

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2019

8:45 AM & 11:15 AM SERVICES

THE VISION OF GOD

PRELUDE (8:45 a.m.) Praeludium in G Minor (*BuxWV 149*) Dietrich Buxtehude (1637-1707)
(11:15 a.m.) Bell Peal in G Wayne Bisbee
Abide With Me arr. Judy Endean
Handbell Choir

(May the beginning of the prelude serve as a call to silent meditation and prayer.)

WELCOME AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR DISCIPLESHIP The Rev. Dr. L. Holton Siegling Jr.
(Please sign and pass Friendship Registry)

MINUTE FOR MISSION Stewardship

†**PASSING OF THE PEACE**

INTROIT "Jubilate Deo" Willan

†**CALL TO WORSHIP** The Rev. Dr. James T. Rogers

Leader: We have been blessed by the Eternal God, who has been faithful to us!
People: **As Children of the Living God, we yield ourselves to the one who is the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end.**
Leader: The mystery through the ages is Christ within us, the very hope of glory!
People: **In the name of Christ, we worship and bow down.**
Leader: God has empowered us with the Holy Spirit to be our Comforter and Guide, our unfailing source of strength!
People: **As spirit-filled stewards of the manifold grace of God, we will remain faithful to Christ.**

+†**PROCESSIONAL HYMN** "God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand" Hymn No. 262

†**PRAYER OF ADORATION**

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

†**CALL TO CONFESSION** (A pause for silent confession follows.)

†**PRAYER OF CONFESSION** (unison)

Merciful God, we long to be faithful stewards of your abundant grace, to serve each other in love and humility and to serve the world that you have made and redeemed. Forgive us when we stumble over our pride and when our words and actions are not guided by love. Strike our hearts again with your Word and restore our energy, intelligence, imagination and love! Praise be to you, Gracious God, for when we are weak, your abundant grace is strong and eternal; indeed, forgiveness is ours through Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

†**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

†**GLORIA PATRI** "Glory be to the Father" Hymn No. 579
*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.*

+†**CHILDREN'S HYMN** "He's Got the Whole World in His Hands"

*He's got the whole world in His hands. He's got the whole world in His hands.
He's got the whole world in His hands. He's got the whole world in His hands.
He's got you and me brother in His hands. He's got you and me sister in His hands.
He's got everybody here in His hands. He's got the whole world in His hands.*

(All children are invited to come forward for a time of worship during the singing of this hymn.)

† *Those who are able, please stand.* + *Those arriving for worship are invited to take their seats at this time.*

THE TIME FOR CHILDREN

THE TIME FOR TEENS

THE WORD OF GOD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (8:45 a.m.) Chris Hawk
(11:15 a.m.) David Ward

THE WORD READ Old Testament: Psalm 24 (pew Bible, page 436)
New Testament: 1 Peter 4:7-11 (pew Bible, page 985)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

THE WORD PROCLAIMED "THE MANIFOLD GRACE OF GOD" The Rev. Dr. L. Holton Siegling Jr.

THE RESPONSE TO THE WORD

†**THE APOSTLES' CREED** (unison) The Rev. Art Gatewood

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

†**HYMN OF REFLECTION** "Just As I am, Without One Plea" Hymn No. 370

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY ANTHEM "Be Thou My Vision" arr. Frank & Marie Pooler

†**DOXOLOGY** "Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow" Hymn No. 592

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

†**PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

†**HYMN OF COMMITMENT** "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" Hymn No. 387

†**CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

†**BENEDICTION RESPONSE** "The Lord Bless You and Keep You" John Rutter

†**GREETING OF FELLOW WORSHIPERS**

†**POSTLUDE** Fanfare Kenneth Leighton (1929-1988)

† *Those who are able, please stand.*

MUSICIANS PARTICIPATING IN TODAY'S SERVICE: (8:45 a.m.) Katherine Clarkson, soprano; Clare Elich, alto; Kalb Linen-Yates, tenor; Greg Pipkin, bass; and (11:15 a.m.) Kirk Choir, Handbell Choir: Grace Reed, Elizabeth McAnally, Anne Smith, Helen Reid, Margaret Heller, Mitzi Legerton, and Graham Heller.

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THE FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY are given to the glory of God and in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Lindsey, Jr. by Jane and John McNeill.

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CHRISTIAN LOVE AND SYMPATHY are extended to Marilyn Johnson and her family on the death of her nephew, Todd Brugmans, on September 26.

CHRISTIAN LOVE AND SYMPATHY are extended to Kim Vroon and her family on the death of her father, Alton Bruce "Chick" Smith, on September 27.

CHRISTIAN LOVE AND SYMPATHY are extended to Bettye Anne Chambers and her family on the death of her husband, Joe Chambers, on September 28.

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FOLLOWING THE SERVICES ALL MEMBERS AND GUESTS are invited to the Molly Wier Hall for coffee and fellowship. Our Deacon serving as Coffee Greeter today is Carmen Glenn. Following the 11:15 a.m. service, we will also serve lemonade and cookies on the Portico during a time to greet new members.

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FIRST (SCOTS) HISTORY TOURS

Please join us for a guided tour and brief history of First (Scots) immediately following the conclusion of worship. Please come up front and meet your Docent directly in front of the pulpit after the service.

The tour will last approximately 10-15 minutes.

Today's Docents are (8:45 a.m.) Nonie Crosby and (11:15 a.m.) John Dietz.

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OUR SERVICE OF WORSHIP EXTENDS BEYOND THE WALLS OF THE SANCTUARY in the form of video recording and livestreaming. Your presence with us today signifies consent to the possibility that your image may be included as part of our media broadcast.

FIRST (SCOTS) PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

53 Meeting Street, Charleston, South Carolina 29401

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SENIOR PASTOR

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ASSOCIATE PASTOR

THE REV. ARTHUR S. GATEWOOD
PARISH ASSOCIATE FOR PASTORAL CARE

THE REV. DR. J. PHILLIPS NOBLE
PASTOR EMERITUS

FIRST (SCOTS) PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH STAFF

The Reverend Dr. L. Holton Siegling Jr., Senior Pastor

The Reverend Dr. James T. Rogers, Associate Pastor

The Reverend Arthur S. Gatewood, Parish Associate for Pastoral Care

The Reverend Dr. J. Phillips Noble, Pastor Emeritus

Daniel Sansone, Director of Music & Organist
Ricard Bordas, Director of Choral Music
Suzy S. Edwards, Director of Christian Education
Deanna Barteet, Church Administrator
Susan Cocallas, Administrative Assistant
Terri Reno, Pastors' Administrator
Cierra Christian, Publications
Peggy Inabinet, Administrative Assistant
Shelby Olinger, Church Accountant

Meg High, Children's Choirs
Christina Wilhoit, Handbell Choir
Marilyn Stark, Financial Assistant
Megan Boucher, Middle School Youth Director
Saye Simpson, Youth Ministry Assistant
Martha Harken, Kindergarten Director
Nancy Hunsicker, Food Services Director
Monica Mitchell, Sexton



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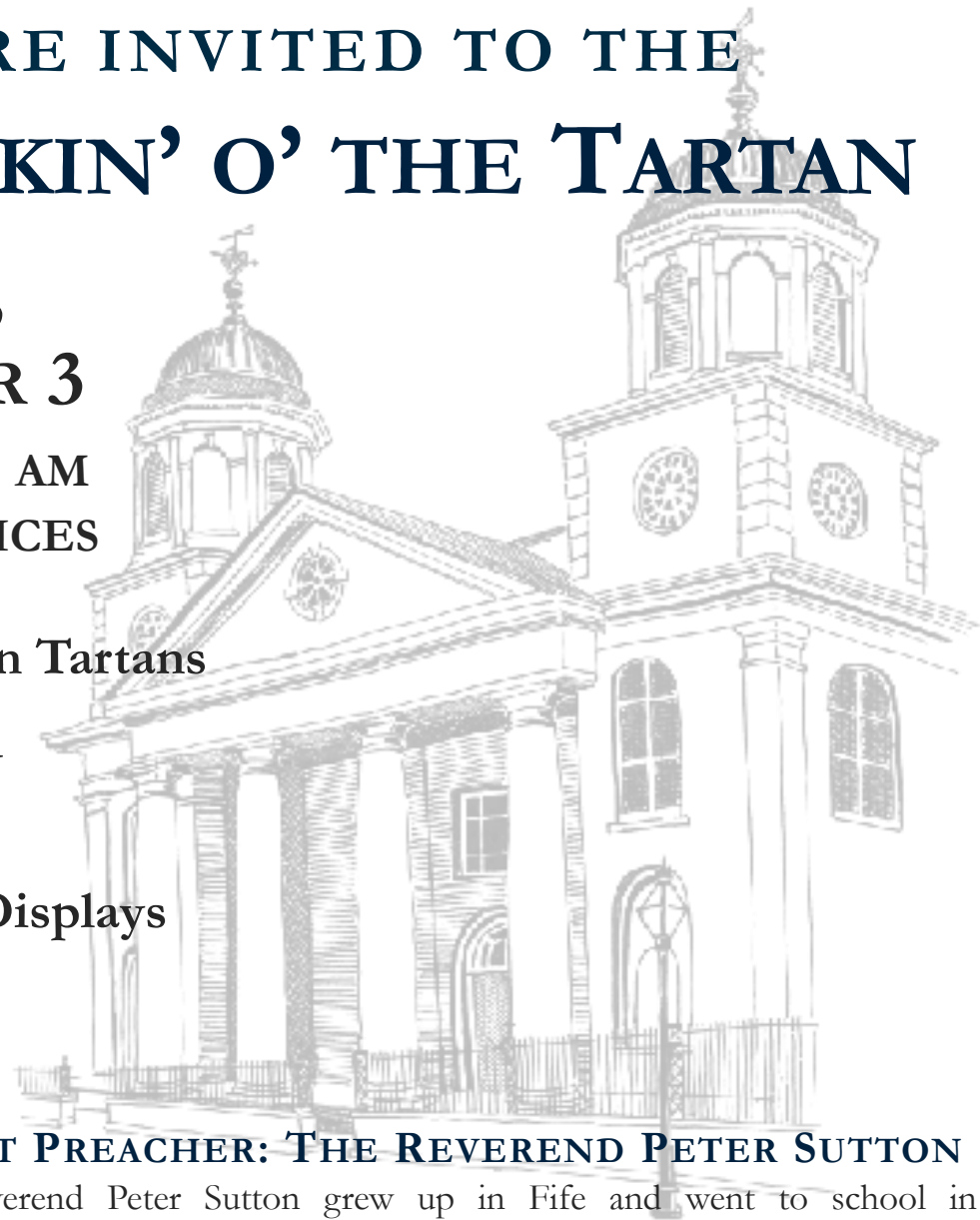
WELCOME TO FIRST (SCOTS) PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SUNDAY OCTOBER 13, 2019

YOU ARE INVITED TO THE 47TH KIRKIN' O' THE TARTAN

SUNDAY,
NOVEMBER 3
8:45 AM & 11:15 AM
WORSHIP SERVICES

- † Procession of Clan Tartans
- † Citadel Pipe Band
- † Receptions
- † Scottish History Displays
- † Nursery Available



GUEST PREACHER: THE REVEREND PETER SUTTON

The Reverend Peter Sutton grew up in Fife and went to school in Edinburgh. He was commissioned as an Officer in the Black Watch (Royal Highland Regiment), and after University at St. Andrew's he joined the Battalion as a Platoon Commander in Berlin. Whilst serving as Operations Officer in Hong Kong, Peter was ordained an Elder in the Regimental Kirk Session. After 10 years he left the Army and became a School Chaplain, then Headmaster, and worked in education for the next 20 years before becoming ordained Minister and called and inducted to The Parish Church of St. Cuthbert in Edinburgh just over two years ago.

FIRST (SCOTS) PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
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A Congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA)
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THIS WEEK AT FIRST (SCOTS) SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13

8:45 a.m. Worship
10:00 a.m. Confirmation Class (KH)
10:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Called Session Meeting (Lilly Chapel)
11:15 a.m. Worship
Handbells
2:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m. Preservation Society Tour
(Sanctuary)
5:00 p.m.—7:00 p.m. Youth Events

MONDAY, OCTOBER 14

12:00 p.m.—1:00 p.m. Prayers of Concern (#229)
1:30 p.m.—3:30 p.m. Bridge (#203)
5:15 p.m.—6:30 p.m. Handbells (#209)

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15

7:00 a.m.—8:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study (MWH)
9:45 a.m. Program Staff Meeting (#224)
10:30 a.m. All Staff Meeting (#224)
12:00 p.m.—1:00 p.m. Table Talk Bible Study
(#224)
2:00 p.m.—4:00 p.m. Recorder Practice (Parlor)
5:30 p.m.—6:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study (#202)

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16

10:00 a.m.—11:30 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study (#202)
3:30 p.m.—5:45 p.m. Kirk Club (#309)
3:45 p.m.—4:15 p.m. Kirk Choristers (#301)
4:30 p.m.—5:00 p.m. Cherub Choir (#302)
4:45 p.m.—5:45 p.m. Mom's Connect (#229)
5:30 p.m.—6:00 p.m. Chapel
5:30 p.m.—8:30 p.m. Stephen Min. Mtg. (#202)
5:45 p.m.—6:15 p.m. Alleluia Choir (#302)
6:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Supper (MWH)
7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m. Kirk Choir Rehearsal (#309)

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17

9:00 a.m.—10:30 a.m. Mom's Bible Study (#229)

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18

5:30 p.m.—6:30 p.m. Tuttle & O'Sullivan
Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19

5:30 p.m.—6:30 p.m. Tuttle & O'Sullivan
Wedding (Sanctuary)

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20

Commitment Sunday
8:45 a.m. Worship
10:00 a.m. Confirmation Class (KH)
10:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Session Meeting (Lilly Chapel)
11:15 a.m. Worship
Children's Choirs
4:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m. Youth Leadership Mtg.
5:00 p.m.—7:00 p.m. Youth Group (KH)

HOSPITALITY

WE WELCOME YOU TO WORSHIP TODAY! Members and frequent guests are asked to sign the Friendship Registry during the welcome and announcements. First-time guests or those interested in joining are asked to record their mailing address, email address, and telephone number.

NURSERIES ARE AVAILABLE DURING THE WORSHIP SERVICE

Infants & Crawlers: Room #109 (Sanctuary Building)
2-3 year olds: Room #115 (Massie Building)
4K-5K: Room #112 (Massie Building)

SAFETY IS A PRIORITY OF OUR CHURCH; THEREFORE, WE ASK PARENTS TO ACCOMPANY THEIR YOUNG CHILDREN SHOULD THEY LEAVE THE SANCTUARY, EXCEPT WHEN THEIR CHILDREN ARE ESCORTED TO THE NURSERY BY USHERS. PARENTS MUST BE ON CHURCH GROUNDS IF THEY LEAVE THEIR CHILDREN IN THE CHURCH NURSERY WHICH IS FOR CHILDREN AGED INFANTS - K-5.

DISCIPLESHIP

SERVING US

USHERS (8:45 a.m.) David Hay, David McCracken, Henry Hay, Stephanie Spath, Suzanne Chestnut, Mikell Harper

USHERS (11:15 a.m.) Slade Metcalf, Inna Metcalf, Anne Dukes, Edwin McSwain, Jaqueline McSwain

DEACONS (8:45 a.m. & 11:15 a.m.)

Rachel Remsburg, John Marko Jr., Bill Moore, Carmen Glenn

GREETERS

(8:45 a.m.) Harry Robbins (11:15 a.m.) Greg Hider, Nancy Harley

BEADLE

(8:45 a.m.) Tim Bouch

LAY READER

Chris Hawk

BELL RINGER

Cindy Robbins

(11:15 a.m.) Jay White

David Ward

Helen Watson

PASTOR ON-CALL: OCTOBER 14—20

Oct. 14: Rev. Art Gatewood (843-323-1829)

Oct. 15-20: Dr. James Rogers (843-513-3717)

ELDER & DEACON ON-CALL: OCTOBER 14—20

Elder: Barbara Spell (843-224-4616)

Deacon: Pam Wall (843-697-3636)



WE ARE A STEPHEN MINISTRY CHURCH. For confidential referral, or if you are interested in becoming a Stephen Minister please contact The Rev. Art Gatewood (843-722-8882) or Ministry Leaders: John & Pat Dietz, Betts Gatewood and Steve Harth.

SPECIAL WORSHIP AIDS AVAILABLE: Please ask the Ushers for assistance.

Audio Enhancer Giant Print Bible Large Print Hymnal Wheelchair Assistance

PUBLICATION ANNOUNCEMENT INFORMATION

SUNDAY BULLETIN DEADLINE IS BY 5:00 PM ON MONDAY.

KIRK NEWS (e-newsletter) DEADLINE IS BY 5:00 PM ON MONDAY.

Bulletin, Kirk News & Web Site information should be submitted in writing to
Publications (publications@first-scots.org).

CHILDREN & YOUTH MINISTRY

ATTENTION YOUTH!

Youth in grades 6-12 meet Sundays from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at the Kirk House (62 King Street) unless noted below. Dinner is provided.

High School

October 13: Dinner Downtown

October 20: World & Local Mission Night

October 27: Fall Festival (3:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.; meet in Molly Wier Hall)

Middle School

October 13: Dinner and a Movie

October 20: Discussion—Parent & Sibling Relationships

October 27: Fall Festival (3:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.; meet in Molly Wier Hall)

Want more details regarding youth ministry events? Visit www.tinyurl.com/FirstScotsYouth

Fall Festival

Sunday, October 27, 3:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.

Molly Wier Hall

4:00 p.m. Costume Parade

Fun and games for all ages! Go fish, candy walk, rubber duck game, and so much more!

*Families are invited

*Candy donations accepted in Suzy Edwards' office



EVANGELISM

Welcome New Members

Today we welcome several new members into our church family. Please join us on the Portico following the 11:15 a.m. worship service for a time of fellowship and to greet new members. There will be lemonade and cookies for all to enjoy!



Kirk Club Update

There will be NO KIRK CLUB this Wednesday, October 16. We hope everyone enjoys a wonderful fall break and look forward to seeing everyone when we reconvene on Wednesday 10/23.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP

Wednesday, October 16

5:30 p.m. Communion Service in Lilly Chapel

6:00 p.m. Dinner in Molly Wier Hall

This week's Menu:

Salad Bar
Chicken Chili
Cornbread
Dessert
and



CHILI COOK-OFF!

PLEASE MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS for Wednesday Night Supper on the friendship pad today, or by phone or email (843-722-8882, reception@first-scots.org) no later than NOON tomorrow (**Monday, October 14**).

You won't want to miss one of the hottest events of the year! First (Scots) Chili Cook-Off will be held this Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. in Molly Wier Hall.

Whether you want to COOK and COMPETE—or just want to COME and EAT—you're bound to have a whole lot of fun. Prizes will be given for the best chilis!

TO COMPETE: If you are interested in participating in the cook-off, please call the church office (843-722-8882 or reception@first-scots.org) to sign up. You will need to provide your own crock/hot pot and ladle, and we will provide the extensions cords.

TO ATTEND: Chef Nancy will be cooking a chicken chili with cornbread, salad, and dessert. If you will be attending dinner, but not entering the competition, please sign up as usual. There will be no regular supper charge, but we will have a basket for donations.

FELLOWSHIP



Facebook Invitation:

Did you know that First (Scots) is on Facebook? Like us at

www.facebook.com/firstscotspresbyterian.



Men's Bible Study & Breakfast

Please join us for Men's Bible study as we continue studying the book of Daniel. We meet on Tuesdays at 7:00 a.m. in Molly Wier Hall. Breakfast is \$10.

Registration Now for the PW Retreat

The annual Presbyterian Women Retreat will take place as a one-day event on Saturday, January 11, 2020 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Charleston Marriott. Registration is now open on our website at www.first-scots.org. A link to the online registration form is located at the bottom of the main/home page. Register now until November 1 and save \$10 on your registration fee! (\$40 early bird registration/\$50 after November 1). Lunch is included in the cost. We hope to see you there!

SCOTTISH HERITAGE SUNDAY

Save the Date: Scottish Heritage Sunday

The 47th annual Kirkin' O' the Tartan will be held on Sunday, November 3. On that morning we will welcome Rev. Peter Sutton of the Parish Church of St. Cuthbert in Scotland. Whether it will be your first—or 47th Kirkin' O' the Tartan—come join us for a festive morning honoring First (Scots) roots. Both 8:45 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. services will feature a procession of clan tartans, the Citadel pipe band, and a sermon given by Rev. Sutton. Scottish heritage displays and Scottish snacks will be available at receptions in Molly Wier Hall following both worship services.

Help Needed: Scottish Heritage Receptions

Volunteers are needed to help with setup of the receptions, keeping the goodies stocked during the event, and clean up afterwards. As usual, we are looking forward to church members providing donations of shortbread, oatmeal cookies, Scotch eggs, and all things Scottish. Recipes for Molly Wier's shortbread, Scotch eggs, and scones are available in the back of the church, at the reception desk near Molly Wier Hall, or can be emailed. If you are interested in helping, please contact Dorothy Thaxton at dorothy.thaxton@gmail.com.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

Stephen Ministry

An Empty, Aching Hole – and Memories

Someone you love has died, and the world is darker. At a time like this, you need a caring, concerned friend to listen to you and support you. A Stephen Minister would like to be that friend.

If you are going through a difficult time and could use a caring friend, contact a Stephen Leader: Steve Harth, John Dietz, Pat Dietz, Art Gatewood or Betts Gatewood.

FOCUS ON FINANCES

Month Ending September 30, 2019

	Actual		Budget
	Month	*YTD	*YTD
Revenue			
Contributions	129,835	390,012	520,992
Designated Giving	13,333	20,209	-
Total	143,168	410,220	520,992
Expenses & Amortizations			
	200,997	482,947	520,992
Net Surplus/(Deficit)	(57,829)	(72,727)	-

*Fiscal Year: July 2019 - June 2020

Free Parking Code

Three hours of free parking is available in both the City of Charleston Queen Street Garage (93 Queen Street) and Charleston County's Queen Street Garage (85 Queen Street).



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