



MASKS ARE NOW REQUIRED IN CHURCH - The Session has approved that "the wearing of masks should be observed in our church in accordance with the CDC guidelines." As you attend indoor functions at the church including Worship, please wear a mask (Elementary age and older).

VIRTUAL SERVICE – Please be sure to comment when you are watching our virtual service. This is how we are taking attendance and we want you to be counted. And remember, we are open on Sundays for worship if you are comfortable joining with us, using the precautions we have in place.

THE FLOWERS THIS SUNDAY – are given to the Glory of God, by Leighton & Martha Brown and in celebration of their 66th wedding anniversary on October 15th.

THIS SUNDAY'S SPEAKER:

Reverend Betsy Williamson

Sermon Title: Servant Theology

Scripture: Mark 10:35-45

TITHES – Please call the church office if you would like to drop off your tithe to ensure a staff member will be available to let you in the building.

ORDER OF WORSHIP – is available on Sunday, in a limited number, on the two stands just inside the lobby doors. You will also find the QR code in the lobby on the tables beside the main doors to the Sanctuary on Sunday morning, and it is available, every Friday on our web page (under Worship), by scanning the QR code below.



AVAILABLE EVERY SUNDAY – fresh hot coffee, assorted glazed donuts, and sliced bagels with sides of cream cheese will be available before Sunday School and Church outside of the sanctuary. This will provide time to fellowship with friends and to welcome visitors to our church! Please remember drinks with lids are allowed in the sanctuary, but no food in the sanctuary. Donations are appreciated.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING ACTION - At the Congregational Meeting on October 3rd, the following were elected to the Nominating Team for 2021. From the Session, Mike Farnham and David McAliley, co-chairmen; Karen Rawls representing the Deacons; and at large representatives, Judy Watkins, Cindi Bridges, Beckie Ennis, Barry Small, Mary Hammond, and Toni McCall. As they begin their work, please contact them if you have suggestions for members of the class of 2023 for Elders and Deacons.

FAITH AND FAMILY NIGHT DINNER - for 10-20-21. Menu: Meat Loaf, Baked Potatoes, Sweet Peas, Bread, Salad Bar, and Dessert. Register in Realm with the link below or call the church office by Monday, October 18.

<https://onrealm.org/SteeleCreekChurch/PublicRegistrations/Event?linkString=ZGUxYzdhYWwEtYTRjYy00N2ZiLTljZGUtYWwRiZjAwZjllZWY5>

DON'T FORGET – there will be a **Red Cross Blood Drive** here on Sunday, October 24th from 11:30 am – 4:00 pm. Please go to the Red Cross web site to sign up at www.redcrossblood.org.



OUR FALL FESTIVAL – will be here before you know it, on October 23rd from 11-2. Trunk or Treat will be from 11:00 – 11:30. There will be a giant slide, bounce house, hayride, games, pumpkin decorating, a DJ & balloon twister. Hamburgers, hot dogs, and drinks will be available for purchase. If you can donate candy, there is a box in the church lobby and outside the office for candy donations.

We need your help to make this year's event a success! You can use this link to sign up to help or you can contact Cheryl Simerly, cheryl@csimerly.com or [Serving Opportunities in Realm](#).

Let's come together to make this a great event for our community!

OPERATION SHOEBOXES – are here and are available in both the Sanctuary lobby and Admin lobby! Our dedication of the shoeboxes, on November 14th, will be here before you know it! Not able to pick up your own box or bring it back to the church? John and Annette will deliver a box to you and will pick it back up. Please call Annette or John at 704-588-4804 (H) or 704-763-8660 (C).



REMEMBER A LOVED ONE ON ALL SAINTS' DAY - We will celebrate All Saints' Day on November 7 and this year you will have the opportunity to remember a loved one with a lighted candle. For a suggested donation of \$2, candles will be available in the lobby on that Sunday for you to light in memory of a family member or friend. If you are not able to attend on November 7, you can contact the church office and a candle can be prepared for you.



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STEELE CREEK
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
at Pleasant Hill

CHURCH FAMILIES - you will want to take advantage of these **free** visual arts enrichment programs! Here is the link to sign up for the Oct. 30th class:

<https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/rn8I7fz12e>

THE OUTREACH COMMITTEE – is helping South Pine Academy which is a Title 1 Pre-K – 4th grade school. Their needs are many! A blue tub has been placed in the Sanctuary and the Admin lobby to create hygiene kits which consist of deodorant, toothbrush/paste, lotion, etc. These supplies will be delivered to the school on October 18th. Please consider donating to this cause.

CHURCH ATTENDANCE OCTOBER 10

Inhouse – 159

Facebook & YouTube - 331

Total – 490



*Praise the LORD! Sing to
the LORD a new song,
Psalm 149:1, NRSV*

WE WOULD LOVE TO HAVE YOU – join the choir if you feel comfortable. More members are needed for the upcoming Advent season. Choir practice is held on Wednesday nights at 7:30. There is plenty of room to keep you safe. Please come join us!



Sunday, October 17

09:00 am Children's Choir Rehearsal
09:30 am Confirmation Class
09:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship
12:00 pm Session Meeting
05:00 pm Youth Operation Sandwich
08:00 pm AA Meeting

Monday, October 18

06:30 pm GS Troop 2009

Tuesday, October 19

12:00 pm Staff Meeting
06:00 pm Ladies Bible Study
06:30 pm Men's Group Meeting
06:30 pm Scripture & Starbucks

Wednesday, October 20

05:30 pm Faith & Family Night
06:30 pm Worship Team
07:30 pm Chancel Choir
08:00 pm AA Meeting

Thursday, October 21

10:00 am Elijah Study
11:00 am Meals for Home Bound
05:45 pm GS Troop 7012
07:00 pm Handbell Practice
07:30 pm Tech Team Teleconference

Saturday, October 23

11:00 am Fall Festival

Sunday, October 24

09:00 am Children's Choir Rehearsal
09:30 am Confirmation Class
09:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship
12:00 pm Red Cross Drive
08:00 pm AA Meeting



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS – Please help us keep this list up to date. Call in with any information about our church families.



Marguerite Aycoth

Joan Brown

Betty Burgess

Joy Burton

Betty Byrum

Frances Currie

Charlie Earp

Dot Earp

Lenora Fincher

Katharine Freeman

Louise Freeman

Joe Furr

Hannah Mauer

John McKay

Margaret Niell

Ann Preslar

Marilyn Price

Gerry Roberts

Marjorie Smith

Margaret Wert

Wayne Whiteside

Lois Yandle



PLEASE BE IN PRAYER FOR:

Bella Henderson – Age 3, brain bleed & seizures – parents are Matt & Ashley Henderson, great-granddaughter of Barbara Thompson

Debra Matthes – Involved in a bad car accident – suffered a broken ankle, knee, wrist, and elbow requiring surgery – Godmother of Sarah DeBerry

Brantley Johnson – 8-month-old grandson of Jessica Green and Brandon Johnson, who is being treated for cancer with an aggressive treatment at St. Jude. His Uncle Mike Green and Will Lindsay are praying for a miracle.

Ethan Brody – Underwent surgery for a forearm fracture

Danny Martin – Has started physical therapy in the hospital

Elizabeth Hovis – Health concern

Gil Spahr – Two small strokes and some other serious non-COVID health concerns – brother of Pam Horack

Frances Currie – Health concerns

Elaine Kotraba – Doing much better

Sarah DeBerry – Recovering from domestic violence

Linda Clark – Recovering from back surgery

Sharon Deese Blalock – Beginning treatment for cancer – Polly Morgan's daughter

Price Gwynn – Health concerns

Frances Currie – Health concerns

Hannah Johnson – Your prayers are still needed and appreciated – Friend of Charlie Warnke

Ben Horack – Recovering at home from surgery

George Thrower – has been put on the list to receive a kidney

Olivia Rose – Improving, but still needs our prayers – Niece of Beckie Ennis

Don Griffin – Continuing to improve – Friend of Pam Shubert

Irwen Burns - thankful for many answered prayers; continued prayers for healing for Irwen and strength for his wife Carla, as she takes care of him.

Barbara Roberts - Health is rapidly declining, mother of Carla Roberts

Stephanie Hammonds – Cancer & health concern

Sandra Stiles - Stage 4 Head & Neck Metastatic Cancer

Adam Butler – Esophageal cancer – son of good friends of David & Clara Giles

Charlie King – is doing well with PT and OT. He is working on going up and down steps and has been able to walk 3 laps!

Keith – Hospice – Friend of Sarah Harkey

Chickie Miller - Cancer

Jake – Hodgkin’s Lymphoma - Son of Brooks Runkle

Jeannie Purvis – Cancer – Wife of Mike Purvis

Please pray for our Members of the Armed Forces

Olivia Hommes – US Air Force Academy, Colorado

Lexie Simerly – US Army – Fort Carson, Colorado

Will Warsaw – US Navy, Japan

Gabe White – US Army – Fort Wainwright, Alaska



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