

WELCOME NEW STAFF

STEVE WALSH



**Steve Walsh,
Assistant Pastor of
Congregational Care**

Steve grew up in Thousand Oaks, California. In 1970, he enlisted as an infantryman in the California

National Guard and later became an officer. After earning his Green Beret from the U.S. Army Special Forces School at Ft. Bragg, N.C., he served in a variety of Special Forces Groups. He is a graduate of the University of Southern California film school with experience in radio, television, and later newspapers. After earning his M.B.A. from Pepperdine University, he started his own company and published magazines until his calling to the ministry.

While attending Fuller Theological Seminary, he started the chaplaincy of the Bakersfield City Fire Department where the Lord gave him hands on experience in crisis ministry. After ordination in 1988, he returned to uniformed service as a PCUSA chaplain in the U.S. Army. His military career took him all over the world including the Panama Invasion, Gulf War I, two tours in Iraq and seven months in Haiti as part of a UN peacekeeping force. In 2002 he earned his D. Min from Columbia Seminary.

His wife Lisa hails from the great state of Oklahoma and is a certified Texas elementary school teacher. She has taught students in both Texas and North Carolina. She currently spends time volunteering and working for the Boerne Independent School District. An adult son Michael works in California, their daughter Caitlyn is a sophomore at Schreiner University in Kerrville and their youngest son Joseph is a fifth grader at Fabra Elementary school in Boerne where they make their home. The family enjoys attending a variety of sporting events (Go Spurs!), travel and visiting local attractions.