

# FALKLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

August 15, 2010

## APPROACH TO GOD

PRELUDE "I Danced In the Morning"\*\*\* Congregation

CALL TO WORSHIP Choir

OPENING PRAYER

\*HYMN OF PRAISE "Onward, Christian Soldiers" Page 350

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord, I seek to be comfortable so I avoid conflict, disagreement and all forms of controversy. I think I will be less stressed if I side step those I don't agree with, take the road most traveled and ignore people who are different from me. Forgive me for neglecting to practice the radical faith you have called your disciples to follow. Forgive me when I avoid others who call you Lord and Savior. Forgive me of my sin to be comfortable. Help me to live an obedient life even when I am required to stand up and speak out for your kingdom here in this community. Give me strength and courage to seek your kingdom. Amen.

MOMENT OF SILENT MEDITATION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Hear the good news! Who is in a position to condemn? Christ alone, for Christ died for us, Christ rose for us, Christ reigns in power for us, Christ prays for us. Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation. The old life has gone; a new life has begun. Know that you are forgiven and be at peace! Amen!

\*GLORY PATRI Page 546

## THE WORD OF GOD

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION Verlie Singleton

Guide us, O God, by your Word, and Holy Spirit, that in your light we may see light, in your truth find freedom, and in your will discover peace; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

FIRST LESSON: *Isaiah 5:1-7*

Mrs. Singleton

SECOND LESSON: *Luke 12:49-56*

Mrs. Singleton

## **L: This is the Word of God!**

P: Thanks *be to God!*

ANTHEM "Just a Little Talk with Jesus" Choir

SERMON "Lord, I Want to be Comfortable" Dr. Smith

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

*Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you. Al-le-lu, Al-le-lu-ia*  
*Ask and it shall be given unto you, seek and ye shall find.*  
*Knock and the door shall be opened unto you. Al-le-lu, Al-le-lu-ia.*

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S GIFT

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH "Apostle's Creed" Page 12

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

CHORAL RESPONSE

## THE RESPONSE TO GOD

THE OFFERING OF GIFTS TO GOD -by the People of God

\*DOXOLOGY Page 544

\*OFFERTORY PRAYER

\*HYMN "I Am Thine, O Lord" Page 320

JOYS AND CONCERNS

\*BENEDICTION

\*CHORAL RESPONSE "Amen" Choir

POSTLUDE

## ***ANNOUNCEMENTS***

The flowers have been given to the glory of God by Kadie & Louis Moore in memory of Judy & Joseph Hagan.

**USHERS** Ricky Beaman & Brian Waldron  
**LAY READER** Verlie Singleton  
**YOUTH CHURCH LEADER:** Deborah Edwards  
**AUGUST FLOWER CALENDAR** – 8/29- Open

**Please turn off all cell phones during worship.**

The Worship & Music Committee is preparing a mailing list for Homecoming in October. If you know someone who you would like to invite, please give name and address to Beverly Vandiford or Donna Jordan.

The Christian Ed Committee is recruiting Sunday School teachers. If you are interested, please contact Anne Powell.

**HOUSEWARMING** for the Langs will be Saturday, August 21<sup>st</sup> from 4:00 – 6:00 pm. See insert for details.

### ***SPECIAL DAYS & OPPORTUNITIES***

8/16	Building & Grounds	7:00 pm
8/19	Choir Practice	6:30 pm
8/22	Worship Service & Sunday School	10:00 am

Last Sunday's Tithes & Offering	\$1,922.95
Offering needed each week to meet budget	2,063.00
Community Aid	10.00
Last Sunday's Church Attendance	57

## **PRAYER LIST**

**Please keep the following in your thoughts and prayers:**

**SHUT-INS:** Bill Leggett, Lillian Trotman, Julia Lawrence, Donald Garris, Barbara Waters, Ruth Little, Lillian Norville, Bobby Crisp

**OTHERS:** Carolyn Burrows, Shirley & Curtis Nichols, Joyce & Dick Peaden & family, Bobby Pollard, Alan Harris, Jr., Melissa Pittman, Josh Tripp, Beulah Deans, Gene Tucker, Phillip Pridgen, Nick Luper, Bettie Mae Little, Ruth Cobb, Ronald Fleming, Rachel Windham, Bruce Newsome, Bruce Allen, the military forces and their families, our nation and world leaders for the pursuit of peace.

## **SESSION MEMBERS**

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