

Your JIPC session met on Tuesday May 21 for several important items of business. We are glad to share these highlights with you.

1. Deacon Bo Baxter presented updates from the Board of Deacons. This group continues to be very active in ministering to the congregation.
2. Session received confirmand Walker Jack Weaver who shared his statement of faith and answered questions for his examination. Upon unanimous vote of session, he will be welcomed into membership at an upcoming worship service. Congratulations to Walker Jack and all of our confirmands!
3. Since the last session meeting, there have been 2 meetings of the Charleston Atlantic Presbytery. Elders Jane Crawford, Cheryl Stepka-Tracey and Herb Foster gave reports on these.
4. The session welcomed Allison Hubbard to the meeting. Elders expressed their appreciation for her many years of service and sorrow over her parting.
5. Finance gave an updated report as pledges continue to come. 183 members/families have pledged \$766, 487 for 2024 creating the basis for JIPC's budgeting process. All glory to God!
6. The Worship and Music committee shared that 42 of JIPC's children, youth and adults will attend the Montreat Worship and Music conference in June – one of the largest groups in recent memory. This large group will bring back new choral and bell music and worship ideas that will enrich JIPC throughout the year.
7. On May 21, 2024 Session approved a motion to call a special congregational meeting for the purpose of voting on proposed revisions to the JIPC bylaws with the meeting to be held after worship on June 9, 2024, and a listening session to be held on the prior Sunday afternoon at 4pm. As required per JIPC by-laws, announcement of the special congregational meeting was initially sent to members on Sunday 5/26/24, 2 consecutive Sundays prior to the meeting date.

The session asks for your continued prayers. Blessings to you all!

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