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Working together to follow Christ in joyfully serving our neighbors as compassionate, connected, contributing, everyday disciples

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Last Week's Service

ATTENDANCE

In house: 221

Children: 28

Nursery: 3

Speaker: Dr. Chris Murphy

Scripture: Isaiah 1:10-18 & Luke 19:1-10

Message: Learn To Do Good



Click, tap, or scan the QR code to watch last week's service.

Upcoming Worship Service

All Saints Sunday and Veteran's Day Service.

Speaker: Dr. Jeff Pinkston

Scripture: John 14:1-6

Message: Remembering the Saints

Tune into our live stream on YouTube or Facebook starting at 10:28am each Sunday.

Turkey Truck will be here November 16!

If you or a loved one is a US veteran, we would like to recognize you at our Veteran's Day service on Nov. 9. Please submit name, photo, branch of service, and service dates to the main office by Nov. 5. You may email your submission with attached photo to

office@steelecreekchurch.org.

We have past submissions.



Greeters: Randall Brunson, Ellen Thomas

Ushers: Karen Rawls, Kelly Burkhart, Clinton Corbett, Paul Kuto, Van Pundt

Signers: David Thompson, Leon Daniels

Counters: Barry Small, Boyd Kurt

Flowers: Will be given to the glory of God in memory of those members who have passed on this year and in honor of our Veterans. They will also be given by Larry Monroe to Mary Beth Monroe "In honor of my amazing wife and best friend celebrating our 47th wedding anniversary."

J-Walker Leaders: ***Even with J-Music, we still need J-Walker leaders! Will it be you? Sign up below.***



Candles will be in the narthex for All Saints Sunday. Light a candle in memory of your loved one.

If you would like to make a donation for the candle, there will be a donation box in the narthex.



We always accept donations of food. The basket is in the main office lobby. Non-perishables. No glass containers. No expired foods. Donate today!!

Calendar

To assist with the speed of assembling the weekly calendar here, I will copy the whole public calendar from Church Center. If you do not see your group's event, either it has been cancelled or it is not on the main calendar for any number of reasons. Please call the office and let's see if there is an error that needs correcting.

November

Sat., Nov. 8	Girl Scouts Troop 1049	10:00am
Sun., Nov. 9	Sunday School	9:30am
Sun., Nov. 9	Worship	10:30am
Sun., Nov. 9	J-Music	10:45am
Sun., Nov. 9	J-Walkers	10:45am
Sun., Nov. 9	J-Vibes	11:30am
Sun., Nov. 9	Deacon Meeting	11:45am
Sun., Nov. 9	BASIC Training	12:00pm
Sun., Nov. 9	Eagle Scout Ceremony	1:00pm
Sun., Nov. 9	AA	8:00pm
Mon., Nov. 10	Preschool Ministry Team	10:30am
Mon., Nov. 10	Intercessory Prayer Team	11:00am
Mon., Nov. 10	Preschool Chapel	12:30pm
Mon., Nov. 10	Missions Ministry Team	6:30pm
Tues., Nov. 11	Staff Meeting	11:30am
Tues., Nov. 11	Regency at Palisades HOA Mtg.	5:30pm
Tues., Nov. 11	Jesus Has a Jumper Basketball	6:30pm
Tues., Nov. 11	Finance Meeting	6:30pm
Wed., Nov. 12	Praise Team Rehearsal	6:00pm
Wed., Nov. 12	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	7:00pm
Thurs., Nov. 13	Beyond the Word	10:00am
Thurs., Nov. 13	Congregational Care	6:30pm
Thurs., Nov. 13	Handbell Choir Rehearsal	7:00pm
Fri., Nov. 14	Crafts Fellowship	10:00am
Sun., Nov. 16	Turkey Truck	10:00am
Sun., Nov. 16	OCC Shoeboxes due - GOAL 250	10:30am
Sun., Nov. 16	Sunday School	9:30am
Sun., Nov. 16	Worship	10:30am
Sun., Nov. 16	J-Music	10:45am
Sun., Nov. 16	J-Walkers	10:45am
Sun., Nov. 16	J-Vibes	11:30am
Sun., Nov. 16	2026 Mission Trip Meeting	12:00pm
Sun., Nov. 16	Girl Scout Service Unit	2:00pm
Sun., Nov. 16	AA	8:00pm
Mon., Nov. 17	Intercessory Prayer Team	11:00am
Mon., Nov. 17	Grief Journey	11:30am
Mon., Nov. 17	Preschool Chapel	12:30pm
Tues., Nov. 18	Staff Meeting	11:30am
Tues., Nov. 18	Jesus Has a Jumper Basketball	6:30pm
Tues., Nov. 18	Men's Fellowship	6:30pm
Tues., Nov. 18	Session 2025	7:00pm
Wed., Nov. 19	Praise Team Rehearsal	6:00pm
Wed., Nov. 19	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	7:00pm
Thurs., Nov. 20	Beyond the Word	10:00am
Thurs., Nov. 20	Girl Scouts Troop 1396	6:00pm
Thurs., Nov. 20	Handbell Choir Rehearsal	7:00pm
Fri., Nov. 21	Shut-in Meals	10:00am
Sat., Nov. 22	Girl Scouts Troop 1049	10:00am
Sun., Nov. 23	Sunday School	9:30am
Sun., Nov. 23	Worship	10:30am
Sun., Nov. 23	J-Music	10:45am

Sun., Nov. 23	J-Walkers	10:45am
Sun., Nov. 23	J-Vibes	11:30am
Sun., Nov. 23	AA	8:00pm
Mon., Nov. 24	Intercessory Prayer Team	11:00am
Mon., Nov. 24	Pub Theology	6:30pm
Tues., Nov. 25	Staff Meeting	11:30am
Tues., Nov. 25	Jesus Has a Jumper Basketball	6:30pm
Wed., Nov. 26	Praise Team Rehearsal	6:00pm
Wed., Nov. 26	American Legion Meeting	6:30pm
Wed., Nov. 26	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	7:00pm
Thurs., Nov. 27	Thanksgiving Day	All-day
Thurs., Nov. 27	Office Closed	All-day
Sun., Nov. 30	Advent	
Sun., Nov. 30	Sunday School	9:30am
Sun., Nov. 30	10 cents a meal	10:30am
Sun., Nov. 30	Communion	10:30am
Sun., Nov. 30	Worship with Palisade's High School Choir	10:30am
Sun., Nov. 30	J-Music	10:45am
Sun., Nov. 30	J-Walkers	10:45am
Sun., Nov. 30	AA	8:00pm



We are collecting frozen turkeys for Nourish Up to distribute to families in need. Please bring a frozen turkey between now and Nov. 16 to go in our deep freezers until collection. Nourish Up

will be here at 10am on Nov. 16 to collect all the food you have donated. *No expired food.*

2026 Mission Trip Meeting

A meeting will be held following the morning worship service on November 16 in the conference room behind the church office. The purpose of the meeting will be to determine the level of interest and a possible location of a mission trip during the

summer months of 2026. The meeting will be on [Zoom for anyone unable to attend.](#)

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89833583625/>
[invitations?](#)
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[Wc](#)

Music Ministry

Join one or more of our mass communications lists. These lists are for mass notifications of events within our church such as, but not limited to, deaths, weather-related shutdowns, time changes for events and other news that cannot wait. QR codes below.



[Join TEXT group](#)



[Join PHONE CALL group](#)



[Join EMAIL group](#)

J-MUSIC
CHILDREN'S WORSHIP EXPERIENCE

A DIVISION OF SCPCPH MUSIC MINISTRIES

HOW DOES IT WORK?

THIS SUNDAY! DURING WORSHIP!

NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED
AGES 4 - 12 (& SOME OLDER 3s WITH DIRECTOR APPROVAL)
MEETS DURING 10:30 WORSHIP
SINGING & A BIBLICAL MESSAGE
CHILDREN OF VISITORS ARE WELCOME!

J-MUSIC SCHEDULE

SUNDAY (all rehearsals occur during 10:30 am worship unless otherwise indicated)	AGE GROUP (ages for rehearsal odd-numbered Sundays)
10/5	4 - 12
10/12	4 - 5
10/19	4 - 12
10/26	4 - 5
11/2	4 - 5
11/9	4-12
11/16	4 - 5
11/23	4 - 12
11/30	4 - 5
12/7	4 - 12
12/13 (9 - 11 am)	4 - 12
12/14	4 - 12

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Operation Christmas Child

Please help yourself to as many boxes as you will pack! We have plenty to give out! The boxes are in the church office lobby.

Our church goal is 250 boxes! You can place your full boxes on the stage in the sanctuary or bring them by the church office by Sunday, November 16. The boxes will be prayed over during service on this day.

If you need ideas on what to pack, go online to:
www.samaritanspurse.org/operation-Christmas-child/pack-a-shoe-box

A donation of \$10 per shoebox is critical to help cover the collection, processing, and shipping. You can pay online through Church Center's Giving and choosing the OCC Shoebox fund in the drop down menu or by following the QR code in your shoebox. You may pay by check by placing it in the offering plate with a note on

the memo line, bringing your check to the office, or put it in the envelope found in each shoebox.

If you have additional questions, please contact the church office, and your message or inquiry will be forwarded to Sarah H.

Thank you for working towards this year's SCPCPH goal!

Sarah Harkey -
 - OCC
 SCPCPH
 Organizer/
 Drop-Off
 Leader

OUR GOAL:
250
boxes!

We are under our goal by 200 boxes! Donate today.

Odds, Ends & Events

Southern Supreme Fruitcake Factory Annual Trip

It's that time of year again for our annual visit to the Southern Fruitcake Factory in Bear Creek, NC. This is a wonderful outing that you will definitely enjoy as well as bring home some goodies.

Barry Small will drive us on the church bus. We will leave from the church at 7:00 a.m., Monday, November 10. This will allow time for traffic and one stop. There is a limit of 22 people.

You can make a reservation with Betty Davis ([704-579-0213](tel:704-579-0213)) or Betty Small ([704-579-1842](tel:704-579-1842)). You might also want to get your name on the list quickly, as those who HAVE been will certainly go again!! If you haven't been before, this is a wonderful treat.

After we leave, we will have lunch then go to the NC Pottery Center in Seagrove, NC, and possibly to Star, NC for glass blowing. This is a long day, but well worth the trip.

2023 tour groups



American Legion Post 221 has purchased 100 wreaths to place on the graves



of veterans in Steele Creek Presbyterian Church Cemetery located at 7001 Steele Creek Road. The Legion is inviting anyone in the church who wants to participate in laying a wreath on a veteran's grave at this cemetery to sign up by December 12. This will give the Legion a count of participants and allow you to get an email of the details of what time to meet at the cemetery on that day.

You may elect to place multiple wreaths. There is no charge for this event. Sign up starts November 17.

FAITH  EST. 2024

STEPPING STONES

A CARE COMMUNITY

Stepping Stones Care Community of SCPCPH was represented at Fostering the Family's 6th annual 5K fundraiser - *Fight for Families 5K* held on October 18 at Allison Creek Park in York, SC.

Thank you to **Reed Cathey** and **Tatum, Rowan,** and **Ford Haston** for participating in the race. This 5K is a yearly fundraiser to raise money to help foster families in South Carolina.

Stepping Stones Care Community is part of the Missions Ministry Team at Steele Creek Presbyterian Church at Pleasant Hill. We partner with *Fostering the Family of South Carolina* to support foster families assigned through SC DSS. Our volunteers come alongside these families with prayer, meals, tutoring, errands, and other practical help—building a caring network of encouragement and stability.

Church Advent Decorating Time!

It is time to decorate the church! There will be a sub sandwich lunch, cookies, and tea after church on November 23. You MUST sign up and place your order if you plan on eating.

Phyllis, our custodian, is looking for able-bodied men to be able to climb ladders, haul Christmas trees out of the basement, build them, and hang wreaths in high locations.

[Sign Up here.](#)



Prayer Concerns

Please be in prayer for the following that they receive peace, comfort, support, healing, strength, and the love of Christ as He knows all the needs of all people. For more details on each, please see Church Center's Prayer List.

Condolences

- ✝ To the family and friends of Doug Lebda, friend of Trent Haston, for his sudden death in an ATV accident. Please be in prayer for Doug's family and friends at this tragic time.

Surgery

- ✝ Stephen Smith, Jr. will have surgery on November 5. Prayers for a speedy recovery.

Special, Congregational, and Community Concerns

- ✝ Please be in prayer for Jamaica and the Caribbean countries affected by Hurricane Melissa. The devastation caused by winds and water have left a number of individuals dead, property damaged and individuals without water and electricity. Pray also for the safety of humanitarian groups headed to these countries to provide help.
- ✝ Pray for food pantries like Nourish Up. With the federal government shut down and the SNAP program expiring, food banks are losing funding and supplies are limited. There are many people still in need of food.
- ✝ Pray for future peace in the Middle East, Israel, its people, and for the innocent individuals being affected in the Gaza region.
- ✝ DHSS Agencies in both North and South Carolina for the challenges they are facing in carrying out their mission regarding foster children and foster families.
- ✝ Pray for Jackson Roberts, Lynn Roberts' grandson, and the group he's traveling with for 6 months. They are teaching Christianity and life skills as they move from country to country on a mission trip. Currently, they are ministering in the country of Japan.
- ✝ Ukraine and its people.

Ongoing Illness

- ✝ Olivia Eiger, a friend of the Carroll family, is 19 years old and living with Juvenile Onset of Hunting-

ton's Disease. Please pray for Olivia as she lives with this debilitating disease

- ✝ Cooper Freeman, III has his prosthesis and is in therapy to learn how to use it. This has been a long journey for Cooper. What a praise to know he is going to be able to walk again. Pray for Cooper as he is in PT learning to use his prosthesis.
- ✝ Kelly Bledsoe is having a number of ongoing health issues. Brenda Bledsoe asked that we lift her daughter up in prayer.

General Health Concerns

- ✝ Linda Clark wants prayers for upcoming doctors' appointments to plan and schedule a heart valve replacement later in the month.
- ✝ Sondra Gillette, mother of Tim Gillette, is 92 and in the hospital after a fall. Tim and Terry Gillette request prayers.
- ✝ Barbara Freeman is in the hospital for some tests and will start PT at the end of next week. Please pray for God's healing powers.
- ✝ Jeffrey Hovis, grandson of Martha & Leighton Brown is still having trouble getting around and will have one more surgery. Martha & Leighton ask for prayers as he regains the use of his leg and recovers from the accident.
- ✝ Milan, a young man suffering from a reaction to the Covid vaccine, was diagnosed with Guillain Barre's Syndrome. This did result from a vaccine reaction and will be treated with multiple doses of steroids and other infusions. Having a diagnosis is a relief and now treatment can begin. Please continue to pray for Milan as he starts treatment.
- ✝ Baby Penelope, granddaughter of Sandra Wood, is home and doing well! She has a feeding tube, but the issue should be corrected in six months. Prayers are very much appreciated for her continued growth and development.
- ✝ Ruth McGaha is home recovering

from spinal surgery. Ruth has a long recovery period and appreciates your prayers.

- ✝ Elizabeth, Grace Kuto's sister has a blood clot as a result of Heart Failure. Grace says she is stable but needs lots of prayers.
- ✝ Paul, the brother of Gail Brenner's daughter-in-law Kim, has moved from the hospital to a rehab facility. Please pray for Paul's recovery.
- ✝ Cathy Day, Gail Brenner's friend, is back home from the hospital and doing much better. Please continue to pray for Cathy as she recovers.
- ✝ Pat McCorkle, David McCorkle's mother is at White Oak Manor Rehab doing PT to recover from her three surgeries. Please continue to pray for Pat as she recovers.
- ✝ George and Betty Davis appreciate all your prayers.
- ✝ Carol Boot would like prayers for health concerns.

Cancer

- ✝ John McGloughlin has been diagnosed with lung cancer. Fred Willis asks that we lift up John in prayer during his journey with cancer.
- ✝ Charlie Taylor, uncle to Brandon Burkhart, has been diagnosed with multiple kinds of stage 3 cancer throughout his body. He is on daily chemo and radiation treatments. Please be in prayer for Charlie and his family through this long, tough journey.
- ✝ Annie Monroe, mother of Larry Monroe had surgery and is doing well. She will have radiation treatments for her cancer.
- ✝ Rick Necklen, the husband of a friend of Ashley Bolender has finished his chemo treatments for adenocarcinoma, a form of esophageal cancer. He is scheduled for surgery on December 15th. Ashley appreciates your prayers for Rick.

✚ Preston Meynardie, Meg Salmon's mom was diagnosed with breast cancer. They met with the surgical oncologist on October 1st to determine the next steps. She had a surgery scheduled for October 23.

✚ Mike August, a friend of Mary Turner was diagnosed with stage 3 prostate cancer. He's self-employed with poor insurance coverage. He's concerned about medical bills and the treatment he is receiving.

✚ Ava Barrett, the daughter of a friend of Ashley Bolender, is doing much better but continues chemo treatments. Her next appointment is November 7th. Ava appreciates the continued prayers.

✚ Beau Rowe, Barry Small's friend has completed his chemo and radiation. Pray for his healing and for comfort and strength for his family.

✚ Jonathan Boot's stomach cancer has returned. Carol Boot asks for prayers for strength and healing for Jonathan.

✚ Ron Freeman, a friend of Trent Haston was diagnosed with cancer. He's had surgery and is receiving treatment. The treatment makes him sick, and he's losing weight. Please pray for Ron to be able to better tolerate the treatments.

✚ Pam Garris Bland, a friend of Linda Freeman started chemotherapy treatments for a reoccurrence of lymphoma. Linda asks that we lift up Pam in prayer.

✚ Raquel Mercer will be going back to Duke on November 17th for a full round of labs, CT scan, MRI and meeting with three doctor's to determine the next step. Please pray for God's healing mercies for Raquel as she continues this cancer journey for more than a year. Her family thanks you for your prayers.

✚ Travelle, the sister-in-law of a friend of Sandi Lauerman, please pray for her as she continues experimental treatment for stage 4 pancreatic cancer. Continue to pray for the long cancer journey she is facing.

Fostering the Family (FTF)

✚ Fostering the Family wants prayers for all of the support churches and care communities that are wrapping around vulnerable families.

Military

When we have someone serving outside of the U.S., we remember them, by lighting a candle, until they return. Please be in prayer for them.

✚ Brian Cox, Air Force Reserve, March AFB, California

✚ Claudia Hesse, Coast Guard, Guam

✚ Olivia Hommes, Vance AFB in Enid, OK

✚ Bradley Lauerman, US Navy, Virginia

✚ Dennis Rawls, IV Air National Guard

✚ Lexie Simerly, Army, Tacoma, Washington. Will be transferred to Hawaii in the near future.

✚ Will Warsaw, US Navy, NC

<u>College Students</u>	
Spencer Beck	Alexa Hill
Alex Brunson	Kevin Horack
Jacob Economon	Ben Shanti
Joshua Economon	Peyton Snyder
Clay Ferguson	Charlie Warnke

If you would like to submit a prayer request, private or public, you may:
¹Complete the prayer card in the back of any pew and place it in the offering plate. Mark it as a private or public prayer request. The card will be sent to the Intercessory Prayer Team.
²Email any prayer concerns to IntercessoryPrayerTeam@steelecreekchurch.org
³Submit a prayer concern through Church Center. On the computer go to scpcph.churchcenter.com and select the "Prayer Works" image. If you have the app, scroll down for the "Prayer Works" image on the homepage and select it.
 The Intercessory Prayer Team is honored and privileged to pray for your prayer requests. We want to pray for concerns close to your heart. You can also feel to call or text members of the Intercessory Prayer Team, Clinton Corbett, Mamie Gaver, Dexter Greene, Sandi Lauerman or Karen Rawls.

<u>Homebound</u>	
Joan Brown	Elaine Kotraba
Bob Capps	Hannah Maurer
Linda Clark	Pat McCorkle
Joyce Carpenter	Sarah Middleton
Dot Earp	Forrest Nunnally
Cooper Freeman, III	Gerry Roberts
Katharine Freeman	Kat Sparrow
Louise Freeman	Margaret Wert
	Wayne Whiteside

Refrigerator Needed

We have a member of the community in need of a refrigerator. If you have a working refrigerator available, please call the church office and let us coordinate moving the fridge to the individual.

(704) 588-1290