



Steele Creek Presbyterian Church

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MOSES

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Reeds

Steele Creek Presbyterian Church – Organized 1760

Remembering the Past, Serving in the Present, Anticipating the Future

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
Twelfth Sunday After Pentecost

August 27, 2017

10:30 AM

*Those that are able, please stand

CCLI # 3051971

Gathering Around The Word

Prayer of Preparation

Gracious God, our help and our hope, be with us today. Bless our time together, as we seek Your guidance and Your love. May we grow in grace as we gather here as one people. May we know Your love, and help us to build Your kingdom of love upon all the earth. Amen.

Words of Welcome

*Opening Praise

Shine, Jesus, Shine

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Bringing in the Light of Christ

Acolyte

*Call to Worship & Opening Prayer

Leader: We gather for worship in this sacred space away from the noise and busyness and demands of our everyday lives.

People: Let us open our hearts to receive the peace of the Lord and let our souls be still.

Leader: With gratitude for this place of refuge and peace,

People: Let us lift up our voices to sing God's praise and worship Him!

*Hymn of Praise

As Those of Old Their Firstfruits Brought

712

Prayer of Confession & Surrender

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in Your likeness and image, through Jesus Christ, the Light of the World. Amen.

--PCUSA Book of Common Worship, Westminster John Knox, 1993, 88.

Response

Sanctuary

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God's Grace and Promise

Leader: God's forgiveness is freely extended to all who in faith repent. Hear and believe the Good News:

People: Jesus Christ forgives all your sins! Hallelujah! Amen.

Living The Word

Tithes and Offering

Offertory Song

All to You

Praise Team

*Response

Doxology (Old 100th)

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*Prayer of Dedication

Lord God, Your call to us is so very clear. You have invited us to bring our gifts, our resources and our love to You to serve on Christ's behalf. We give You thanks for all Your gifts to us, and may our lives with You be a journey of hope and promise into the future. In the Master's name we pray. Amen.

Proclaiming The Word

God's Word for Children

Mrs. Lorie Lewis

(Children 3 years old through First Grade may leave for Kid's Time)

Anthem (Chancel Choir)

Walk in the Light

arr. Andre Thomas

*God's Word Written

Exodus 1:8-2:10

Romans 12:1-2

God's Word Proclaimed

Where Is God?

Rev. Dr. W. Jeff Pinkston

*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostle's Creed

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

*Closing Hymn

Lord, Speak to Me That I May Speak

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*Charge and Benediction

*Taking the Light of Christ into the World

Acolyte

*Closing Voluntary (Organ, Trumpet)

LAFFERTY

Karen Lafferty

THE SESSION

W. Jeff Pinkston, Moderator

Walter H. Neely Jr., Clerk

Price H. Gwynn, III, Elder Emeritus

CLASS OF 2018

Henry A. Cathey

William G. Cathey

Russell G. Combs

Ragan B. Haston

Walter H. Neely, Jr.

Barry R. Small

Marjorie B. Smith

CLASS OF 2019

Jacob R. Cunningham

Catherine H. Farnham

Benjamin S. Horack, III

Donna C. Moody

Margaret M. Salmon

Cheryl R. Simerly

Ellen N. Thomas

THE DIACONATE

David F. Moody, Moderator

Michael T. Farnham, Vice-Moderator

CLASS OF 2018

Karen J. Cline

Michael T. Farnham

Betty B. Harraman

Christian N. McCall

David W. McCorkle

Mary Beth Monroe

Laura D. Willis

CLASS OF 2019

Jamey E. DeBerry

Deborah L. Hawes

William C. Lewis, II

Courtney P. McAliley

David F. Moody

Rebecca W. Neely

Directors of the Church Corporation

Members of the Session

Sunday School Superintendent

Wanda Kinard

Mission Statement

Steele Creek Presbyterian Church is a welcoming Christian family, rich in tradition, actively spreading the good news of Jesus Christ, serving our community and world.