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First Presby's Human Trafficking Awareness Event
Standing together against the sex trafficking industry

CHARLESTON, WV, April 16, 2018 – On April 24, from 6:00-8:00 p.m., First Presbyterian Church in Charleston is hosting a human trafficking awareness event to raise awareness, provide education and offer opportunities to help fight human trafficking that's happening right here in West Virginia.

The event will feature a program from 6:30-7:30 in the Main Sanctuary followed by a reception (light refreshments) and resources in the Dining Room from 7:30-8:00.

The program will feature theatrical vignettes from the musical Sins of Savior, written by Amanda Bridgette and performed by local actors and musicians. Featured speakers include: Angie Conn, (She Who Dares) survivor leader and advocate, Dr. Kerr (WVU/CAMC Behavioral Health Medicine) to speak on mental health on human trafficking and Trooper Rachel Gross (WV State Police) Cyber Bullying and Internet Safety Expert.

The event is free and open to the public but may be of particular interest to parents, grandparents, teachers, counselors, principals, social services personnel and faith based communities. Parking is available on the street and in the church lot.

First Presbyterian Church, Charleston is dedicated to embodying the relentless love of Jesus Christ by promoting the worship of Almighty God, making disciples and meeting human needs.

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If you would like more information on this event, please contact Sue Webster at 304-343-8961 ext. 139 or sue@firstpresby.com or visit www.firstpresby.com/trafficking.