



November 14, 2024

Dear Church Family,

As we head into the holiday season, I want to share a financial update with you. Through October, our income is on target and our expenses are 8% below target. We have a surplus of \$16,000 year-to-date. Please prayerfully consider your role in supporting the General Fund as we finish the year.

I also want to mention some key ministry highlights. Our Chinese church plant continues to prosper as they meet in Boyce Chapel each Sunday. We continue to partner with other church plants here in Columbia. We recently sent \$35,000 to disaster relief efforts in the Columbia area and western North Carolina. We are completing facility and tech improvements in many areas of our campus. We sent 44 short-term missionaries out this past summer. So much ministry happening everywhere!

I am so thankful for the Lord's provision and for your faithfulness in financial giving. As we head into a wonderful Thanksgiving and Christmas season, let's seek to grow in love and generosity as we follow Jesus more closely. Attached is your record of financial giving so far this year. You will also receive a year-end report in January. If you have any questions about contributions, please contact Rhonda Jackson at 803-343-8563 or rhondajackson@fbccola.com.

God Bless,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Buster Whitlock", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Buster Whitlock
Minister of Administration