

8:30 am Worship Ministry (Traditional, Sanctuary)

Welcome Desk Greeter: Deacon Jeff Mason

Greeters: Elder Joyce Wenzke; Trustee Paul Lewis; Stephen Minister Peg Pierce

Ushers: Jack Haag, Bill & Kathleen Stone, Kevin Chumney, Jack Terry

Sound Technician: George Faulkner

Pulpit Flower Arrangers: Stacy Schaffer, Mary Cooper and Barbara Wetherill

Delivery Arranger: Jackie Williams

Flower Deliverers: Mike Hock and Jean Kunkel

11:00 am Worship Ministry (Contemporary, Miller Commons)

Worship Leader: Martin Bass

Greeters: Elder Rebecca Neindorff; Deacon Mike Hock

Flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Franz Schneider by Sheila Schneider.

Nursery Care is available in the Preschool area for those with young children (birth-age 4). The David Room (back of the Sanctuary) is available for parents with infants/toddlers. The worship service can be viewed via TV monitor.

Members and Guests: Please take a moment to sign the Friendship pads in the pews so we can accurately record worship attendance and welcome visitors.



Kids (K-3rd grade): Don't forget to pick up your **worship bags** and check for your worship mission.

Pick up a copy of **Connections**, which contains the Covenant of Prayer, from the narthex, Welcome Desk, Miller Commons, or the church office.

There are also large-print bulletins available.

The Church is currently **live-streaming** (video) all Services. You may access the live-stream video on our website www.fpcmoorestown.org/livestream.

Next Sunday, February 17: Sermon title: "Enjoy!"; Scripture: Ecclesiastes 3:1-14.

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Kelly LePenske, Pastoral Associate



Please Join Us for Worship

8:30 am Traditional (*Sanctuary*)

11:00 am Contemporary (*Miller Commons*)

GATHERING THOUGHT

THE FPCM WAY OF THE WEEK

- 5. ASSUME POSITIVE INTENT.** Decide to trust that others are being fair, honest, and concerned for the well-being of our church.^a Set aside your own judgments and preconceived notions.^b Surrender the urge to criticize and judge—it doesn't help.^c

^a "Most important of all, continue to show deep love for each other, for love covers a multitude of sins." (1 Peter 4:8)

^b "But if you are always biting and devouring one another, watch out! Beware of destroying one another." (Galatians 5:15)

^c "Do not judge others, and you will not be judged. For you will be treated as you treat others." (Matthew 7:1)

Sunday, February 10, 2019
Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

ORDER OF WORSHIP

8:30 am Sanctuary

WELCOME AND WORK OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Kelly LePenske

Acolyte: Will McNeil

Beadle: Elder Steve Shaffer

MUSIC IN PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Kathy Gunsallus

Meditation on Ubi Caritas Plainsong (Where Love & Charity Prevail) Wagner

INTROIT

God is Love and Where True Love is

Adult Choir

Murray

Kathy Gunsallus, Organ

CALL TO WORSHIP*

(Based on Psalm 99)

Elder Shaffer

The earth has its kings, but God is ruler of all.

Praise God above all, the giver of life!

The mountains may tremble, the oceans may roar,

but God's presence is more powerful than the earth itself.

Come into God's presence, for God is among us now.

O God, show us Your glory; we seek Your ways.

Come to the Rock, the God of life, for God is present now. Let us worship our God this morning.

HYMN NO. 702*

I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord

PRAYER OF ADORATION*

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH* (The Apostles' Creed)

CALL TO CONFESSION

Rev. Stuart Spencer

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful and gracious God, we bow before Your unending compassion, knowing the measure of our shortcomings. We have not loved as You commanded. We have not spoken truly. We have not cared for creation, including ourselves, according to Your will. What we intend, we have not pursued; what we mean to avoid, we embrace. Help us to know the mind of Christ that, in all thoughts, words, and deeds, our lives might come to honor You. Amen.

Silence for personal prayer

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

The Lord is generous to all who call on God's name. Friends, believe the Good News: God does not turn away from us but desires to bring us into glorious freedom offered by Jesus Christ. Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.

Thanks be to God!

RESPONSE NO. 805*

Glory Be to the Father

SHARING WITH OUR CHILDREN

Chris Palmer

ANTHEM

Set Me As a Seal Upon Thine Heart

Adult Choir

Whitbourn

Kathy Gunsallus, Organ

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER ('debts')

Kelly LePenske

OFFERTORY

Come Down, O Love Divine!

Janet Wilkie, Soprano

Vaughn Williams

RESPONSE NO. 809*

Praise God From Whom All Blessings

PRAYER OF DEDICATION*

Chris Palmer

SCRIPTURE LESSON

John 13:31-38 (pg. 108 NT, Pew Bible)

SERMON

The Only Mark of a Christian

Sermon Series: We are First Pres!

Caitlyn Posey

HYMN NO. 298*

Come, Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove

WAY OF THE WEEK

Steve Shaffer

MUSIC IN PREPARATION FOR SERVICE

Thee Will I Love, My Strength, My Tower

Kathy Gunsallus

Cherwein

BENEDICTION*

GREETING*

The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

*Those who are able are invited to stand

***Seating interlude