

Financial Information for 2013

Beginning Balance	12/31/2012	\$33,956
Revenue		
	Membership Dues	11,680
	Fundraising Campaigns	8,615
	Other Donations	8,493
	Grants	5,000
	Investments	86
	Eco-Stewards	4,463
	Conference	24,865
	Resale Items	155
	TOTAL INCOME	\$63,357
Expense		
	Coordinator and Office Expenses	12,308
	Newsletter and Web Site	3,773
	Fundraising	890
	Membership	487
	Steering Committee Annual Meeting	4350
	Conference	11,091
	Eco-Stewards	6,644
	Fossil Free PCUSA	500
	Items for Resale	0
	Insurance	1,121
	Credit Card Fees	319
	TOTAL EXPENSE	\$41,483
Net		21,874
Ending Balance	12/31/13	\$55,830

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2013 Annual Report

Steering Committee

Moderator:

Diane Waddell

Vice Moderator:

Jane Laping

Treasurer:

Sue Smith

Regional Representatives

Northeast:

Dana Eglinton

Southeast:

Nancy Fayer

Midwest:

Paul Henschen

Northwest:

The Rev.

Holly Hallman

Pacific:

Mary Roberts

Southwest:

Paul Homeyer

At-Large:

The Rev.

Fred Milligan

Dear Supporters of PEC,

2013 was PEC's 18th anniversary year. Thanks for celebrating with us! Attached is the 2013 Annual Report that includes our financial report.

The highlight of that year was seeing many of you at Ferncliff Camp and Conference Center in Little Rock for our biennial conference. It was a beautiful setting and we were grateful for the excellent leadership.

We appreciated our continuing relationship with Creation Justice Ministries, as the two organizations shared a coordinator. We also began a partnership with Fossil Free PCUSA, which continues to be exciting.

Meanwhile, many members were busily preparing overtures to bring to General Assembly in 2014. Finding concurring presbyteries helped build relationships as well.

Thanks be to God for God's guidance and strength as we continue to tend the garden with loving kindness.

In gratitude for your dedication to Creation Care,

Diane Waddell

Diane Waddell, Moderator
 Presbyterians for Earth Care

Accomplishments in 2013

Conducted an inspiring conference, “Ethical Earth Care: Keeping Creation Sacred,” attended by 100 members and friends at Ferncliff Camp and Conference Center, Little Rock, AR on October 16-19.

Held the Steering Committee Annual Planning Retreat at Ferncliff, after the conference, to consider plans for 2014 and a future conference.

Created a new At-Large position on the Steering Committee for a young adult between 18 and 30 years old.

Presented the annual William Gibson Lifetime Achievement Award to David Gill, Executive Director of Ferncliff Presbyterian Camp and Conference Center and the Restoring Creation Award to Solar under the Sun, an organization that trains volunteers to establish solar installations at energy-deficient locations around the world.

Revised the bylaws to update voting methods, form an Executive Committee, redefine a quorum, and change the timing of the Annual Meeting to occur during the Steering Committee’s Annual Retreat.

Co-sponsored the “Eco-Stewards Training Program – Connectional Urban Living as Creative Response” in Portland, Oregon

Recruited and organized writers to prepare Advent and Lenten devotionals and distributed them by electronic media with a printing option.

Transitioned our PEC Coordinator that we share with Creation Justice Ministries to a new office, independent of the National Council of Churches Eco-Justice Office.

Goals for 2014

Prepare for a larger presence at General Assembly in partnership with Fossil Free PCUSA, and a luncheon with Bill McKibben of 350.org as the speaker (invited)

Support Fossil Free PCUSA financially and with in-kind donations, as they work to bring a divestment overture to General Assembly.

Plan for a PEC Conference in 2015, possibly in partnership with Eco-Justice Ministries or Earth Care Congregations.

Partner with Yukon Presbyterians for Earth Care to sponsor a regional conference in Alaska.

Encourage, support and help resource overtures for General Assembly, including coal transport, sustainability and the precautionary principle, and food sovereignty

Organize a Steering Committee Annual Meeting and Planning Retreat at Heartland Presbyterian Center, near Kansas City, MO.

Continue to research resources and devise a strategy to develop a “Going Deeper/Sacred Living” program.

Support Eco-Stewards financially to co-sponsor a training program about food and faith in Gainesville, FL.

*Servants of Christ and stewards of the mysteries of God
(1 Corinthians 4:1b)*