



**Presbyterian Women
Presbytery of Western North Carolina**

Moderator's Report

The Presbyterian Women of the Presbytery of Western North Carolina ended our fall season with fellowship and Bible study with one another, and supporting those less fortunate through mission giving.

The Presbyterian Women's second Fall Gathering (for the western part of the Presbytery) was held at Grace Covenant in Asheville, on Saturday, October 20, 2018. There were 51 attendees, representing 16 churches.

The workshops included an overview of the *Horizons* Bible Study, Leadership in PW, Building a Better Today & Tomorrow Through Mission, and Personality Strategies. The mission offering in the amount of \$1,298.50 was collected for Beloved House in Asheville. Their mission is to seek an end to homelessness, poverty, and prejudice through the power of community!" Beloved House also needs "help in building community with children and their families, women, senior citizens, people who are homeless, people with disabilities, and neighbors in Asheville." Thanks PW of PWNC for your generosity in giving to the Beloved House.

Plans are underway for our annual Spring Gathering to be held on April 13, 2019, at Hickory First in Hickory. We are also in search of officers to fill PW positions on our Coordinating Team (CT) to include a Treasurer, Mission Facilitator and Justice and Peace Facilitator. If you know of anyone that might be interested in joining the CT and taking one of these positions, please have them contact me at tjoyner10@yahoo.com or (828) 279-2665.

The Presbyterian Women of Western North Carolina strive to continue to work the PW Purpose by nurturing our faith through prayer and Bible study, supporting the mission of the church worldwide, working for Justice and Peace, and building an inclusive, caring community of women that strengthens the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.).

Respectively submitted,

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