

FIRST (SCOTS) PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

53 Meeting Street, Charleston, South Carolina 29401

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SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER



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SUNDAY, APRIL 7, 2024

8:45 A.M. & 11:15 A.M. SERVICES

THE VISION OF GOD

PRELUDE

“Simple Gifts” Joseph Brackett/arr. Stephen DeCesare
“Loch Lomond” Scottish Folk Song/arr. Stephen DeCesare
Charleston Southern University Flute Choir (8:45) Regina Helcher Yost, Director
“In Thee Is Gladness” (11:15) Dale Wood

(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.

†PASSING OF THE PEACE

CHORAL INTROIT

“God Is in This Holy Place” Johannes Brahms/arr. Hal Hopson
Katherine Clarkson, soprano, Timmi Winston, mezzo soprano

†CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor Mary Robinson

One: We gather to worship the Risen Christ,

All: who brings us peace amidst our doubts and breathes new life into our weary lives.

One: We gather to worship the one whom Thomas called, “My Lord and my God!”

All: We testify to his wounds, his hands, his side, and declare the joy of his resurrection!

†PROCESSIONAL HYMN

“Crown Him with Many Crowns”

Hymn No. 151

PRAYER OF ADORATION

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

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

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

Almighty and Everlasting God, like the disciples before us, our doubts and fears often place us behind closed doors. We struggle to trust in your promises and seek tangible proof of your love. Forgive us, O Lord, for our timidity and our lack of trust in you! Inspire within us an assurance of things hoped, a conviction for things not seen; through Jesus Christ, our Risen Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forevermore. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

†GLORIA PATRI

“Glory be to the Father”
*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.*

THE WORD OF GOD

†CHILDREN'S HYMN

“This Little Light of Mine!”
*This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine! This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine!
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine! Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine!
Ev'rywhere I go, I'm gonna let it shine! Ev'rywhere I go, I'm gonna let it shine!
Ev'rywhere I go, I'm gonna let it shine! Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine!*

THE TIME FOR CHILDREN

† *Those who are able, please stand.*

THE TIME FOR TEENS

(Children through 5 years old are dismissed to the Massie Building for Children's Church.)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Pam Arnett (8:45)

Bob Ross (11:15)

THE WORD READ

Old Testament: Judges 6:36-40

(pew Bible, page 195)

New Testament: John 20:19-31

(pew Bible, page 883)

One: The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

THE WORD PROCLAIMED

“BEYOND THE TOMB OF DOUBT”

The Rev. Dr. L. Holton Siegling, Jr.

THE RESPONSE TO THE WORD

†THE APOSTLES' CREED (unison)

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, died, 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

“Christ Arose”

Low in the grave he lay, Jesus my Savior, waiting the coming day, Jesus my Lord!

Refrain: *Up from the grave he arose; with a mighty triumph o'er his foes; he arose a victor from the dark domain, and he lives forever, with his saints to reign. He arose! He arose! Hallelujah! Christ arose!*

Vainly they watch his bed, Jesus my Savior; vainly they seal the dead, Jesus my Lord! [Refrain]

Death cannot keep its prey, Jesus my Savior; he tore the bars away, Jesus my Lord! [Refrain]

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

The Rev. Dr. James T. Rogers

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

(We celebrate that some people choose to give electronically or by texting FIRSTSCOTS to 73256.)

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

“Give Me Jesus”

arr. Lloyd Larson

†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

† *Those who are able, please stand.*

†HYMN OF COMMITMENT

“When Peace, Like a River”

*When peace, like a river, attendeth my way, when sorrows like sea billows roll; whatever my lot,
thou hast taught me to say, “It is well, it is well with my soul.”*

Refrain: *It is well (It is well) with my soul (with my soul); it is well, it is well with my soul.*

*Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come, let this blest assurance control:
that Christ has regarded my helpless estate, and has shed his own blood for my soul. [Refrain]*

*My sin oh, the bliss of this glorious thought! My sin, not in part, but the whole, is nailed to the cross,
and I bear it no more; praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul! [Refrain]*

*O Lord, haste the day when my faith shall be sight, the clouds be rolled back as a scroll;
the trump shall resound, and the Lord shall descend; even so, it is well with my soul. [Refrain]*

†CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

The Rev. Dr. L. Holton Siegling, Jr.

†BENEDICTION RESPONSE

“Alleluia”

K. Lee Scott

†POSTLUDE

“Fanfare in D”

Nicolas Jacques Lemmens

FLOWERS: The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are given in loving memory of Paul Hadley.

OUR SERVICE OF WORSHIP EXTENDS BEYOND THE WALLS OF THE SANCTUARY

in the form of video recording and live streaming. Your presence with us today signifies consent to the possibility that your image may be included as part of our media broadcast.

FIRST (SCOTS) HISTORY TOURS

Please join us for a guided tour and brief history of First (Scots) following the conclusion of worship.

Please come up and meet your Docent directly in front of the pulpit following the service.

The tour will last approximately 10-15 minutes.

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

ASSISTING WITH THE SERVICE TODAY

8:45 a.m. GREETER: Whit Smith **11:15 a.m. GREETERS:** Jane McNeill, Julianne Farnsworth

COFFEE GREETER: Lisle Henderson

8:45 a.m. USHERS: Robert Hawk (Captain), Keith Blake, Ryan Glenn, Walker Glenn

11:15 a.m. USHERS: Slade Metcalf (Captain), Anne Dukes, Ben Hess, John Robinson, Steve Werber, Nelson Werber

8:45 a.m. DEACONS: Ansley Feussner (Lead Deacon), Todd Plaxco

11:15 a.m. DEACONS: Wesley Henderson (Lead Deacon), Lindsey Melville

8:45 a.m. BEADLE: David Hay **11:15 a.m. BEADLE:** David Hay

8:45 a.m. LAY READER: Pam Arnett **11:15 a.m. LAY READER:** Bob Ross

MEDIA MINISTRY: Cathy Hill

ELDER ON CALL (April 8 – 14) – John Robinson (843) 696-9266

DEACON ON CALL (April 8 – 14) – Chett McCubrey (843) 475-1678

PASTOR ON CALL (April 8 – 14) – The Rev. Dr. L. Holton Siegling, Jr. (865) 456-2235



The Reverend Dr. L. Holton Siegling, Jr., Senior Pastor
The Reverend Dr. James T. Rogers, Associate Pastor
Pastor Mary Robinson, Commissioned Lay Pastor



Ricard Bordas, Director of Choral Music
Katherine Clarkson, Kirk Choristers Director
Scarlett Crawford, Church Administrator
Jennifer Cromwell, Kindergarten Director
Linda Deeter, Administrative Assistant to the Pastors
Karen Kuhn, Administrative Assistant

Shelby Olinger, Church Accountant
Martha Ann Siegling, Christian Education Assistant
Chris Silva, Communications Coordinator
Garry Stone, Facility Maintenance Coordinator
Christina Wilhoit, Handbell Choir Director
Dr. Anthony Williams, Organist and Director of Music

WELCOME TO FIRST (SCOTS)

1731 Legacy Society Update



Including the 1731 Legacy Society as a full or partial beneficiary of your will or retirement account, such as a 401(k) IRA, paid-up insurance policy, DAF, or another retirement asset allows your support to continue well past your lifetime. For more information, contact Bill Prewitt directly at (843) 620-0158 or wmcprewitt@gmail.com

Volunteer Appreciation Day and Block Party

One Service at 10:00 am
and Block Party from 11:00 am-1:00 pm

Sunday, May 19th

Bring your family and friends for fun, games, and food

A congregational meeting has been called for today, Sunday, April 7, at 10:50 a.m. for a report from the nominating committee.

Looking for a nice mid-week break?



Visit our candlelight Taizé worship and communion service on Wednesdays at 5:30 p.m. in Lilly Chapel.

Taizé is a contemplative, meditative service of Christian prayer, song, and scripture. Through the community's ecumenical outlook, worshippers are encouraged to live in the spirit of kindness, simplicity and reconciliation.

Wednesday Night Supper

Call the church office at (843) 722-8882 or email Karen Kuhn at kkuhn@first-scots.org to RSVP.

Deadline for reservation is Monday, April 8, at noon.

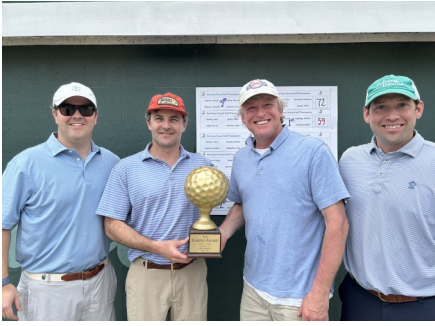
“Western Night” Wednesday’s dinner menu: hamburgers, baked beans, coleslaw, and potato chips with chocolate chip cookies for dessert
And line dancing too!

Upcoming Wednesday Night Programs and Events

April 10: Western Night - Line Dancing, part 1 with Pam

April 17: Line Dancing, part 2 with Pam Arnett

May 1: Youth Ministry (Youth Auction) with Mark Zuraw



20th Annual First (Scots) Fellowship Golf Tournament

A big thank you to Brent Sausser who spearheaded the effort, for the members of the Fellowship Committee who helped, and for all of the sponsors and players. All proceeds will benefit the local, regional, and world mission efforts of the First (Scots) Youth.

The winners of the tournament included:

Wesley Henderson

Nilly McGill

Holton Siegling

Clark Truluck

First Scots Church Golf Tournament	65	72
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Every Sunday, we provide children's activity bulletins (for ages 3-7 and 7+) on the back tables near the entrance to the sanctuary. These bulletins offer interesting age-appropriate activities for children. Pick one up!

NOTE: Beginning on Sunday, May 19, First (Scots) will hold one worship service that meets at 10 a.m.

Stephen Ministers - Who Are They?

A Stephen Minister provides one-to-one care to individuals facing life challenges or other difficulties. A Stephen minister is a child of God who walks beside a person who is hurting, who has received 50 hours of training in providing emotional and spiritual care, and will "be there" for his or her care receiver for as long as there's a need. First (Scots) has 16 Stephen Ministers. We will have a new class in the fall.

Current Stephen Minister team leaders are:

Tom Slabaugh (859) 221-5069

Anne Smith (843) 817-1337

Matt Spath (843) 324-5990

If you would like to speak with a Stephen Minister, call us.



The young adult/parenting class begins a new 6-week video session that starts today in room 203 of the Massie Building. It is entitled "Making Kids Mind Without Losing Yours." We know schedules are busy, so please feel free to attend all sessions or just drop in as you can.

Presbyterian Women's Retreat

Theme: Resurrection Life

Speaker - The Rev. Ansley B. Page from
First Presbyterian - Spartanburg

Saturday, April 13, 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Molly Wier Hall

Register by April 10

Bring a friend and come explore Resurrection Life in the gospels with other women of faith. Even when life is challenging, Jesus comes alongside us and shows us the way to a hope that doesn't disappoint. Through Bible study and reflection, and sisterhood and laughter, Resurrection Life can transform every day! Coffee, pastries, lunch, and childcare included, and you might take home a door prize!

Register by emailing Betsy Middleton at:

epmiddleton@gmail.com and sending check for \$40 per person payable to First (Scots) PW to
Anne Dukes, 80 Bull St., Charleston, SC 29401

Childcare Registration: Email Laura Beall at

laurabeall77@gmail.com with number of children and ages.

There is Still Time to Donate to the Youth Auction!

Mark the date, **May 1**, on your calendar and join us for supper, a silent auction, a live auction, a cash and carry room, door prizes and more. All proceeds go to Youth Mission work.

For donations drop-off, contact the church office.

Before donating furniture, please call Mark Zuraw at
(843) 822-3470

Antiques	Art Supplies	Baby Sitting
Baked Goods	Bicycles	Boats & Water Sports
Bric-a-Brac	China	Computer Services
Crystal	Decorating Items	DVD & CD
Small Furniture	Frozen Casseroles	Garden Items
Harbor Tours	Jewelry	Kitchen Items
Purses & Hats	Lamps	Legal Services
Music Lessons	Original Art	Party Services
Professional Services	Un-Opened Perfume and Cologne	Restaurant Gift Certificates
Rugs	Sports Equipment	Sports Tickets
Tools	Toys	Vacation Rentals

*Please NO clothes, large appliances, guns, VCR items, books, large exercise equipment or sofas.



Scan to Register

Vacation Bible School

July 29 - August 2

9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

\$75 per child (ages 4 & up)

Includes a T-Shirt and Lunch



FREE CONCERT

Saturday, April 13

7 p.m. at First (Scots) Presbyterian

The Peak Ensemble

The Ensemble will be performing international choral works from Hreiðar Ingi Þorsteinsson, Eric Nelson, Ríks Eðenvalds, Keith Hampton, Paul Rardin, and more!

Youth Group, April 7 (12:15 - 3:15 p.m.)

High School & Middle School Youth: Rake and Run

Important Update! Due to staff transition at Pet Helpers, high school and middle school youth will be joining forces this Sunday. Meet at the Kirk House at 12:15 p.m. (or immediately following the 11:15 a.m. worship service) for lunch before heading out to “rake and run” at congregation members' homes where a little help with their yards may be needed. Bring clothes that may get dirty and are weather-appropriate. Everyone is encouraged to bring work gloves, a rake, and a filled water bottle (if possible). Please have a parent complete the Youth Permission and Release Statement (scan the QR code to the right) if you haven't turned one in for 2023-2024. We plan to return to the Kirk House at 3:15 p.m.



Parents Night Out

On Sunday, April 14, from 5-7 p.m. the youth of First (Scots) will be hosting a Parents' Night Out at the church for all children nursery age through fifth grade. There is no cost for children to attend, and donations will not be accepted. Please reserve your space using the SignUpGenius (**scan the QR code below**). Please include a parent name, an emergency phone number, the child's name, age and anything we should know (food allergies, physical limitations, etc.) A pizza supper will be provided, however you are welcome to bring a different meal, if desired.



We Want to Celebrate Our Graduates

Are you or is somebody else in your family graduating from high school, college, or graduate school? If so, we'd love to celebrate this achievement. Please submit graduate information by April 15 using the **QR codes below**.

Please note that the annual High School Senior Recognition Sunday will be on April 28 at 11:15 a.m. During this worship service we will introduce and pray for our high school seniors, as well as do a special presentation of gifts.



High School Seniors



College Graduates

Deacon Nominations Class of 2027



Elizabeth Bernat is a 20+ year member of First (Scots) and has served in various capacities including usher, docent, high school Sunday school teacher, Meals on Wheels, and Congregational Care Committee. She first served on the Diaconate in 2016-2019. Elizabeth works for Roper St. Francis Healthcare as director of senior services and Lowcountry and Waring Senior Centers. She has two children, Anneliese (age 23) and Max (age 20), and lives on James Island.



Bonnie Hutson is a lifelong member of First (Scots) Church and has previously served on the Diaconate, the Fellowship and Pastor Nominating committees, attended various study groups, and traveled to Haiti for mission work. She works as a dental hygienist in private practice and resides on James Island with her two bulldogs. She enjoys baking, gardening, and listening to live music.



Elizabeth Johnson grew up as a member of First (Scots). As a child, she was an active member of Sunday school, youth group, and choir. In the past, she has helped with Kirk Club and Vacation Bible School. Several years ago, Elizabeth served on the diaconate and co-chaired the local missions committee where she helped organize Scots Day of volunteering. She is a member of Women at the Well. She has degrees from Davidson College and a Masters in Early Childhood Education from the College of Charleston. She teaches pre-kindergarten at Ashley Hall where she has worked for 25 years. She is excited to join the diaconate again.



Joanne Mauldin is married to Stan, and together they have three daughters who all live in Charleston. In 2018, they moved to Charleston from Rock Hill, where she had been a third-grade teacher for 31 years. JoJo is the proud grandmother of six grandsons and one granddaughter. Her youngest daughter is Taylor Rushing whose family also attends First (Scots). She believes that God led them to First (Scots) where they have been welcomed and embraced by joyful believers. She has served on the Presbyterian Women's Board for three years, teaches Sunday School, and helps with Kirk Club. She loves First (Scots) and finds great pleasure in serving God through His Church.



Kathy Rhodes has been a member of First (Scots) since May of 2000 and has previously served as a deacon. She is a retired administrator and educator who enjoyed a career at the university, district, state, and national levels. She has frequently served the church as an usher and has participated in the work of the Congregational Care committee, Scottish Heritage committee, docent program, and youth mission auction. She is a member of the Unbroken Circle, Wired Word Sunday school class, and Table Talk Bible study. Her daughter, son-in-law, and two granddaughters live in Charlotte, NC.



Anna Smith is a lifelong member of First (Scots), having been both baptized and married in the church and fondly remembering Mrs. Martin as her Sunday School teacher and Mrs. Watson as her choir director. Her mother, Ellen Davega, is buried in the graveyard on the Tradd Street side of the sanctuary. Anna has been married to Bill for 24 years and has two daughters, Shea and Susanna, who were both confirmed at First (Scots). Anna has taught high school English for 26 years and has been at Porter-Gaud for the last 19 years of her career.



Matthew Thomas was born in Wilmington, NC to Larry and Fran Thomas. He grew up, with two other siblings, in eastern NC; living in New Bern and later in Whiteville. He had many great memories attending Camp Albemarle (PCUSA) on Bogue Sound as a youth. The family attended First Presbyterian of New Bern and then First Presbyterian of Whiteville, where his parents still attend. In 1997 he moved to Raleigh to attend NC State University. He graduated from NC State University in Environmental Science in 2000 and began working as an Environmental Scientist in Raleigh. During his time there, he attended First Presbyterian Church of Raleigh. In 2015, he accepted an Environmental Planner position in Charleston. He has been attending First (Scots) since 2017 and became a member by letter of transfer. He has been assisting as an usher for over a year and a half.



Emily Topham has been a member of First (Scots) since 2002 and has served many roles, including Koinonia leader, Kirk Club co-director (2018-2020), VBS teacher, Kirk Club Bible teacher, and youth Sunday School teacher. She and her husband David were married at First (Scots) in 2011, and their three children, Ava, Brooks, and Henry, were baptized here in 2014 and 2016. Emily is the development manager for the Charleston Parks Conservancy.





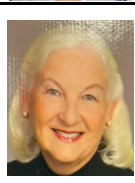

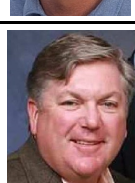
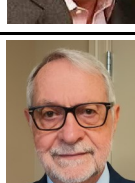
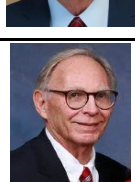
John White, Sr. lives in Mount Pleasant and joined First (Scots) in 1998. He and his wife Janet were married at First (Scots) and are celebrating 25 years of marriage. All three of their children were baptized at First (Scots). He has served on the diaconate two previous terms and is eager to be serve, if called upon.

Youth Deacon Nominee Class of 2025

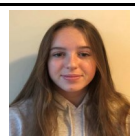


Susannah Spath is a junior at Academic Magnet. She loves going to the beach, traveling, and spending time with her friends. She is on the tennis team and serves as a youth leader for the church.

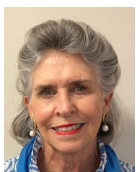
Elder Nominations Class of 2027

	<p>Jon Carter joined First (Scots) in 2006 after he and his wife Hayley and their children moved to Charleston. He grew up in the Presbyterian Church and served as a deacon in his home church. He has previously served at First (Scots) as an elder and on the stewardship committee. His other church activities include usher, Kirk Club table parent, adult Sunday school teacher, confirmation guide, SCOTS day, and Koinonia. He is employed by Roper St. Francis where he serves as regional medical director for the Express Cares.</p>
	<p>Shary Dillon joined First (Scots) in 1983 when she and her family moved to Charleston. She sings in the Kirk Choir and serves as the music librarian. She has served as a deacon and an elder, working on the Local Missions, Personnel, and Christian Ed committees. She was honored to serve on the general nominating committee and Associate Pastor search committee. She and her husband Rob have two children who were both confirmed at First (Scots). Their daughter Ginny and her husband Eric live in Brooklyn with their three amazing toddler boys. Their son Bryan went to be with the Lord on April 28, 2023.</p>
	<p>Brenda Dukes joined First (Scots) with her husband Tom and children, Lauren and Tom, 45 years ago when Dr. Noble was pastor. In the past she served as a deacon and on the board of women of the church. She played piano for Bible school and children's choirs. After retiring as a teacher at Ashley Hall, she served as volunteer coordinator for God's Gift Shop and as volunteer for Hands of Christ. She is now in the handbell choir. From ages 12-28, she was organist for various churches. Music has been a major part of her life, as pianist or organist for schools, churches, and as a piano teacher. She believes that she has been truly blessed with a God-given talent to use in His service.</p>
	<p>Todd Garrett and his wife Jessica have been members of First (Scots) since 2006. They have 4 children: Louisa, Lila, Hank, and Della. Todd has previously served as a deacon and an elder. He chaired the First (Scots) Kindergarten board and was past chair and current member of the World Missions committee. He has led mission trips to Iquitos, Peru; Chiapas, Mexico; and Nkhoma, Malawi. He and Jessica are currently co-teaching the high school Sunday school class. Todd is the managing partner for Harbor Commercial Partners, a commercial real estate firm.</p>
	<p>Ryan Glenn was born in Charleston in 1976 to First (Scots) members, Frank and Katherine Glenn. They moved to Atlanta in 1981, were members of Peachtree Presbyterian, and he was confirmed and attended youth group there. In high school, he traveled to Venezuela for 6 months as an exchange student. He graduated from Clemson in 1999 with a degree in Language (Spanish) and International Trade. He has been in Charleston since 2000, married at First (Scots) to his wife Carmen in 2006. They have a son and daughter who were both baptized at First (Scots). He has volunteered as an usher, at Kirk Club, and joined overseas mission trips. He looks forward to working with the session for the next 3 years.</p>
	<p>Harvey Mason moved to Mount Pleasant from Charlotte in 2012 with his wife Meredith to be closer to their two children. Since then, they have added 6 very loved grandchildren to their family. They were both raised in the Presbyterian Church and were members of First Presbyterian Charlotte before becoming members of First (Scots). Since joining First (Scots), he has served as a deacon, as member of various committees and as volunteer on community outreach initiatives. He continues to learn and grow in his Christian faith and how it applies to life choices made every day. He is humbled to be nominated as an elder and will work hard, if chosen, to make a meaningful contribution.</p>
	<p>David McCormack joined First (Scots) in 1984. He has previously served twice on the session, as a deacon, and moderator of the diaconate. He has served as chair of the Personnel Committee, chair of the Worship Committee, and as a member of the World Missions Committee. He is an usher, a lay reader, and member of a Koinonia group. David is married to Margaret, and they have two grown daughters and a new granddaughter. They live near the church on Tradd Street.</p>
	<p>Clarissa McKenzie and her husband Greg have been members of First (Scots) for more than 25 years and raised their children, Mattie (24) and Hewitt (15) in the church. She currently serves as Middle School Youth Advisor, facilitates the Mere Christians adult Sunday school class with Greg, is secretary for the World Missions Committee, and participates in Circle with the Woman at the Well. She has joined in mission trips to LAMB Institute in Honduras, volunteered in Christian Ed opportunities, and served as moderator for Presbyterian Women. She loves sports, cooking, and fellowship. She is honored to serve as an elder once again.</p>

Youth Elder Nominee, Class of 2025

	<p>Maggie Wall was baptized at First (Scots) as a baby and joined the church membership in 2023. She has participated in Sunday school and youth group, has been a member of the Youth Leadership team, and has served on mission trips to Asheville and the Thornwell Home. Maggie is a freshman at Bishop England High School where she plays soccer and runs cross country.</p>
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Nominating Committee At-Large Nominees



Ann Anderson



Josh Gregory



Craig Hanson



Linda Stout



Jay White



Hazel Bello

Youth