

Community of St. Ninian
Annual Report
November 15, 2019

In the past year the Community has settled in to our new routine.

We continue our twice monthly meetings at the Shalom House and are grateful for the hospitality of Church of the Savior.

We are established as a support congregation of Family Promise and enjoy our relationship with Church of the Good Shepherd where we provide a meal during each of their host weeks. Our next scheduled meal is next week and three dates are scheduled in 2020.

The Ice Cream Social was held at Victor Ashe Park and was attended by over 60 people. It was a good time of fellowship and seemed well-received and appreciated. We especially appreciate Randy and Rick making many flavors of ice cream and the others who provided food, supplies, and hospitality.

We decided to make our charitable donations earlier in the year so that the recipients could make their plans and have it available as they need it during the year. We made donations to Family Promise, Strength for the Journey, the Volunteer Ministry Center, the Interfaith Clinic, Positively Living, the Tennessee Equality Project Foundation, and A Place at the Table for a total of \$1,100. Another \$745.74 has been given to assist individuals this year.

Thirteen people have regularly participated in activities of the Community this year, with occasional visitors.

As we enter this season of Thanksgiving, we are grateful for the Community and for our commitments to each other and to the wider community. We give thanks for the ways we have been blessed and have been able to bless others through this Community. We pray that God will continue to use us and that we will remain open to the Spirit's leading in the year ahead.

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