

**SERVICE OF INSTALLATION**  
**Pastor Joshua Owen**  
**Senior Pastor, Cross Creek Presbyterian Church**  
**4 December 2011**

**Welcome** TE Montgomery Kirk  
**Call to Worship** (Isa. 12) TE Montgomery Kirk  
**Opening Prayer** RE Richard Hartney  
**Hymn # 4** "All Praise to God, Who Reigns Above"  
**Old Testament Reading** Ezekiel 34:1-16; 25-26, 31  
RE John Gillis II  
**New Testament Reading** 1 Thess. 2: 3-12; Ephesians 4:1-3, 11-13; John 15:16  
RE Walter Parrish  
**Sermon** TE Andrew Webb  
**Installation Questions** TE Montgomery B. Kirk

**For the Minister:**

- Do you believe the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments, as originally given, to be the inerrant Word of God, the only infallible rule of faith and practice?
- Do you sincerely receive and adopt the Confession of Faith and the Catechisms of this Church, as containing the system of doctrine taught in the Holy Scriptures; and do you further promise that if at any time you find yourself out of accord with any of the fundamentals of this system of doctrine, you will on your own initiative, make known to your Presbytery the change which has taken place in your views since the assumption of this ordination vow?
- Do you approve of the form of government and discipline of the Presbyterian Church in America, in conformity with the general principles of Biblical polity?
- Do you promise subjection to your brethren in the Lord?
- Have you been induced, as far as you know your own heart, to seek the office of the holy ministry from love to God and a sincere desire to promote His glory in the Gospel of His Son?
- Do you promise to be zealous and faithful in maintaining the truths of the Gospel and the purity and peace and unity of the Church, whatever persecution or opposition may arise unto you on that account?
- Do you engage to be faithful and diligent in the exercise of all your duties as a Christian and a minister of the Gospel, whether personal or relational, private or public; and to endeavor by the grace of God to adorn the profession of the Gospel in your manner of life, and to walk with exemplary piety before the flock of which God shall make you overseer?

- Are you now willing to take the charge of this church, agreeable to your declaration when accepting their call? And do you, relying upon God for strength, promise to discharge to it the duties of a pastor?

**For The Congregation:**

- Do you, the people of this congregation, continue to profess your readiness to receive TE Joshua Owen, whom you have called to be your Pastor?
- Do you promise to receive the Word of truth from his mouth with meekness and love, and to submit to him in the due exercise of discipline?
- Do you promise to encourage him in his labors, and to assist his endeavors for your instruction and spiritual edification?
- Do you engage to continue to him while he is your pastor that competent worldly maintenance which you have promised, and to furnish him with whatever you may see needful for the honor of religion and for his comfort among you?

**Pronouncement of Installation** TE Montgomery B. Kirk  
**Charge to the Minister** TE Irfon Hughes  
**Hymn #342** "Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation"  
**Charge to the Congregation** TE Andrew Webb  
**Hymn of Gratitude # 411** "Shine Thou Upon Us, Lord"  
**Prayer of petition for Pastor Joshua Owen and Congregation**

TE Miguel del Toro

**We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through Him all things were made. For us and for our salvation He came down from heaven, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and was made man. For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered death and was buried. On the third day He rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and His kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

**Benediction**

Pastor Joshua Owen