
INTERACTIVE ORDER FOR LIVE STREAM WORSHIP

Sunday, September 13, 2020

9:30 a.m. Blended Worship (Outside on the Front Lawn)

Good morning and blessings to you this beautiful Kickoff Sunday! Today we safely gather for outdoor worship as one church family! You may wish to have a Bible on hand to look up the scripture references. Kids: Can you race your family to look up the passages?



Welcome and Work of God's People

Stuart Spencer

Music in Preparation for Worship

Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart

Messiter, Arr. Cassler

Luke Wroblewski, Tenor I; Michael Martin, Tenor II; Sam Day, Baritone; Sam Scheibe, Bass

Call to Worship

Stuart Spencer

Come, everyone, let us sing to the Lord! Let us give a joyous shout to the Rock of our salvation!

Let us come before the Lord with full and thankful hearts. Let us sing to God our songs of praise and adoration.

Remember, if you have forgotten: The Lord is great and He does great things.

God owns the Earth, even the mightiest mountains. The ocean also belongs to God because He made it.

Come, let us worship and bow down. Let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker. For He is our God, and we are the people He watches over.

Prayer of Adoration

Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy

Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayer of Confession

Kelly LePenske

Oh Lord, all-knowing God, most wise God, you have searched me and known me. You have looked into the deepest desires of my heart. You know my secret loyalties as well as my hesitations. You know my doubts and reservations. I admit that I have been wayward, fleeing your presence. Sometimes I have even made my bed in Hell, and somehow you discovered me there, too. Have mercy upon me, gracious God. Unite me with Jesus, my only Savior and Lord. Amen.

Time for personal prayers of confession before God

Assurance of Forgiveness

Kelly LePenske

Sharing with our Children

Holly Ascitutto

Special Music

The Church's One Foundation

S.S. Messiter, Arr. Cassler

Luke Wroblewski, Tenor I; Michael Martin, Tenor II; Sam Day, Baritone; Sam Scheibe, Bass

Prayer of Intercession and the Lord's Prayer ('debts')

Kelly LePenske

Way of the Week #13 [\(Watch the video from Jim Capps\)](#)

13. OPEN DOORS FOR OTHERS TO LEAD. Encourage others to step into leadership by sharing responsibilities and mentoring. Let go of the jobs you've always done and allow new leaders to emerge. Remember that our youth and young adults are not solely the future of our church but are vitally important for our *present*.

- *Therefore, go and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Teach these new disciples to obey all the commands I have given you. And be sure of this: I am with you always, even to the end of the age.* (Matthew 28: 19, 20)
- *He said to his disciples, "The harvest is great, but the workers are few. So pray to the Lord who is in charge of the harvest; ask him to send more workers into his fields."* (Matthew 9: 37, 38)
- *Don't let anyone think less of you because you are young. Be an example to all believers in what you say, in the way you live, in your love, your faith, and your purity.* (1 Timothy 4: 12)

Ideas for Action: As you consider whatever it is that you do regularly here, keep a look out for a younger person or a new member to invite to join you in the task. If the job requires training or coaching, offer it. Look to let go and hand off.

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Offertory

THANK YOU to all who have signed up for our secure electronic giving on [our website](#). Your generosity allows FPC Moorestown to support its full-time staff and equip our mission partners with essentials during the pandemic. Please consider how God is calling you to bring hope and love to others through prayer, service and financial giving. Give directly from your phone by using the [Church Center app](#)! Questions? Contact Norm Vandergrift at nvandergrift@fpcmoorestown.org or (856) 235-1688, Ext. 112.

Our Lasting Legacy -- You can help FPC Moorestown “*Always be prepared*” by contributing to our [September 12th Fund](#). Contributions are invested for the benefit of our church over time, with a portion distributed each year for current church needs. As you are able, please consider a gift specially designated to ensure the care and stability of our church now and for future generations by donating to the September 12th Fund. [Give online](#) or mail a check to the church with Sept. 12 in the memo field.

Offertory Music

Contemporary Worship Team

Cornerstone by William Batchelder Bradbury, Eric Liljero, Reuben Morgan, Edward Mote, Jonas Myrin Martin Bass, Christine Bass, Yanellie Pabon Garcia, Dennis Palma, Tom McBride, Michelle Davis and Rebecca Neindorff

Sermon

Rev. Stuart Spencer

“If My People ...”

Scripture: Text: [2 Chronicles 7: 11-22 \(NLT\)](#)

Sermon Series: “If My People”

Music in Preparation for Service

Contemporary Worship Team

Revelation Song

Jennie Lee Riddle

Benediction and Going Forth

Stuart Spencer

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9:30 A.M. Worship Ministry (Blended Worship, Outside on the Church Lawn)

Soloists:

Luke Wroblewski, Michael Martin, Sam Day, Sam Scheibe

Contemporary Worship Team:

Martin Bass, Christine Bass, Yanellie Pabon Garcia, Dennis Palma, Tom McBride, Michelle Davis, and Rebecca Neindorff

Audio Technicians (Live Sound):

Taylor Adair, Harris E. Ransom

Live Video Streaming:

Harris A. Ransom, Merritt Wikle, Steve Drzaszcz

Flower Arranger:

Carol Morgan

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- **TODAY** we gather for ONE combined service outside at 9:30 a.m. to celebrate our **Fall Kickoff and Ministry Fair**. Following worship, please visit the display tables on the paved courtyard between the Commons Lobby and the Sanctuary, for an abbreviated **Ministry Fair** as we discover ways to connect with God. Think about familiar or new ways you wish to Worship, Connect, Devote and Serve this year.
- **Today's sanctuary flowers** are given by Sheila Schneider in loving memory of Franz Schneider and their parents.
- **The church campus remains CLOSED**. Staff members are reachable via email, phone and text. Are you receiving the Friday eblast? And our Facebook posts? If not, email Jan Martin at jmartin@fpcmoorestown.org so you can keep up with FPC Moorestown news.
- **Live Stream Worship** -- Connect with FPC Moorestown for live stream worship every Sunday at 9:30 a.m. for a blended service and Thursday evenings at 7:00 p.m. for our Prayer Service. Go to www.fpcmoorestown.org/live-stream from any device, as well as our [YouTube channel](#) and [Facebook page](#). Can't log on live? Visit the sites later to watch the recorded service.
- **Next Week:** On Sunday, Sept. 20, Stuart Spencer concludes our sermon series "If My People" on prayer and fasting, with "Don't Make a Big Deal About It," preaching from Matthew 6: 5-18. **Reservations for the outdoor 8:30 a.m. worship on Sunday, Sept. 20 will open at noon Monday, Sept. 14 and close at 3:00 pm Friday, Sept. 18.** Our stewardship series "Giving Lessons" begins Sept. 27.

Fall Gathering Presented by PW

The Women of the Church invite members and friends to the Fall Gathering at First Presbyterian Church, hosted by Presbyterian Women via Zoom on **Monday, Sept. 21** (7:00 pm). Men and women of ALL AGES are welcome!! Our featured guest speaker will be Pam Main. There will be a short business meeting, then we will be treated to an inspirational message from Pam Main, based on this year's fascinating PW study: "Into the Light ... Finding Hope Through Prayers of Lament."



Laments are prayers that bridge the space between our faith in God and the reality of living in our not-yet-redeemed world. In this study we will see that Jesus offered prayers of lament and noted suffering and sorrow in the world. If we are to pattern our lives after His, we need to reclaim lament in our personal and corporate prayer. We need to lament, and Pam will encourage us to "Let it Out!"

REGISTER today right from our event page and share your email address with us. Event is FREE and open to the community. [See our poster ...](#)