

# The Scroll

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## Bishopville Presbyterian Church

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### May 2019 At A Glance

2nd: National Day of Prayer  
5th: LCCM food gifts / Lila Frazier baptism  
12th: Mother's Day/BPC & REL Baccalaureate  
14th: Morning Circle  
15th: Men of Church  
17th: REL Graduation  
19th: Session / c/o 2022 Elder election  
27th: Memorial Day - Church Office closed



### June 2019 At A Glance

2nd: LCCM food gifts / Session  
3rd: LifeLine Health Screening @ BPC  
9th: Gideon Sunday - Chris out of pulpit  
16th: Father's Day / Jean Legters visits  
17th: Church Office closed for vacation  
22nd: Fellowship Hall reserved  
23rd: BPC feeds a Salkehatchie group  
26th: BPC feeds all Salkehatchie groups



**MEMORIAL DAY**



**MAY**

**2019**

Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.  
Fellowship & Coffee - 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Worship Service - 11:00 a.m.  
Women's Prayer Group: Wednesday's @ 4 pm  
Adult Choir - Thursday's @ 5:30 p.m.

### Business Office Hours

9:00 am - 5:00 pm (Mon., Tues., & Thurs.)

### Key Officers and Staff

Charlie Ipock, Clerk of Session  
Gregg McCutchen III, Assistant Clerk of Session  
Jerry Adams, Church Treasurer  
Billy Clyburn, Assistant Treasurer  
Gwen Hayden Steinmeyer, Office Manager  
Rev. Christopher Parnell, Pastor



# *Bishopville Presbyterian Church*

***May Elders-On-Call: Jerry Adams & Perry McCutchen***

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- Thursday, 2nd:** 7:40 am - 6:00 pm Sanctuary open for National Day of Prayer  
12:00 p.m. National Day of Prayer program @ Courthouse
- Sunday, 5th:** Third Sunday of Easter  
LCCM food altar gifts  
Lila Dow Frazier baptism  
Coffee: Kim & Aaron Easters  
Flowers: Frazier & Welsh family
- Sunday, 12th:** Fourth Sunday of Easter  
Mother's Day  
Coffee: Young-Adult SS Class  
Flowers: Family of Lila Mae Welsh  
8:00 a.m. Session  
11:00 a.m. BPC Baccalaureate Service  
7:00 p.m. REL Baccalaureate Service @ BUMC
- Tuesday, 14th:** 10:00 a.m. Morning Circle (Diane McElveen)
- Wednesday, 15th:** 7:00 p.m. Men of Church
- Friday, 17th:** 7:00 p.m. REL Graduation
- Sunday, 19th:** Fifth Sunday of Easter  
Coffee: Cindy Welsh / Kerry & Steven Frazier  
Flowers: Jim Ed & MaBeth McCutchen  
11:00 a.m. Elder c/o 2022 election
- Sunday, 26th:** Sixth Sunday of Easter  
Coffee: Betsy Bramlett & Betty Manning Heriot
- Monday, 27th:** Church Office closed (Memorial Day)



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## *OPEN 2019 Flower Calendar*

*May 26th;  
June 16th, 23rd, & 30th; July 21st;  
August 4th & 25th;  
September 1st, 15th, 22nd, & 29th*

Please contact the Church office if you would like to reserve one of these dates

**Business Office Hours**  
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday  
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Unless otherwise noted

Email us to receive enews: [bishopvillepc@gmail.com](mailto:bishopvillepc@gmail.com)  
Printed materials available, upon request, through office



**LCCM May Collection ~ CANNED FRUITS ~**  
Don't forget to bring extra canned items to Church on  
Sunday, May 5th for our monthly Altar collection



FROM THE  
PASTOR'S DESK

May is a great month - the school term ends, graduations happen, weddings happen, flowers bloom, farms kick off into an even higher gear, and we start to see the first fruits all around us, whether strawberries, plums, or blackberries. May is also a great month for the church.

We start getting ready for VBS, we think about midyear missions, and we get a chance to reflect on what we've done as a church through the busy Christmas, Valentines, & Easter seasons, and take a breath and wonder: What happens next? So here's what's about to happen at Bishopville PC, starting this month, May 2019: The 4-5<sup>th</sup> grade class is starting their catechism/communicants class. Please keep them in your prayers, along with their teachers.

The Sunday Afternoon Bible Study will tackle questions that people have about the doctrine of election - as I jokingly titled it: "all the questions you've ever wondered about the elect, & were predestined to ask." Please join us, Sunday afternoons at 5:30, for prayer & study.

And, for Sunday morning worship, I've been led to start a series of messages on encountering God - his person, his presence, his power, his providence, his provision - and to do this, I'd like us all to read a book about a boy, a girl, and two horses.

And at this point, my uncle Allen would reply, "Do what?"

Church is a multi-generational organism; she's a living thing, described as Jesus' bride, Jesus' garden, Jesus' body, Jesus' family. And, like any & every other family, the Church is made up of older & younger members, and those members grow and develop together. Our goal should be, as a church family, to encounter God together. So, we want to find a way to engage each other, to walk with each other, and the best way to do that is to take a pace that everybody can keep up with - which brings us to our book.

Out of all the Christian books written for children "of all ages", none (in my opinion) come close to being as effective as CS Lewis' *Chronicles of Narnia*. Reading these books, you easily realize that (1) Lewis loved God, and (2) Lewis loved children. These are fairy-tale adventures, these are great read-aloud stories, and these are lessons, written for a child's imagination & heart, that teach about God. And, out of the 7 *Chronicles*, none of them help us learn about encountering God more than CS Lewis' 1954 book, *The Horse and His Boy*. It's the story of a boy named Shasta, a talking horse named Bree, and an incredible adventure where he makes new friends, learns new things about himself, and encounters the Living God.

If you've never read Christian fantasy or children's books, it's a different experience. Please note, also, that Lewis is (1) a British Anglican, and (2) a man of the late 1800s, early 1900s, and the book itself came out in 1954. So there are going to be some challenging sections and different uses of language. But the overall message is solid - and the encounters with God the four main characters each have are timeless - and quite Biblical. This is where Lewis is the strongest. He joins his love for literature, his love for children, and his passion to introduce his Christian faith together, creatively, to make something that - for his time - was quite new and innovative. And through it, through his encounter with God on the pages of *The Horse and His Boy*, we too are encouraged to encounter God anew, and to use our own creativity, our own talents, and our own passions to help others encounter God, too.

If you want to join me & my family in reading *The Horse and His Boy*, you can find it (as of this article) for \$3.99 at [www.christianbook.com](http://www.christianbook.com). There are plenty of study guides that help, but one of the most valuable for family use is *Roar!: A Christian Family Guide to the Chronicles of Narnia*. It's available in paperback on Amazon for \$24, and ChristianBook has an ebook version for \$14.99.

At the same time, my messages for May will be built on the underlying scriptures, the encounter with God that helped to foster & grow this story - and our stories. I'll be providing notes, resources, and guides to help us as we, God's family here in Bishopville, encounter our Living Savior, our Living Eternal God

Blessings, Pastor Chris

### May Sunday Sermons



- 5th:**     *Encountering God's Providence*  
**12th:**    *Encountering God's Provision*  
**19th:**    *Encountering God's Protection*  
**26th:**    *Encountering God's Presence*



**News from the Session...**

What a joyous Easter we have had at Bishopville Presbyterian Church! As the flowers begin to bloom and the weather heats up, so has the outpouring of the Spirit on the Church as we've heard the good news of Christ's resurrection and through which all He has done for those who believe. The Church was blessed not only with a wonderful Easter Service, but the week as a whole as the Maundy Thursday service was not only well-received by the Church, but others who attended from the community. As the weather warms up, so do the activities of the Session. We have scheduled a Church-wide "clean up and shape up" day for the Church which will be this summer just to tidy up a few things around the Church, paint a few areas, update some signage, and the like. If you know of something which needs to be tended to, please let any of us on the Session know and we'll add it to our list.

Joy be with you this coming month as we continue through the Spring and recall all that has happened this April and that He is arisen and to sit down in that chair . . . and let him wash your feet!

In Christ, Charlie Ipock, Clerk of Session

**Next Session Meeting: June 2nd @ 8:00 am**

**MAY ELDERS-ON-CALL**

**\*Jerry Adams & Perry McCutchen**

\*denotes Session prayer/devotion responsibilities

### Congregational Meeting Elder Election c/o 2022 Sunday, May 21st

The following names have been submitted from the 2019 Elder Nominating Committee to represent the class of 2022 Elders:

- **Matt Bramlett**
- **Ryan McCutchen**
- **Cindy Welsh**

The floor will be open for nominations, for members who discern that God is calling another person to be elected, other than those nominated by the Nominating Committee. In the event that the nominees are greater than the number of Elders to be elected, the congregation will vote by secret ballot. Please prayerfully consider the persons you elect, as they will help govern our Church.

**2019 Elder Nomination Committee**

Aaron Easters, Chair	Wendy Welch, Co-Chair
Andrea McCutchen	Susan Cline
Debbie Tindal	Bill Conway

**April 2019 Statistics**

Average Attendance: SS - 37 Worship - 81

**Budgeted Income & Expenses (operating)**

MTD Income received:	\$17,736.55
YTD Income received:	\$59,040.26
<b>Budgeted YTD Income Needed:</b>	<b>\$70,652.00</b>
MTD Expenses disbursed:	\$17,680.86
YTD Expenses disbursed:	\$67,064.34
<b>Budgeted YTD Expenses:</b>	<b>\$70,417.00</b>

**Non-Budgeted Income & Expenses**  
(Memorial, Building, & Cemetery Funds)

MTD Income received:	\$200.00
YTD Income received:	\$3,245.00
MTD Expenses disbursed:	\$00.00
YTD Expenses disbursed:	\$2,582.50

**May Fellowship**

**Morning Circle (14th) ..... Diane McElveen**

**Men of Church (15th) ... Host ????**

*Thank You*



Dear friends at BPC, Thank you so much for your loving support during & since my recent surgery. Your thoughts & prayers were certainly heard & felt. Your many cards, sweet notes and yummy meals were so appreciated so were the "Welcome Back" hugs I received on the Sunday, that I returned to Church. Much love to each of you, Diane

Thank you all so much for your prayers, thoughts, and calls for my daughter, Valerie, who was in a head-on collision. She's improving daily and is in the 1% category for not having to have surgery for her multi-fractured right heel. Thank God for miracles!  
- Gwen Steinmeyer

**Our HOMEBOUND Members**

**Dot Cothran @ her home**

**Laura Latimer, The Blake, Elgin**

**Louis Shirley @ his home**

**Boochie Swearingen, Sunrise, Charlotte**

**In Our Thoughts & Prayers**

Our congregation offers the Spirit of Consolation to those who have lost family & friends. Our thoughts & prayers are with you

**Kenny Camlin**, brother of Janice Ruggles

**Robert Odell Hill**, brother-n-law of Retta Tindal

**Sarah Millen**, mother of Steve Millen

**Polly Woodham**

**Brenda Welch Gillespie**, sister of Hank Welch

*For I, the LORD your God, hold your right hand; it is I who say to you, Fear not, I will help you. — Isaiah 41:13 (RSV)*

### Sunday School Class for Young Adults



We are very excited about our Sunday school class for our 20+ Younger Adults

With the leadership of Rev Parnell and many young members of the church, we will discuss and analyze topics and issues pertinent to Younger Adults, such as: marriage, parenthood, work/life balance, and study the Word through various lenses and mediums for practical application in today's ever evolving world. We will have monthly dinners, outside of Church, to encourage others in the community to witness the power of the Word in a more relaxed and recognizable venue.

### CONGRATULATIONS



**Tyner Bramlett and Jae Logan were united in Holy Matrimony on Saturday, April 6th.**

Tyner is the daughter of Matt & Betsy Bramlett and granddaughter of Betty Manning Heriot



### Baccalaureate Service Sunday, May 12th, at Worship

We will honor our graduating high school senior with the traditional presentation of a Bible. Graduates and Honor Marshals are asked to come and be honored at coffee hour & wear graduation attire. We'll also recognize our college graduates. Please notify the Church office of student awards/honors to be published in the upcoming June SCROLL.

#### 2019 High School Graduate

**Claire Ashley Parnell**  
**Robert E Lee Academy**  
**May 17th**

**Plans to attend Francis Marion University**  
Daughter of Rev. Chris & Laura Parnell

#### 2019 College Graduate

**Aubra Elizabeth "Libby" Corbett**  
**University of Georgia**  
**To attend MUSC in Fall Nursing program**  
Daughter of Allen & Peggy Corbett  
Granddaughter of Louise & late Billy McCutchen

**REL: Baccalaureate: May 12th @ 7:00 p.m.**  
at Bethlehem United Methodist Church

**REL Graduation: May 17th @ 7:00 pm** in the REL Gymnasium

### MAY HELPER CALENDARS

DATE	GREETER	NURSERY
5th	Cindy Welsh	Wendy Welch
12th	Crues Bell	Jennifer McCutchen
19th	Betsy Bramlett	Kerry Frazier
26th	Matt Bramlett	Cindy Welsh

## Happy Birthday May June

Madison Bramlett	7	Harrison Blake Smith	4
Zeke Gaskins	7	Stephen Welch	6
Hank Welch	8	Ray Drayton	8
Jimmy McCutchen	13	Cameron McElveen	10
Terri Ann Tindal Belk	13	Conner Welch	13
Beth McCutchen	17	Lacie McElveen	14
Nicholas Jeffords	23	Rev. Chris Parnell	14
Ricky McCutchen	23	Jenny McCutchen	15
Katherine Folsom	25	Marsha McCutchen	16
Virginia Kerr Beard	28	Hugh Tindal III	16
Debbie Tindal	28	Katherine Dickinson	17
		Patrick Jeffords	23
		Patricia Latimer	25
		Liz Simon	25



**Presbyterian Women fundraiser for Ministry & Missions.** We are selling kitchen items from **RADA**, a company that's been making top quality kitchen knives and utensils at reasonable prices since 1948. Visit this link or our website to help support them. <https://radafundraising.com/?rfsn=1838016.df3fba>



### The Kids for Christ Israel Coin Collection Ministry

If you didn't turn in your coins on Sunday, April 28th, please drop them off in the Church office

All donations will be sent to Jewish Voice Ministries. Through our support, indigent people in many countries receive: Free medical & dental care, water filters, if needed, opportunity to receive prayer & hear of Yeshua (Jesus). Thank you for your continuing support, prayers and coins for God's chosen people



**Vacation Bible School ~ The Mane Event****Sunday - Wednesday****JUNE 9th - 12th from 6:00 - 8:00 pm****Bethlehem United Methodist Church****Pre-Registration (preferred)****[Click here to register and/or to volunteer](https://www.myvbs.org/www.bumcroarvbs/) or visit this link:****<https://www.myvbs.org/www.bumcroarvbs/>**

For more info, call: BUMC 803.484.6037 or

Beth Grant 843.858.3949

**FUN-Music-FUN-Snacks-FUN-Games-FUN-Adventure-FUN-Experiments-FUN-Friends-FUN****Operation Christmas Child  
Pre-teens are accepting donations for shoeboxes**

Needed Items: Toys, Baseball Caps, Visors, bobby pins/barrettes, costume jewelry, shoeboxes, person hygiene (ex: toothbrushes & wash clothes), etc... Please see exhibit, in Fellowship Hall, as needs change

**National Day of Prayer  
Thursday, May 2nd**

Our Sanctuary will be open for 20 minute prayer intervals from 7:40 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Please sign up in Fellowship Hall

**Community program @ 12:00 p.m. on the steps of the Courthouse.** All are welcome

**Salkehatchie teams arrive in Lee County on June 22nd**, helping the needy in our community. We will host and feed 1 team on Sunday, June 23rd and all teams Wednesday, June 26th. Please help, if asked

**You are invited to a presentation at Bethesda PC, on Saturday May 4<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 p.m. by Rev. Don Piper** who was pronounced dead 1½ hours, visited heaven, and returned to life. His book inspired the movie [“90 Minutes in Heaven”](#)

**Annual Hymn Festival****Mayesville PC****Sunday, May 5th @ 4:00 p.m.****Everyone is welcome to attend**

**Kids for Christ  
Circle meeting  
Friday, May 10<sup>th</sup>  
6:30 pm**

Please join us at the home of Kim & Aaron Easters (2064 Tomahawk Rd. Lamar) for our very first K4C Circle meeting! Mission shopping trip planned. Food & Nursery will be provided

**Life Line Screening Event  
June 3rd from 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
Bishopville Presbyterian Church**

Life Line is a leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings, offering affordable, non-invasive and painless health screenings. Five screenings will be offered that scan for potential health problems related to: blocked arteries which is a leading cause of stroke; abdominal aortic aneurysms which can lead to a ruptured aorta; hardening of the arteries in the legs which is a strong predictor of heart disease; atrial fibrillation or irregular heart beat which is closely tied to stroke risk; and a bone density screening, for men and women, used to assess the risk of osteoporosis. Register for a Wellness Package which includes 4 vascular tests and osteoporosis screening from \$149 (\$139 with our member discount). All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. **In order to register for this event and to receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, please call 1-888-653-6441 or visit [www.lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle](http://www.lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle) or text the word circle to 797979**

Also register in the office or Fellowship Hall

**Let's Be Healthy Together!**

Yesterday's high: 99  
Last night's low: 73

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Laredo, TX 78401

Email: [jeanlegters@gmail.com](mailto:jeanlegters@gmail.com)

U.S. Magic Jack Phone: (314) 774-0853

April 6<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Dear prayer partners and friends,

*"And if Christ has not been raised, then our preaching is in vain and your faith is in vain... your faith is futile and you are still in your sins... but Christ has indeed been raised."*

- 1 Corinthians 15:17-20

This wonderful time of the year confirms our faith and gives us hope of eternity. We remembered Dave's legacy on his sixth anniversary in March with a brief meditation and prayer of thanksgiving for his life and service here in Mexico.

These months have been very good, with visits to many congregations and special birthday services and anniversaries. Dr. Will Ackles and his wife Nancy have been here since early February and will be leaving April 9. He has taught New Testament and Homiletics here in the seminary and also in an extension center. He has also been my chauffeur for wherever I want to go! He has been a great blessing to us and we appreciate the many things he does when he is here.

On April 10 my daughter Debbie will undergo surgery for a problem with endometriosis. She has two weeks off for Easter break which makes it a little easier. Please pray for her and the pain relief she hopes to obtain as a result.

Seminary graduation will take place on June 7 and there will be 30 students graduating with a degree in Biblical counseling, 5 in Theology and 2 in Sacred music. The following morning after graduation I will fly to St. Louis. A year ago, I could barely walk so I was unable to visit supporting churches and friends. I now use a walker with wheels but still find it difficult to sit, walk or stand too long. I will try to be careful on this trip which takes me to six states from June 8-Jul 1. My son Daniel will be with me for 2 weeks driving me around visiting churches and friends in the US. I will have my cell phone with me if anyone would care to call. You may dial this number from the US: 011-521-999-225-7958. You can also call my son's phone number while we are in the US: (314) 223-9453 if you want to get a hold of me. If I don't see you this year, I will try to do so in 2020, if the Lord permits

Upon return on July 2, I will be attending the Sac Be presbytery meeting in Yalcoba, one of the places I visit every month, where I will sell Bibles, hymnbooks and other materials. Later in July, the camp that we organize will be held on the shores of the Gulf of Mexico for children and young people. The cost is \$50 a week, with another \$10 for transportation if it is needed. If you would like to help, you may send your donation to the address at the end of the letter, stating on the memo line that it is for a camp scholarship.

I have recently begun attending a small English Bible study on Friday mornings. Although I cannot see the study guide or read the Bible aloud, due to my limited vision, I find it enjoyable and helpful. Perhaps a verse to sum it all up is found once again in 1 Cor 15:58. "Therefore... be steadfast, immovable always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain."

P.S. once again my son Daniel is sending out these letters so I am not able to add a personal note. Hope to see some of you soon. May the Lord bless you.

Your servant for Jesus' sake

Jean Legters , for the family

Any gifts for the camp or our ministry may be sent to  
Son Raise Missionaries Services

P.O. Box. 43

Byron Center, MI 49315





#### New Support address

P. O. Box 12657  
Columbia, SC 29211  
Online giving :  
<https://my.fca.org/carrollbaker>

Carroll and Pam Baker  
Fellowship of Christian Athletics  
336 Brickling Road  
Irmo, SC 29063  
rbaker@fca.org  
April 2019

What a great time we had this month. Not only was April 1st Pam's Birthday, but it was also our 12,000<sup>th</sup> day Anniversary... on the same day! That's a lot of good night kisses!

Unfortunately, we had a weird way of celebrating. Pam actually had 2 CAT Scans on her big day, and one more later in the week. (Unfortunately, there was no birthday cake in radiology!)

So, here's the latest. Over the past few months, Pam had been having trouble getting her words out, as well as writing. But when our surgeon looked at the scan, he immediately said, "There it is!" The shunt was draining too much fluid and it was affecting the area of her brain that controls speaking and writing! An adjustment was necessary, which only took about 30 seconds. We'll see him again next month and we hope to see much improvement!

Thanks for praying for Pam. We know God is at work!



Earlier last month, former SC State Football player RV Brown spoke to the Columbia HS football team. One of the first things he said to the guys was, "Show some respect, pull up your pants and act like a man."

He really challenged the men to come to Christ!

What a great opportunity to share in school as RV was able to speak to several hundred students around the area!



Why do I celebrate big numbered days? "Because every day's an anniversary!"



Cutting down the nets at Keenan HS!

### Reflecting on Easter— The first time I really understood

I'll never forget the day I trusted Christ. It was the day before Easter during my freshman year in college. I had previously prayed the prayer and walked the aisle many times, thinking that was the way to show my faith. Yet, I was never sure that God had answered my prayer. I didn't know for sure that He had heard me. I guess I was waiting for some lightning bolt from heaven or angels singing the Halleluiah Chorus.

On that Saturday morning, as I knelt by my bed, I prayed some similar words that I had prayed before, as I trusted Him for forgiveness. But this time I added my own words... "Lord, I give my life to you because you know better than I do."

What I did that morning was lifechanging. I *surrendered to Christ*. I asked Him to take over the throne of my life and make me the person He wanted me to be. I finally understood that I desperately needed Him to be in charge. I've also come to understand that when we come to Christ, we really can't stay the same. He changes our lives in ways we couldn't predict.

*I've never recovered from that day...* and I hope that you never recover either. I hope that this will be more than a Happy Easter for you. May this be the most special Easter ever!

**HE is RISEN... indeed!**

*Carroll + Pam*



## THE GUATEMALA SEWING MISSION HISTORY

In 1987, Anne Law Finch, who is a Bishopville, SC native, went to the village of San Juan Ostuncalco, Guatemala as part of a mission. While there, Anne and other members of the delegation attended a Mam Christian Women's Association meeting. They asked the women: "If you could have anything, what would you want?" The women answered in unison, "a sewing machine!" After the meeting, the delegation borrowed a Jeep, went to town, and purchased the first sewing machine.

The purchase of that first peddle (non-electric) sewing machine has evolved into a sewing school, run by the women themselves, that has trained hundreds of women to tailor and embroidery.

The Mam tribe is descendants of the ancient Maya. They are hard-working Christian women who struggle to overcome poverty.

Daily living for the Mam tribe is a huge challenge. They don't have electricity, running water or indoor plumbing. However, they do have an extremely strong faith in God.

The Mam Christian Women's Association helps women develop in four ways:

- income earning power through a micro-loan program
- healthy bodies for themselves and their families through health outreach
- new skills through schools and scholarships
- spiritual bonds through prayer partnerships

In 2015 the Association opened a new sewing school this year in the remote village of Las Barrancas. The local Presbyterian Church donated land and the Association raised funds from US churches to construct a building, buy six sewing machines, and pay a teacher.

## The Bishopville Presbyterian Church

### Sewing Machines and Afghans

In 2013, the Morning Circle of the Bishopville Presbyterian Church accepted the Guatemala Sewing Mission as their mission.

They help support the Guatemala Sewing Mission by sending funds for the Sewing School. These funds are used to purchase pedal sewing machines for the graduates and by providing scholarships.

In addition, the Women of the Church provide the yarn and make the afghans, which afghans are used as fund raisers for the Mission.



Julie Cothran displays one the Guatemala Sewing Mission "fund raiser afghans".

### Tyson's Neck Warmer Mission

San Juan Ostuncalco and Las Barrancas are in the rugged highlands and many people suffer from respiratory problems. For that reason,



Tyson Eckley wears one of Tyson's Neck Warmers

in 2014 the Women of the Bishopville Presbyterian Church began the Tyson's Neck Warmer Mission.

Since most of the cooking is done over open fires, the neck warmers are safe to wear (they fasten and won't slip off when bending over).

As of May 2016, almost 800 neck warmers have been made and hand-delivered to the Mam Association.



Josefa is wearing a Tyson's Neck Warmer and as she holds a photo of her American Prayer Partner.

### Baby Blanket & Cap Mission

In the spring of 2018, the Women of our church started the Baby Blanket Mission. We made and sent 28 baby blankets. In the fall, 14 baby blankets and 10 lap blankets were purchased from Good Will and sent to the Association.

The Women of our church provides the yarn for all of our missions.

100% of funds donated are spent in Guatemala on the Sewing Mission.

You can make a difference!

Donations in any amount, may be made to the Bishopville Presbyterian Church and marked "Guatemala Sewing Mission".

Thank you!

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