

We CONNECT - 22.6% of the 2025 Budget



In 2024, we were woven tightly together through fellowship events like Pentecost Pancakes, Women's Salad Supper, and our annual Christmas Banquet. Our Congregational Care team started the Phone Buddy initiative, making sure that our most vulnerable members stay woven in our tapestry of faith. Our Connect groups knitted new friends into our pattern at Beer Tasters, Women's Circle, Ladies' Lunch Out, Bookworms, Young Adults, WPC Youth, WPC Kids, and WPC Littles. We're especially grateful to Adrian Rodriguez, who served as our pastoral care intern and supported WPC friends in their time of need. In the past ten years, we have welcomed over 100 new members, along with 12 confirmands!



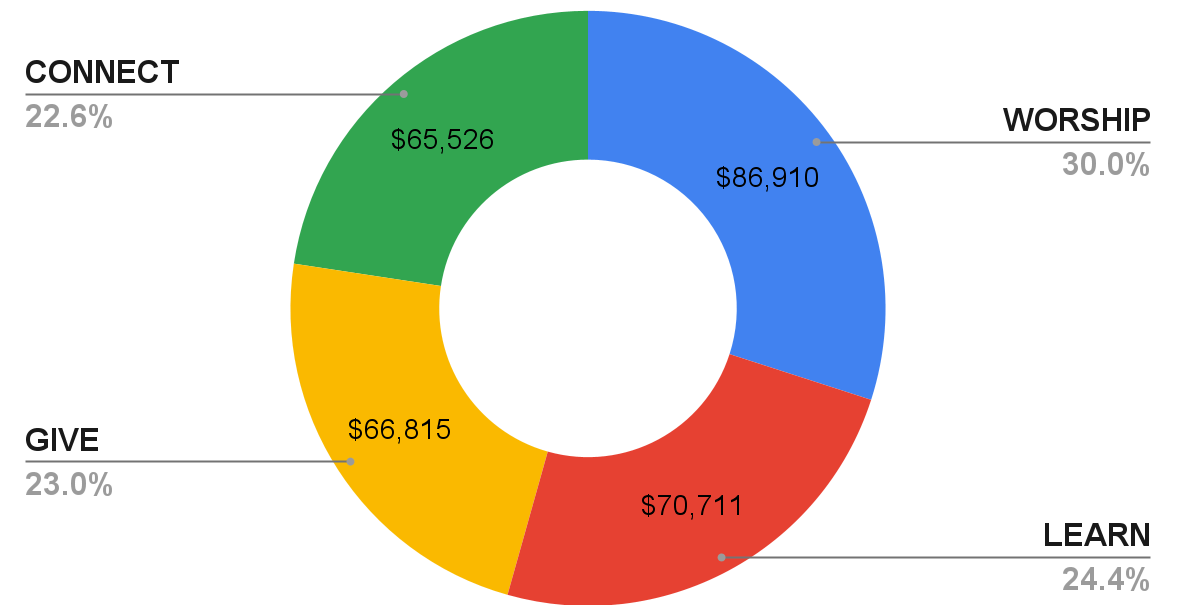
Prayerfully consider how your gift can weave us together on **Stewardship Commitment Sunday, January 26** as we offer our pledge cards.



Westminster Presbyterian Church

Rooted in God's love and grace, we worship, learn, give, and connect, refreshing people with Living Water. We reach out to share the Water with all who thirst.

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Through His extraordinary life, death, and resurrection, Jesus Christ binds us together and equips us as partners to continue His work. At Westminster, we **Worship, Learn, Give, and Connect**, sharing the Living Water of Jesus Christ with all who thirst. Together, we financially support the ministries of our church to transform lives within and outside our walls. Our gifts declare that we are woven together in 2025 through our \$295,247 budget at WPC - Where People Care.

We **WORSHIP** - 30% of the 2025 Budget

In worship, we celebrate that God has woven us together through the waters of baptism and the meal at the Lord's Table. Our tapestry of faith was fully on display in worship throughout 2024 as we welcomed three baptisms. We rejoiced with Elizabeth Barney as she swan song-ed into retirement, commissioning a hymn to recognize her ministry. We then welcomed our next Minister of Music Jackie Ancelet without missing a beat! We incorporated multiple elements in worship, with reader's theaters and special music leaders like Rev. William Heard and Rev. Dr. Alfie Wines. We hosted the Arlington Police Department at our third annual Faith & Blue Sunday. In addition to the liturgical calendar, we also recognized Scout Sunday, Mr. Rogers' Sunday, Beloved Sunday, VBS Sunday, Youth Sunday, and Children's Sunday. Every worship was enhanced by the faithful and committed members of our Media Team! In 2025, we look forward to weaving together our faith through creative worship, regular live streaming, and restarting home communion.



We **LEARN** - 24.4% of the 2025 Budget

In Sunday School, Bible studies, and Vacation Bible School, we are woven together with God's Word to live into our calling as disciples. Brooklyn Richardson continues to serve as Director of Children and Youth Ministries, developing relationships with WPC families and inviting new ones to come and see what God is doing at WPC. Along with 80-90 others, we learned about current issues through a Christian lens in our Lenten Crucial Conversations with guest speakers. We had a VBS Food Truck Party, filling up the Reverse Food Truck with donations. In 2025, we look forward to a second season of Crucial Conversations and a new Sunday morning Bible study!



We **GIVE** - 23% of the 2025 Budget

At WPC we believe we are woven together not just with each other but with all of God's children. That's why we prioritize our mission and outreach activities, including NEW DAY (8981 bags packed and delivered from WPC!), Quilters (78 quilts made!), Wesley Foundation meals, Living Waters for the World supplies, Welcome Home donations, and Swift Elementary school support. We continue to partner with Mobile Food Pantry, Arlington Charities, Arlington Life Shelter, and Presbyterian Children's Homes and Services to care for the least of these in Jesus' name. 14 youth and three chaperones took our mission outward on their mission trip to Austin, addressing food insecurity face-to-face through service and education. In addition to our budgeted giving, we gave over \$25,000 through the church to extra mission efforts. Our members also supported the Gilmont Capital Campaign, pledging almost \$44,000 to expand that inclusive and safe place in God's creation. We are woven together in generosity!