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#### INTERACTIVE ORDER FOR LIVE STREAM WORSHIP

Sunday, October 11, 2020

9:30 a.m. Blended Worship (Sanctuary)

Good morning and blessings to you this beautiful fall Sunday! Today we gather for live stream worship. 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**

Before Thy Throne, I Now Appear Abide With Me, Lord Jesus Christ

Layla Joshi, Organ

Dupre Op. 71 No. 71

Dupre Op. 71 No. 1

Christ, Who Knew No Sin or Wrong

Vikram Joshi, Organ

Dupre Op. 71 No. 15

The guest organists today are middle school students learning to play our beautiful organ under the tutelage of Joel Krott. What a blessing it is for these young people to share the stewardship of their talent.

# **Call to Worship**

Kelly LePenske

Come, everyone, and clap your hands for joy!

For the Lord Most High is awesome. He is the great King of all the Earth.

Sing to the Lord a new song; sing wherever you go, for the Lord is worthy of our praise and prayer.

Sing to the Lord; praise His name. Declare God's desire to save us, day after day.

Come, bow down and worship; kneel to the Lord, our Maker.

For the Lord is our God, our Shepherd; we are the flock that God leads with care.

Praise God, then, with me. Praise God with all that you have to offer. God is worthy. Let us worship God—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit!

# **Prayer of Confession**

**Stuart Spencer** 

Lord God, we come to you this morning to tell the truth about ourselves. We have given more weight to our successes and our happiness than to your will. We have eaten plenty with little concern for the hungry. We have kept silent instead of telling the truth. We have judged others, forgetful that you alone are the Judge of the earth. Within your church we have been slow to practice love of our neighbors. Forgive us of these and every sin we have committed. Please help us to live differently, as real followers of Jesus Christ, your Son, our Savior. Amen.

Time for personal prayers of confession before God

# **Assurance of Forgiveness**

**Stuart Spencer** 

#### Solo

#### **How Great Thou Art**

Fernando Mancillas, Tenor Kathy Gunsallus, Piano Swedish Folk Melody

# **Stewardship Speakers**

Ann and Tom McBride

On <u>Consecration Sunday</u> October 18, members will complete Estimate of Giving cards together as an act of worship, in one 9:30 a.m. live stream service. Households will prayerfully consider their 2021 gift to the Lord's work and seek to "grow one step."

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

**Beth Douglass** 

**Presented by video** 

### Way of the Week #17 (Watch the video from Caitlyn Posey)

Stuart Spencer

- **17. SHOW WHO YOU REALLY ARE.** Our church is for "real" people. Bring your true self, including your joys, your sorrows, your fears, your strengths, and your weaknesses. God loves you as you are. Don't hide your struggles, failures or problems.
- When we were utterly helpless, Christ came at just the right time and died for us sinners. (Romans 5: 6)
- For this is how God loved the world: He gave his one and only Son, so that everyone who believes in him will not perish but have eternal life. (John 3: 16)

<u>Ideas for Action</u>: This week, sit down with or talk to another member by phone and share one area of struggle, failure or a fear you have.

**Offertory** Kelly LePenske

THANK YOU to all who have signed up for our secure electronic giving on <u>our website</u>. 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 <u>Church Center app!</u> Questions? Contact Norm Vandergrift at nvandergrift@fpcmoorestown.org or (856) 235-1688, Ext. 112.

## **Offertory Music**

#### Look at the World

Janet Wilkie, Soprano; Grace Rykaczewski, Soprano; Gwen Wilkie, Alto; Fernando Mancillas, Tenor; and Frank Mitchell, Bass Kathy Gunsallus, Piano

> Look at the world, ev'erthing all around you us: Look at the world, and marvel every day. Look at the world: so many joys and wonders, So many miracles along the way.

Refrain: Praise to Thee, O Lord, for all creation, Give us thankful hearts, that we may see: All the gifts we share and every blessing,

All things come from Thee.

Look at the earth, bringing forth fruit and flower; Look at the sky, the sunshine and the rain; Look at the hills, look at the trees and mountains, Valley and flowing river, field and plain. **REFRAIN** 

Think of the spring, think of the warmth of summer Bringing the harvest before the winter's cold. Ev'rything grows, ev'rything has a season, Till it is gathered to the Father's fold. **REFRAIN** 

Er'ry good gift, all that we need and cherish Comes from the Lord in token of His love; We are His hands, stewards of all His bounty; His is the earth, and His the heavens above.

**Sermon** Stuart Spencer

## "Laughing Giving"

Scripture: Text: 2 Corinthians 9: 6-15 (NLT)

Sermon Series: "Giving Lessons"

## **Music in Preparation for Service**

## From My Heart's Deep Foundation

Vikram Joshi, Organ

J. C. Bach

Rutter

### Special Music (presented by video)

<u>All For You</u> Ensemble

Martin Bass, Christine Bass, Dennis Palma, Rebecca Neindorff, Lauren Clark, Michelle Davis

#### 9:30 a.m. Worship Ministry (Blended Worship, Sanctuary)

Music: Layla Joshi, Vikram Joshi, Kathy Gunsallus, Martin and Christine Bass

**Soloist:** Fernando Mancillas

**Ensemble:** Janet Wilkie, Grace Rykaczewski, Gwen Wilkie, Fernando Mancillas,

Frank Mitchell

**Stewardship Speakers:** Ann and Tom McBride

**Audio Technicians:** Taylor Adair, Harris E. Ransom

**Live Video Streaming:** Harris A. Ransom, Merritt Wikle, Steve Drzaszcz

Flower Arrangers: Debbie Heller and Carol Benner

- **Today's sanctuary flowers** are given to the Glory of God from Peg Madorno, in loving memory of her parents Fred and Roberta Crane and dear granddaughter, Kelsey Lorence.
- 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, Oct. 18, Rev. Dr. Shane Berg preaches "A Great Work" from Nehemiah 6:1-3, as we conclude our stewardship series "Giving Lessons" with **Consecration Sunday**. As an act of worship, together via live stream, we will complete our 2021 Estimate of Giving cards and return them to the church via Drive-Up Dedication (10:45-noon), mail, or online submission.

#### Download the "Church Center App" To Your Phone; Check-In for Worship



Beginning October 11, members will now be able to **check-in** quickly and easily from their smart phone. (1) Download the "Church Center App" to your phone from either the App Store (iPhone) or Google Play (Android). (2) Follow prompts to enter the church's name or zip code (08057). (3) Select "Check In" when you arrive and look for the check-in icon (QR code). Tap the icon when attending an on-campus service or gathering to let us know you are in attendance with an automated scan. Watch the video here. NOTE: Labels will NOT be printed.

#### **Consecration Sunday is October 18**

Please make plans to virtually attend the 9:30 a.m. live stream worship on **Sunday, October 18** as *together*, as an act of worship, members will complete their 2021 Estimate of Giving cards. In early October, cards will be mailed to all members so that households may prayerfully (and safely) indicate their gifts. Dedicate your gifts in person with a contact-free Drive-Up Dedication Parade, where members of the Stewardship team will receive your sealed envelope through your car window as the pastors bless all in the vehicle and this gift to the church and the Lord's Work. You may also mail your estimates or <u>submit them online</u>.