## Proposed Budget - John Stott Award 2016-17

Description Budget		lget	Rationale
Focus Group	\$	694.00	\$250 for a mini-retreat; \$444 for books (\$18 x 12; \$19 x 12)
Sunday Morning Teaser Event: Faith & Science	\$	600.00	Alister McGrath has tentatively agreed to address the congregation on Sunday, Dec. 11th. Our hope is to draw the right kind of attention to this topic both within our church & in our broader community. Costs include: \$500 promotion; \$100 hospitality. (N.B., A congregant has offered to cover Dr. McGrath's honorarium.)
Community Engagement Event: Faith & Science	\$	5,200.00	With these events, we are hoping to (1) have a broader impact on the local Christian population, and (2) invite skeptics & seekers to "come & see" what's happening. In an attempt to avoid contention, the topics would be broadly evangelical under the heading: "Dare a scientists or scholar believe in God?" We would invite our 3 partner churches, churches connected with the www.issacharimperative.com, local universities, and interested skeptics & seekers. Costs include: \$850 rental of local theater (x2); \$250 promotion (x2); \$1000 honorarium (x2); \$500 travel/expenses (x2) *
Sunday Morning Capstone: Dare a scientist believe in God?	\$	2,600.00	Evolutionary Biologist from Westmont College, Dr. Jeff Schloss has tenatively agree to address the theme: <i>Dare a scientist believe in God?</i> Costs include: \$1000 honorarium; \$350 promotion; \$1250 travel and board
Theology at the Pub	\$	400.00	We would promote this conversation among skeptics & seekers through our <i>Theology at the Pub</i> program, which is run by our Focus Group member, Navin Matthew.
Sermon Series Based Forums	\$	400.00	These forums would allow the focus group members to work along with the pastoral staff to help facilitiate in-depth discussions & Q & A following the sermons. These funds would cover materials, hospitality, print and other incidental costs for the discussion groups.
Miscellaneous	\$	106.00	
Total	\$	10,000.00	

<sup>\*</sup> We have tentative confirmations from Dr. Jennifer Wiseman, Senior Project Scientist for the Hubble Space Telescope, and Dr. David Skeel, Law Professor at University of Pennsylvannia and author of *True Paradox*.