

8:30 am Worship Ministry (Traditional, Sanctuary)

Welcome Desk Greeter: Deacon Matt Moxhay

Greeters: Elder Mike Baker; Trustee Dave Kahley; Stephen Minister Doris Kahley

Ushers: George Faulkner, David Barr, Brian Donahue, Mike McNeil

Sound Technician: Bob Birdsall

Pulpit Flower Arrangers: Debbie Heller and Martha Derry

Delivery Arranger: Sally Bishop

Flower Deliverers: Nancy Meyers and Joe Scheideler

Bell Choir: Carol Benner, Jim Cole, Martha Eshelman, Lissa Herman, Beth Lefferts, Melissa McNab, Marion Norcross, Peg Pierce, Stacy Schaffer, Sam Scheibe, Vicki Terry

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

Worship Leader: Martin Bass

Greeters: Elder Joe Holman; Deacon Janet D'Angelo

Flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Kimberly S. Jagiela by Linda & Philip Jagiela; and in loving memory of her father, Glen Bolin, by Sarah & Robert Harper.

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 24: Sermon title: "*First Things First*"; Scripture: Matthew 6:24-33. It will be Service Sunday.

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Rev. Stuart Spencer, Pastor/Head of Staff

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

6. FORGIVE...AGAIN. Just as God forgives us, heal relationships by extending forgiveness with grace and generosity.^{a,b} Forgive everyone everything.^c Start by praying for those you resent or hate. Ask for every blessing you would want for the one you're struggling to forgive.

^a "*If you forgive those who sin against you, your heavenly Father will forgive you. But if you refuse to forgive others, your Father will not forgive your sins.*" (Matthew 6:13-14)

^b "*Get rid of all bitterness, rage, anger, harsh words, and slander, as well as all types of evil behavior. Instead be kind to each other, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, just as God, through Christ, has forgiven you.*" (Ephesians 4:31)

^c "*Make allowance for each other's faults, and forgive anyone who offends you. Remember, the Lord forgave you, so you must forgive others.*" (Colossians 3:13)

Sunday, February 17, 2019
Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

ORDER OF WORSHIP

8:30 am Sanctuary

WELCOME AND WORK OF GOD’S PEOPLE

Kelly LePenske

Acolyte: Alivia Nawrocki

Beadle: Elder Jean Kunkel

MUSIC IN PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Kathy Gunsallus

Ring Praise, O My Soul
Bell Choir & Tone Chimes

Tucker

CALL TO WORSHIP*

Elder Kunkel

Loving God, we come to You with a heart full of thanksgiving and a deep desire to worship.
You are greater than we can understand.

Open our eyes that we may see the wonderful truths You have shown us in Jesus.

You are more loving than we can imagine.

Help us to give ourselves to You fully so that we can learn what You want us to be in Christ.

Loving God, in Jesus Christ, You chose to come to the world in humility. You chose the downward path that the world saw as foolish. You used what the world considered weak. How we worship and praise You now and always!

HYMN NO. 262*

Rejoice, the Lord is King

PRAYER OF ADORATION*

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH* (The Apostles’ Creed)

CALL TO CONFESSION

Caitlyn Posey

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Dear Lord, we rejoice that, in You, we find our hope. We have tried and failed to manage our lives. We have tried to guard what we say and don’t say. We have tried to serve selflessly. We have tried to contain our appetites and desires. We have tried not to judge or condemn. We have tried to control our thoughts. The harder we try, the more obvious it becomes we cannot attain perfection. We confess our brokenness and weakness to You. We humbly thank You for forgiving our sins and washing us clean through the grace of our Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Silence for personal prayer

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

The Lord is faithful in all His words and gracious in all His deeds. The Lord upholds all who are falling and raises up all who are crushed by heavy loads.

Today we will trust God more than we trust our failures and shortcomings. In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Amen.

RESPONSE NO. 805*

Glory Be to the Father

ANTHEM

My Father’s House
Adult Choir

arr. Sims
Sam Scheibe, Piano

SHARING WITH OUR CHILDREN

Caitlyn Posey

HYMN NO. 53*

Let All Things Now Living

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION AND THE LORD’S PRAYER (*‘debts’*)

Chris Palmer

OFFERTORY

Git on Board, Little Children
Joyce Michelfelder, Mezzo-soprano

Spiritual arr. L. Brown
Kathy Gunsallus, Piano

RESPONSE NO. 809*

Praise God From Whom All Blessings

PRAYER OF DEDICATION*

Kelly LePenske

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Ecclesiastes 3:1-14 (pg. 616 OT, Pew Bible)

SERMON

Enjoy!
Sermon Series: We are First Pres!

Rev. Stuart Spencer

HYMN NO. 72*

To God Be the Glory

WAY OF THE WEEK

Beth Lefferts

MUSIC IN PREPARATION FOR SERVICE

Lord, I Want to Be a Christian in My Heart

Joel Krott
Spiritual arr. Callahan

BENEDICTION*

GREETING*

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