

Welcome to Worship!

September 10, 2023

PRELUDE

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thank you for signing the attendance pads.

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Kay Ratcliff, Liturgist

One: God calls us to pray with dynamite power.

All: May the kingdom of God break through so that God's will may be done on earth.

One: The cross of Christ is foolishness to the world.

All: God's wisdom provides dynamite power through the cross of Christ so that we may be saved.

One: Through faith in Jesus, we receive the Holy Spirit.

All: Come Holy Spirit, come in your dynamite power to transform us to be like Jesus.

One: God's power is made perfect in your weakness.

All: We will boast in our weaknesses, hardships, and difficulties. For when we are weak, God makes us strong. Amen.

PRAISE SONG

Ashlee Gallion

PRAYER OF THE DAY with the Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

CHILDREN'S STORY

*INVITATION to the OFFERING with "Doxology"

No. 95

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Liturgist

*HYMN

"Christ for the World We Sing"

No. 568

SCRIPTURE READING: Psalm 4:1-8

Liturgist

CHORAL ANTHEM

"Your Are"

Choir

SCRIPTURE READING: Luke 24:44-49, Actos 1:8

SERMON

"Dynamite Prayer: Holy Spirit Power"

Rev. Greg Markins

*HYMN OF RESPONSE "God of Love and God of Power " No. 578

BENEDICTON

POSTLUDE

*Please stand as your are able

NOTES & ANNOUNCEMENTS

SAFE SANCTUARY TRAINING: Plan to join me for a Safe Sanctuaries training meeting this evening at 5:30 p.m. in the Place of Grace. If you are thinking about volunteering in our children/youth ministries, this event is for YOU --Becky Damron

DYNAMITE PRAYER is a daily prayer guide that will show you how to begin a practice of "breakthrough prayer," a way of praying where we ask God to open new doors and reveal new possibilities, fueled by the Spirit's power. This 28-day adventure will take you from feeling stuck, overwhelmed, and uninspired to curious and expectant as you surrender your own preferences and ideas and courageously follow the miracles God brings into your life. Each day contains:

- A brief meditation on a verse from Scripture that will help you see how the Spirit's dynamic power has been at work throughout history and in your life today
- Reflection questions for the day
- A short breakthrough prayer for the day
- A prayer word or phrase to help you make breakthrough prayer part of each moment

For your convenience, this week's readings - which begin today (Sunday) are as follows:

Day 15: Through Our Words - pg. 43

Day 16: For Eternal Life - pg. 46

Day 17: Faith Focus - pg. 49

Day 18: A new Spirit - pg. 52

Day 19: Through Scripture - pg. 55

Day 20: The Cross - pg. 58

Day 21: War Cry - pg. 61

ECCHO NEEDS for this month include household items such as toilet paper, bar soap, shampoo, toothpaste, deodorant, and non-perishable food items. We especially need financial support to continue to purchase additional commodities. Donations may be placed in the ECCHO Closet in the Narthex.

MANY THANKS TO OUR FLOWER MINISTRY TEAM for their dedication to this ministry. Shut-ins, those who are hospitalized, sick at home, and members and friends celebrating special occasions receive the gift of flowers arranged from our weekly altar flowers.

If you would like to brighten someone's day and serve on the flower ministry team, **a delivery position is available.** Please contact the church office at 304-736-4583 Also, if you have any flower or bud vases you would like to donate, the flower ministry team would appreciate it as supply is running low.

BULLETIN COVER PHOTO: We are seeking photos of your church ministry for our church bulletin cover. If you would like to feature your ministry in action. Please submit photos of your group or group members to the church office by text or email to church@steelememorial.com.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Phyllis Argabrite
Eloise Baumgardner
Teresa Blake
Bob Chenoweth
Fred Delp
Dana Godfrey
Amy Herrenkohl
Mary Howard
Monica Jackson
Phyllis Johnson
Virginia Keefer
Brenda Morning
Keith Ross
Chris Roy
Irma Shy
Lois Silling
Jim Smith
Doris Wooten

THIS WEEK AT OUR CHURCH

SUNDAY-10

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship: 10:45 a.m.
Safe Sanctuary Training
Youth (SWAG) 5:30 p.m.
5:30 p.m.

MONDAY-11

Scouts 6:30 p.m.

TUESDAY-12

SPRC Meeting 6:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY-13

All Stars 4 Jesus 5:30 p.m.
Choir Rehearsal 7:00 p.m.

WEEKLY REPORT – September 3, 2023

GIVING

Needed per Week: \$8,039.15

Received: \$9,073.60

Monthly financial statements available upon request.

ATTENDANCE

Present: 118

Online Views: 49



FRIENDS AND FAMILY IN OUR PRAYERS

John Chapman
Mark Schneider
Sara Thomas
Karen Kimball
Kimberly Westerfield

(Friend of Dick & Louetta Jimison)
(Son-in-Law of Jerry & Phyllis Johnson)
(Cousin of Nick Anuszkiewicz)
(Former member of Steele)
(Daughter of Jim & Nancy Allman)



UPCOMING EVENTS

SEPTEMBER

17 - Zoom Bible Study Meeting
19 - Finance Meeting
20 - Red Cross Blood Drive

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FOR OUR



CHURCH APP

STEELE MEMORIAL
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CHURCH STAFF

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WELCOME

to Steele Memorial
United Methodist Church

September 10, 2023

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

The purpose of Steele Memorial United Methodist Church is to ENGAGE with people in order to know Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord; to CONNECT them in their journey of faith; and to offer opportunities to DEVELOP their relationship with the living God through love, worship, and SERVICE.

The third piece of our Discipleship Cycle defines spiritual formation with our term to DEVELOP the Christian believer: DEVELOP spiritual growth and understanding so each person can identify their calling as children of God through Bible study, prayer, worship, and fellowship with other believers.

