

# HERE I AM, LORD



## STEWARDSHIP MINISTRY 2026 ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH



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St. Mary's Episcopal Church is a wonderful blessing! God has guided us in our search and call of a new rector. We have welcomed joyfully the Rev. Daniel J. Reeves, his wife, Krysta, their children – Paxton and Esme. Newcomers are joining us in the pews, in service opportunities across our region, and in the fields from rural Virginia to Ecuador. Our energy is contagious and we continue to attract new members while meeting the current spiritual and fellowship needs of our parish.

Clearly, individually and collectively, we have said “Here I AM, Lord” and God is guiding us. We are putting our gifts and talents to good use. Let us do the same with our financial support, so that we may continue to do God's work.

God, here we are. Send us.

**Stations of the Cross on the Nature Trail**





## Children's Chapel

Worship is at the heart of our life.  
As we are fed with Christ's Body  
and Blood, our spirits are renewed  
and strengthened, and we are made  
ready for God's work.



## Chimes Choir



### Sunday evening service





Our Fellowship Ministry feeds us well throughout the year.



Sunday School



Welcome reception for Daniel and Krysta



From fellowship and formation to outreach both local and far afield, the people of St. Mary's have responded to God's call for us.



**Missions to Virginia's Eastern Shore (top) and Ecuador (bottom)**





Sunday School (top), Adult Forum (center), Youth Recognition Sunday (bottom)





Clockwise from top left: Shrove Tuesday pancake supper, Confirmation, BBQ & Brews, Altar Guild, Ecuador mission





The people, the place, the worship, the work: these key elements that make our St. Mary's community who we are bind us together as a family. Our parish family continues to grow, and our resources must expand to welcome newcomers and continue to serve people beyond our campus.



**Blessing of birthdays and anniversaries**



**The Rev. Daniel J. Reeves**



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A pledge to St. Mary's is a means through which we, as individuals and a congregation, show our faith, honor God, and stimulate growth within our parish.

A church pledge is different from secular charitable giving. Making a monetary pledge offering to St. Mary's is a primary Christian practice, just as saying daily prayers, practicing mercy to those in need, or coming to church.

As a spiritual practice, pledging is a tangible means to show gratitude to God for His goodness, His miracle of love, and for His countless blessings bestowed upon us.

Please pray fervently with a grateful heart to be good stewards of our gifts to our families and our community. Let us do God's work with a thankful heart.



High-school Appalachia Service Project mission in W.Va.

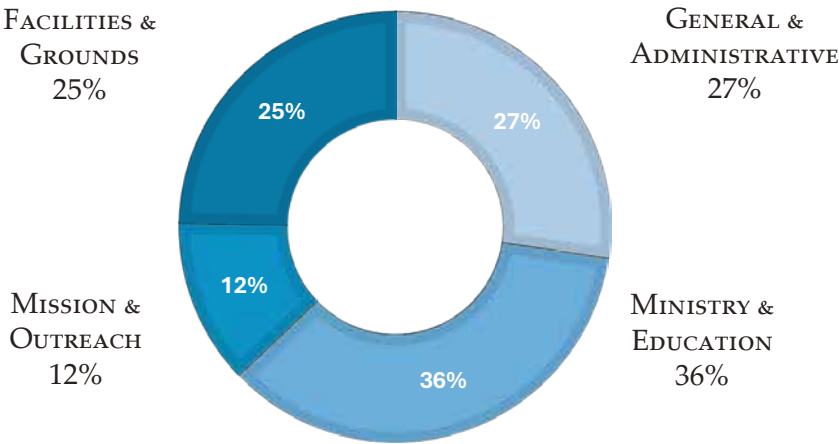
# OUR GOAL:

\$1.6 MILLION

In 2025, St. Mary’s pledged \$1,382,000 for the mission and ministry of Christ. This year, to meet our growth needs, our goal for 2026 is \$1,600,000.

## EXPENSE BREAKDOWN

(JANUARY 2025 - AUGUST 2025 EST.)



### MINISTRY & EDUCATION

Includes the resources we need to grow in Christ, for our worshipping life, and to break bread together.



### MISSION & OUTREACH

Includes the means to care for and support agencies and ministries beyond St. Mary’s, as well as our larger Episcopal family.



### GENERAL & ADMINISTRATIVE

Includes the resources for daily operations at St. Mary’s, including technology and communications equipment, postage and printing, and travel costs.



### BUILDINGS & GROUNDS

Includes the means to care for our sacred grounds and buildings.

*\*All expenditures on staff salaries and administrative costs are included in the percentages of expense breakdown categories.*



# WAYS TO PLEDGE



## BRING

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Bring your pledge card to the church on Sunday morning or to the church office during the week. We're open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday-Friday.



## MAIL

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Return a pledge card by mail to 12291 River Road, Richmond, VA 23238.



## EMAIL

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[estarling@stmarysgoochland.org](mailto:estarling@stmarysgoochland.org)



## CLICK

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[www.stmarysgoochland.org/pledge](http://www.stmarysgoochland.org/pledge)



## CALL

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804-784-5678 to speak with  
Elizabeth Starling, Director of  
Church Operations

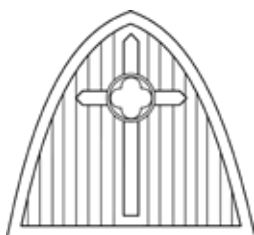


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