



Middle School Retreat Leader Bios

Mary Moore Driggers- *Keynote Leader*

Mary Moore Driggers grew up with Foothills Presbytery and is excited to spend a weekend full of fun and fellowship together. Mary Moore spent her summers growing up at camp, hiking and kayaking, singing loudly, and enjoying God's presence through nature. She graduated from Presbyterian College in 2018 with a degree in Christian Education. From there, she found her footing in the nonprofit space, discovering the power of storytelling and relationship building through working with people experiencing homelessness on the streets of Hollywood. It was in her time living and working in Los Angeles that the Holy Spirit stirred in her to go to Seminary and tend to the delicate balance of ministry between serving the Church and the world together. Mary Moore has since graduated from Union Presbyterian Seminary and is a Candidate for ordination in the PC(USA). In this current phase, she is serving as a hospital Chaplain in Atlanta, GA and very much enjoying it! In her off time, you can find her on any body of water paddle boarding or at the local garden center picking out new plants for her home.



Trey Duncan- *Music Leader*



Trey is the Director of Music at Trinity Presbyterian in Travelers Rest. Trey received a Bachelor of Science in Physics and Music from Furman University in May of 2018. From the time he started playing bass in church in his hometown of Lexington, South Carolina, Trey has had a passion for worship. This took many forms, including leading worship for the Fellowship of Christian Athletes at White Knoll High School and Furman University and being invited twice to play with his band in Christian music worship rallies on the state house steps in Columbia. He learned conducting from Dr. Hugh Floyd and honed this craft as the music director for the Furman University Bell Tower Boys and Furman University Mosquitoes. He currently teaches guitar, ukulele, and voice at NoteAbility Music School.



Senior High Retreat Leader Bios

Rev. Lissa Sumner Long- *Keynote Leader*

Lissa spent most of her time growing up in Athens, Ga (Go Dawgs!) where she was encouraged in her faith by her family and church, Central Presbyterian. Lissa attended Presbyterian College, graduating in '98 with a degree in Christian Education/Religion and a minor in Special Education completing her senior paper on the importance of camp and conference ministry. Lissa found God calling her to work in York, SC at First Presbyterian Church (D.C.E.) and then to Mount Pleasant Presbyterian Church (Director for Youth and Family Ministries). When she felt the tug to hospice ministry in 2005 it came as a shock, but was a wonderful 11 year journey as a hospice chaplain. Lissa was called to be ordained as Minister of Word and Sacrament and attended Erskine Seminary receiving her MDiv in 2012 and later ordained in 2013. Lissa currently serves as Associate Pastor at Westminster Presbyterian Church in Charleston, SC. She is married and has two fabulous children.



NeTorrian (De') Patton- *Music Leader*

De' Patton is joining us from Rock Hill, SC, where he teaches high school choral music. He is currently serving as the director of music at a PC(USA) church. In his free time, De' enjoys singing, playing the piano, learning new instruments, going to concerts, reading, camping, and playing with his labradoodle Ollie.

Foothills Presbytery Retreats Tentative Schedules

Middle School

FRIDAY

7:00 pm - 8:00 pm	Registration
8:00 pm - 8:45 pm	Mixers, energizers, music
8:45 pm- 9:10 pm	Opening Keynote
9:15 pm	Smores by fire pit
9:45 pm	Vespers
10:30 pm	Lights Out

SATURDAY

8:00 am - 9:00 am	Breakfast
9:15 am - 9:45 am	Energizers/Music
9:45 am - 10:30 am	Keynote #1
10:30 am - 11:45 am	Small Group #1
12:00 pm- 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:30 pm - 2:30 pm	Small Group #2
2:30 pm - 3:30 pm	Small Group Rec Event
3:30 pm - 5:30 pm	Recreation
5:45 pm- 6:45 pm	Dinner
7:00 pm - 7:30 pm	Energizers/Music
7:30 pm - 8:15 pm	Keynote #2
8:15 pm - 9:15 pm	Small Group #3
9:00 pm - 10 pm	Evening Snacks & Rec
10:00 pm	Vespers
10:30 pm	Lights Out

SUNDAY

8:00 am - 9:00 am	Breakfast
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Pack/Clean up housing
10:00 am	Closing Worship

Senior High

FRIDAY

7:00 pm - 8:00 pm	Registration
8:00 pm - 8:45 pm	Mixers, energizers, music
8:45 pm- 9:10 pm	Keynote #1
9:25 pm -10:25 pm	Small Group #1
10:30 pm	Snacks
10:45 pm	Vespers
11:15 pm	Lights Out

SATURDAY

7:30 am- 8:30 am	Breakfast
9:15 am- 10:00 am	Energizers and Music
10:00 am- 10:45 am	Keynote #2
10:50 am- 11:50 am	Small Group #2
12:00 pm- 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:30 pm -2:30 pm	Small Group #3
2:30 pm- 3:30 pm	Small Group REC Event
3:30 pm- 6:00 pm	Free Afternoon
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Dinner
7:00 pm -7:30 pm	Energizers/Music
7:30 pm - 8:15 pm	Keynote #3
8:15 pm - 9:15 pm	Worship Prep in Backhome Groups
9:00 pm - 10:30 pm	Evening Snacks & Rec
10:30 pm-10:45 pm	Vespers
11:00 pm	Lights Out

SUNDAY

7:30 am- 8:30 am	Breakfast
8:30 am- 9:15 am	Pack/Clean up housing
9:15 am- 10:00 am	Small Group #4
10:00 am	Closing Worship

Foothills Presbytery Retreat Participant Information Form

After completing the form, please rename and save the document using the participant's last name and first initials. Send the completed form to your youth leader.

Name: _____ Age: _____ Grade: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State, Zip code: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Home Church & City: _____

I will be attending: _____ Middle School Retreat (November 11-13, 2022)

_____ Senior High Retreat (January 6-8, 2023)

I am: Female _____ Male _____ Youth _____ Adult _____

T-shirt Size (adult sizes only) S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ XXL _____

Retreat Covenant

- I will treat each person with love and respect.
- I will participate in all group activities.
- I will welcome others into this community of faith.
- I will abide by the community curfew.
- I will abide by all Foothills policies including those that prohibit smoking and the possession and use of alcohol and illegal drugs.
- I promise to disconnect from technology and connect in new ways to my faith community.
- I will respect other people's belongings, keep track of my own stuff and clean up after myself.
- I will have fun, play hard, make new friends and grow in relationship with God and others.

I agree to abide by the covenant for the Foothills Presbytery Retreat:

Participant Printed Name: _____

Participant Initials: _____

Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Permission

(This section MUST be filled out for those under 18 years of age.)

_____ I release Foothills Presbytery and any persons representing it from all liability in the event of an accident. In the case of an emergency, I authorize medical treatment by trained personnel for the youth whose name appears above (if applicable).

_____ I grant Foothills Presbytery the right to use pictures of my youth or Foothills Presbytery communications including, but not limited to newsletters, emails, flyers, and social media.

Please list all Allergies, Medications & Special Needs or Restrictions (use the back if necessary). I understand that all medications shall be turned into the designated adult leader for safe keeping and distribution as directed:

Insurance Company Name: _____

Group/Policy Numbers: _____

Parent/Guardian's Printed Name: _____

Parent/Guardian's Initials: _____

Relationship to Youth: _____

Date: _____