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October 28, 2018

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Operating Giving.....\$15,949  
Faith Promises Total....\$44,176  
Capital Campaign.....\$526,316



THE JOURNEY DOUGLASVILLE FUMC



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## INVITATIONS

### AN INVITATION TO FOLLOW JESUS

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### AN INVITATION TO MEMBERSHIP

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