					
527010 Committee Expenses	0.00	645.64	750.00	104.36	86.09 %
Total Personnel & Finance (P&F)	0.00	645.64	750.00	104.36	86.09 %

Accounts	Actual Last Year Year to Date	Actual This Year Year to Date	Annual Budget This Year Year	Annual Budget Remaining This Year Year	Annual Budget % Used This Year Year
Self Development of People Committee (SDOP)					
528010 Committee Expenses	0.00	0.00	100.00	100.00	0.00 %
528020 Travel Expenses	0.00	0.00	100.00	100.00	0.00 %
Total Self Development of People Committee (SDOP)	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00	0.00 %
Presbytery Disaster Assistance Commission (PDAC)					
529010 Commission Expenses	360.07	0.00	400.00	400.00	0.00 %
529020 Travel Expenses	0.00	0.00	100.00	100.00	0.00 %
Total Presbytery Disaster Assistance Commission (PDAC)	360.07	0.00	500.00	500.00	0.00 %
Salaries & Benefits					
Executive Presbyter & Stated Clerk					
530010 Salary & Housing	81,506.34	83,706.84	111,609.00	27,902.16	75.00 %
530020 Mileage/Cont. Ed/Prof. Expenses	7,479.67	8,231.79	8,500.00	268.21	96.84 %
530030 Board of Pensions	31,787.37	29,736.99	40,633.00	10,896.01	73.18 %
530040 SECA	6,235.56	6,403.50	8,538.00	2,134.50	75.00 %
Total Executive Presbyter & Stated Clerk	127,008.94	128,079.12	169,280.00	41,200.88	75.66 %
Assoc. Pastoral Concerns & Fellowship					
530310 Salary & Housing	29,536.56	16,852.20	21,908.00	5,055.80	76.92 %
Total Assoc. Pastoral Concerns & Fellowship	29,536.56	16,852.20	21,908.00	5,055.80	76.92 %
Financial Administrator					
530600 Salary	12,783.78	13,128.84	17,505.00	4,376.16	75.00 %
Total Financial Administrator	12,783.78	13,128.84	17,505.00	4,376.16	75.00 %
Office Administrator					
530700 Salary	28,374.84	32,752.00	38,854.00	6,102.00	84.30 %
530730 BOP/Major Medical & D&D	9,632.61	12,247.23	13,302.00	1,054.77	92.07 %
530740 Deferred Compensation	1,850.00	1,000.00	2,400.00	1,400.00	41.67 %
Total Office Administrator	39,857.45	45,999.23	54,556.00	8,556.77	84.32 %
Other Personnel Expenses					
530750 Employer Matching SS/Medicare	3,148.74	3,509.79	5,000.00	1,490.21	70.20 %
Total Other Personnel Expenses	3,148.74	3,509.79	5,000.00	1,490.21	70.20 %
Total Salaries & Benefits	212,335.47	207,569.18	268,249.00	60,679.82	77.38 %
Total Expenses	\$ 435,411.23	\$ 428,034.09	\$ 641,151.32	\$ 213,117.23	66.76 %
Net Total	(\$ 82,074.65)	(\$ 58,234.89)	\$ 13,703.68	\$ 71,938.57	(424.96 %)

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Pin	Church Name	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
		Shared Mission Support Pledge	Shared Mission Support Pledge YTD Paid	Direct Mission Support YTD	Mission Support YTD Total (2+3)	Other Mission Support YTD	2024 Per Capita Apportionment	Per Capita YTD Paid
22464	BENNETTSVILLE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CH	8,000	5,333.36	-	5,333.36	1,105.30	3,528.00	3,528.00
22493	CAROLINA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	2,500	2,500.00	-	2,500.00	6,420.00	525.00	475.00
11881	CELEBRATION PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	2,000	1,000.00	-	1,000.00	1,755.00	1,554.00	798.00
22467	CHERAW FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	32,000	21,333.35	583.32	21,916.67	3,258.46	3,675.00	3,675.00
22468	CHESTERFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	500	500.00	-	500.00	-	147.00	147.00
201	CONGRUITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	7,000	-	-	-	-	3,150.00	-
22432	COUSAR MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CH	2,000	-	-	-	-	1,260.00	-
182	EBENEZER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	3,500	1,750.00	-	1,750.00	250.00	3,192.00	1,596.00
22484	FORK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	NO PLEDGE	-	-	-	-	777.00	-
22459	FRASER MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CH	50	50.00	-	50.00	-	294.00	244.00
191	FRIENDSHIP PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	6,500	-	-	-	285.00	1,239.00	1,239.00
177	GEORGE W LONG PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	2,500	-	-	-	-	420.00	-
22436	GEORGETOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	18,420	13,815.00	3,825.00	17,640.00	7,276.05	7,812.00	7,100.00
188	GOODWILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	7,500	4,428.58	-	4,428.58	1,335.44	3,276.00	1,124.22
180	GRANDVIEW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	1,000	-	-	-	-	462.00	-
169	HARMONY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	3,000	-	-	-	-	1,029.00	-
22487	HARTSVILLE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CH	34,000	25,499.97	-	25,499.97	1,885.03	9,534.00	7,150.50
22452	HEBRON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22438	INDIANTOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	4,000	5,000.00	-	5,000.00	3,310.00	2,016.00	1,407.00
22490	JEFFERSON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	-	-	-	-	-	546.00	-
22480	JOHN CALVIN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	5,000	3,750.00	2,100.00	5,850.00	4,785.50	2,268.00	1,701.00
22485	KENTYRE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	1,000	1,000.00	-	1,000.00	200.00	210.00	210.00
22471	KINGSTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	13,000	8,666.72	-	8,666.72	1,334.00	4,431.00	4,431.00
11233	KOREAN-AMERICAN PRESBYTERIAN	1,000	1,000.00	-	1,000.00	500.00	483.00	483.00
22442	LAKE CITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	3,500	5,250.00	-	5,250.00	600.00	735.00	1,061.00
22492	LATTA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	NO PLEDGE	-	-	-	704.00	798.00	798.00
22495	MARION PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	5,000	833.35	-	833.35	1,777.00	2,667.00	2,667.00
22497	MCCOLL FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	2,000	2,000.00	-	2,000.00	700.00	168.00	168.00
197	MELINA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	6,000	6,000.00	-	6,000.00	100.00	4,032.00	2,016.00
22488	MORTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	5,000	-	-	-	-	609.00	-
170	MT LISBON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	300	300.00	-	300.00	110.00	672.00	672.00
22489	MT PISGAH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	-	1,000.00	-	1,000.00	560.00	714.00	710.00
196	MT SINAI PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	500	500.00	-	500.00	-	462.00	462.00
22455	MT ZION PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	-	-	-	-	-	462.00	-
22449	MURRELLS INLET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	1,000	1,000.00	-	1,000.00	851.00	1,260.00	1,276.00
22501	MYRTLE BEACH FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CH	75,000	56,250.00	-	56,250.00	12,631.00	31,143.00	22,297.50
22474	NEW BETHEL PRESBYTERIAN DILLON	500	500.00	-	500.00	400.00	504.00	504.00
10761	NEW COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	-	200.00	-	200.00	250.00	987.00	1,007.00
11507	NEW HARVEST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	100	-	-	-	-	273.00	-
22451	OLANTA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	-	-	-	-	-	924.00	-
22482	PARKWOOD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	1,200	900.00	-	900.00	50.00	441.00	441.00
22503	PATRICK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	-	-	-	-	-	651.00	-
22453	PAWLEYS ISLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	20,000	13,400.00	-	13,400.00	4,745.00	8,946.00	8,946.00
22445	PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH AT MANNING	10,000	7,499.97	-	7,499.97	-	3,843.00	2,562.00
22504	RUBY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	1,250	-	-	-	-	504.00	-
22448	SALEM BLACK RIVER PRESBY CHURCH	750	-	-	-	-	630.00	630.00
22506	SOCIETY HILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	1,000	1,000.00	-	1,000.00	190.00	273.00	273.00
22439	ST PAUL'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	8,000	2,640.00	-	2,640.00	2,327.00	399.00	399.00
22457	SUMMERTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	1,500	-	-	-	-	840.00	-

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Pin	Church Name	Shared Mission Support Pledge	Shared Mission Support Pledge YTD Paid	Direct Mission Support YTD	Mission Support YTD Total (2+3)	Other Mission Support YTD	2024 Per Capita Apportionment	Per Capita YTD Paid
22458	SUMTER FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	40,000	26,666.64	7,500.06	34,166.70	15,045.68	8,421.00	5,614.00
200	SUMTER SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	2,200	2,200.00	-	2,200.00	400.00	903.00	903.00
22462	SWAN LAKE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	1,500	375.00	300.00	675.00	1,034.67	294.00	294.00
22507	TIMMONSVILLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	150	150.00	-	150.00	615.00	126.00	126.00
189	TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN MAYESVILLE	3,000	-	-	-	-	1,575.00	1,575.00
23382	TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN SURFSIDE BEACH	1,500	750.00	-	750.00	2,474.00	2,793.00	1,396.00
23343	WEDGEFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	7,500	7,500.00	-	7,500.00	1,832.00	840.00	840.00
168	WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN ALCOLU	3,500	-	-	-	1,329.75	1,428.00	-
22505	WHITE OAK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	NO PLEDGE	-	-	-	180.00	609.00	609.00
22441	WILLIAMSBURG PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	NO PLEDGE	1,000.00	2,050.00	3,050.00	2,335.00	4,347.00	4,347.00
	Individual Gifts	-	2,475.00	-	2,475.00	-	-	-
	Dismissed/Closed Churches	-			-	-		-
	TOTAL	356,420.00	236,016.94	16,358.38	252,375.32	84,940.88	136,101.00	97,902.22

2025.09.30 Summary of Funds and Accounts

Date Range: Jan 1st 2025 - Sep 30th 2025

Accounts	Beginning Balance	Income	Expense	Ending Balance
Restricted Net Assets				
Temporarily Restricted				
Pass-Through Funds				
General Assembly Pass-Throughs				
840415 Pentecost Offering	0.00	2,538.10	2,538.10	0.00
840420 One Great Hour of Sharing	0.00	19,848.54	19,848.54	0.00
840430 Peace & Global Witness Offering	0.00	50.00	50.00	0.00
840450 Christmas Joy Offering	0.00	8,642.17	8,642.17	0.00
840460 ECO Projects	0.00	225.00	225.00	0.00
840480 GA Disaster Relief Projects	0.00	10,005.02	10,005.02	0.00
Total General Assembly Pass-Throughs	0.00	41,308.83	41,308.83	0.00
Other Pass-Throughs				
840470 Theological Education Fund	0.00	12,524.43	12,524.43	0.00
840510 Thornwell	0.00	3,703.96	3,703.96	0.00
840530 Presbyterian College	0.00	240.00	240.00	0.00
840560 Johnson C. Smith Seminary	0.00	35.00	35.00	0.00
840610 Presbyterian Retirement Comm of SC	0.00	4,501.64	4,501.64	0.00
840630 Mother's Day Offering PRC of SC	0.00	14,485.66	14,485.66	0.00
840765 P.A.D.D.	0.00	5,687.00	5,687.00	0.00
840775 E.W. Matthew Memorial Fund	0.00	132.15	0.00	132.15
840777 Lee Memorial Fund #11 for PADD	0.00	2,781.62	2,781.62	0.00
840779 Lee Memorial Fund #16 for PeeDee Church	0.00	3,710.13	3,710.13	0.00
840850 Other Special Mission	0.00	1,100.00	1,100.00	0.00
850001 Youth Mission Trip Grant	0.00	0.00	3,000.00	(3,000.00)
850311 Green Grants	0.00	0.00	3,000.00	(3,000.00)
850520 Mission & Ministry (M&M) Fund	0.00	1,645.56	0.00	1,645.56
850530 Candidate/Scholarship Fund	0.00	865.00	0.00	865.00
850540 Church Extension Fund	0.00	0.00	8,088.95	(8,088.95)
850570 Campus Christian Life	0.00	250.00	0.00	250.00
850660 Pastor's Assistance	0.00	100.00	241.88	(141.88)
850785 Peacemaking Grants	0.00	16.65	0.00	16.65
850980 Unrestricted Reserve	0.00	2,712.10	7,269.55	(4,557.45)
850995 Miscellaneous	0.00	4,552.00	2,276.00	2,276.00
Total Other Pass-Throughs	0.00	59,042.90	72,645.82	(13,602.92)
Total Pass-Through Funds	0.00	100,351.73	113,954.65	(13,602.92)
Presbytery Invested Funds				
54398 Unrestricted Reserve and NHP Projects Fund				
800311 Green Grants	19,200.00	0.00	0.00	19,200.00
800312 Youth Triennium	167.89	0.00	0.00	167.89
823006 Ministry to Prisoners & Family Grants	3,484.82	0.00	0.00	3,484.82
824001 Youth Mission Trip Grants	19,299.70	0.00	0.00	19,299.70
840640 NHP Mission Projects	10,545.00	0.00	0.00	10,545.00
840660 Pastor's Assistance	7,252.77	0.00	0.00	7,252.77
840715 Campus Ministry Grants	7,994.30	0.00	0.00	7,994.30
840740 NHP Disaster Assistance	26,239.12	0.00	0.00	26,239.12
840785 Peacemaking Grants	3,877.12	0.00	0.00	3,877.12
840980 Unrestricted Reserve	159,033.60	40,069.28	6,779.20	192,323.68

Accounts	Beginning Balance	Income	Expense	Ending Balance
Total 54398 Unrestricted Reserve and NHP Projects Fund	257,094.32	40,069.28	6,779.20	290,384.40
54399 Mission & Ministry (M&M) Fund				
880520 Mission & Ministry (M&M) Fund	1,605,465.15	223,557.87	41,597.24	1,787,425.78
Total 54399 Mission & Ministry (M&M) Fund	1,605,465.15	223,557.87	41,597.24	1,787,425.78
54400 Candidate/Scholarship Fund				
880530 Candidate/Scholarship Fund	152,373.89	21,249.00	3,948.84	169,674.05
Total 54400 Candidate/Scholarship Fund	152,373.89	21,249.00	3,948.84	169,674.05
54401 Church Extension Fund				
850111 New Covenant Funds PCFND	362,586.39	38,281.77	7,323.33	393,544.83
850114 PCUSA Invest & Loan Program (PILP)	105,462.23	1,973.65	0.00	107,435.88
880540 Church Extension Fund	825,958.82	115,047.71	21,401.41	919,605.12
Total 54401 Church Extension Fund	1,294,007.44	155,303.13	28,724.74	1,420,585.83
54402 Small Church Support/Redevelopment Fund				
880550 Small Church Support/Redevelopment Fund	320,337.74	44,767.69	8,304.52	356,800.91
Total 54402 Small Church Support/Redevelopment Fund	320,337.74	44,767.69	8,304.52	356,800.91
54404 Campus Christian Life Fund				
880570 Campus Christian Life Fund	48,874.64	6,982.85	1,271.44	54,586.05
Total 54404 Campus Christian Life Fund	48,874.64	6,982.85	1,271.44	54,586.05
Total Presbytery Invested Funds	3,678,153.18	491,929.82	90,625.98	4,079,457.02
Total Temporarily Restricted	3,678,153.18	592,281.55	204,580.63	4,065,854.10
Total Restricted Net Assets	\$ 3,678,153.18	\$ 592,281.55	\$ 204,580.63	\$ 4,065,854.10

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Concentration of All Funds at September 30, 2025

Bank Name	Bankrate.com Rating	Balance at 09/30/2025
Texas Presbyterian Foundation ⁽¹⁾	n/a	3,578,476.31
PC(USA) Foundation New Covenant Funds ⁽¹⁾	n/a	393,544.83
PC(USA) Investment & Loan Program ⁽¹⁾	n/a	107,435.88
South State Bank - Checking	****	49,623.98
South State Bank - Money Market		180,851.42
Miscellaneous Income	n/a	21,728.75
First Citizens Bank	****	13,162.68
Total		<u>\$ 4,344,823.85</u>
<i>(1) Not FDIC insured</i>		

2025.09.30 Statement of Financial Position

As of: Sep 30th 2025

Assets**Current Assets****Checking Accounts**

150010 First Citizens Payroll Checking Account	13,162.68
150012 SouthState Operating Disbursements	49,623.98

Southstate MM

150022 SouthState Operating Receipts	180,851.42
150040 Miscellaneous Income	21,728.75

Total Southstate MM	202,580.17
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Total Checking Accounts	265,366.83
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Total Current Assets	265,366.83
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Long-Term Investments

150111 New Covenant Funds (Church Extension Fund)	393,544.83
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150114 PCUSA Invest & Loan Program (Church Extension Fund)	107,435.88
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TPF**TPF - Acct #54398 (Unrestricted Reserve&NHP Proj)**

150160 Balanced Fund - 54398	233,402.11
150161 Money Market - 54398	56,982.29

Total TPF - Acct #54398 (Unrestricted Reserve&NHP Proj)	290,384.40
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TPF - Acct #54399 (Mission & Ministry [M&M] Fund)

150162 Balanced Fund - 54399	1,436,678.23
150163 Money Market - 54399	350,747.55

Total TPF - Acct #54399 (Mission & Ministry [M&M] Fund)	1,787,425.78
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TPF - Acct #54400 (Candidate/Scholarship Fund)

150164 Balanced Fund - 54400	136,378.81
150165 Money Market - 54400	33,295.24

Total TPF - Acct #54400 (Candidate/Scholarship Fund)	169,674.05
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TPF - Acct #54401 (Church Extension Fund)

150166 Balanced Fund - 54401	739,150.50
150167 Money Market - 54401	180,454.62

Total TPF - Acct #54401 (Church Extension Fund)	919,605.12
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TPF - Acct #54402 (Sm ChurchSupport/Redevelopment)

150168 Balanced Fund - 54402	286,785.66
150169 Money Market - 54402	70,015.25

Total TPF - Acct #54402 (Sm ChurchSupport/Redevelopment)	356,800.91
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TPF - Acct #54404 (Campus Christian Life Fund)

150172 Balanced Fund - 54404	43,874.60
150173 Money Market - 54404	10,711.45

Total TPF - Acct #54404 (Campus Christian Life Fund)	54,586.05
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Total TPF	3,578,476.31
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Total Long-Term Investments	4,079,457.02
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Total Assets	\$ 4,344,823.85
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Liabilities & Net Assets**Liabilities****Current Liabilities**

280020 Health Care Flexible Spending Account	283.64
280025 Option Dental - B of P	(15.90)
280030 Option Vision - B of P	0.42

280040 Supplemental Death	135.50
Total Current Liabilities	403.66
Total Liabilities	403.66
Net Assets	
Temporarily Restricted	
Pass-Through Funds	
Other Pass-Throughs	
840775 E.W. Matthew Memorial Fund	132.15
850001 Youth Mission Trip Grant	(3,000.00)
850311 Green Grants	(3,000.00)
850520 Mission & Ministry (M&M) Fund	1,645.56
850530 Candidate/Scholarship Fund	865.00
850540 Church Extension Fund	(8,088.95)
850570 Campus Christian Life	250.00
850660 Pastor's Assistance	(141.88)
850785 Peacemaking Grants	16.65
850980 Unrestricted Reserve	(4,557.45)
850995 Miscellaneous	2,276.00
Total Other Pass-Throughs	(13,602.92)
Total Pass-Through Funds	(13,602.92)
Presbytery Invested Funds	
54398 Unrestricted Reserve and NHP Projects Fund	
800311 Green Grants	19,200.00
800312 Youth Triennium	167.89
823006 Ministry to Prisoners & Family Grants	3,484.82
824001 Youth Mission Trip Grants	19,299.70
840640 NHP Mission Projects	10,545.00
840660 Pastor's Assistance	7,252.77
840715 Campus Ministry Grants	7,994.30
840740 NHP Disaster Assistance	26,239.12
840785 Peacemaking Grants	3,877.12
840980 Unrestricted Reserve	192,323.68
Total 54398 Unrestricted Reserve and NHP Projects Fund	290,384.40
54399 Mission & Ministry (M&M) Fund	
880520 Mission & Ministry (M&M) Fund	1,787,425.78
Total 54399 Mission & Ministry (M&M) Fund	1,787,425.78
54400 Candidate/Scholarship Fund	
880530 Candidate/Scholarship Fund	169,674.05
Total 54400 Candidate/Scholarship Fund	169,674.05
54401 Church Extension Fund	
850111 New Covenant Funds PCFND	393,544.83
850114 PCUSA Invest & Loan Program (PILP)	107,435.88
880540 Church Extension Fund	919,605.12
Total 54401 Church Extension Fund	1,420,585.83
54402 Small Church Support/Redevelopment Fund	
880550 Small Church Support/Redevelopment Fund	356,800.91
Total 54402 Small Church Support/Redevelopment Fund	356,800.91
54404 Campus Christian Life Fund	
880570 Campus Christian Life Fund	54,586.05
Total 54404 Campus Christian Life Fund	54,586.05
Total Presbytery Invested Funds	4,079,457.02
Total Temporarily Restricted	4,065,854.10
Unrestricted Net Assets	
290010 Gen. Fund Principal (Excess Cash)	278,566.09
Total Unrestricted Net Assets	278,566.09

Total Net Assets	4,344,420.19
Total Liabilities & Net Assets	\$ 4,344,823.85