



**Sunday, June 12, 2022 ~ Trinity Sunday; Legacy Giving Sunday**

9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship (Sanctuary) -- Have you **checked in** for worship?

\*please stand as you are able

#### Way of the Week #4

**4. ALWAYS ENCOURAGE AND CELEBRATE.** Show gratitude and appreciation by regularly acknowledging the good works you see everywhere. Look for signs of spiritual growth and maturity among our members and staff. When you see it, point it out and rejoice. Pass on good reports that you hear about others.

**Ideas for Action:** Write a text or a note to someone close to you who just did something wonderful or important. With many details, tell them why you're grateful or delighted by them.

[See our new Way 4 Video from Mindy Holman.](#)

#### Welcome and Work of God's People

Rev. Wes Allen

#### Music in Preparation for Worship

Rebecca Neindorff, Piano

***His Eye is on the Sparrow***

Arr. Labenski

#### \*Call to Worship (adapted from Psalm 63)

Elder Nancy Chumney

O God, you are my God; earnestly I seek you;  
my soul thirsts for you;  
my flesh faints for you,  
as in a dry and weary land where there is no water.

**So I have looked upon you in the sanctuary, beholding your power and glory.**

Because your steadfast love is better than life, my lips will praise you.

**So I will bless you as long as I live; in your name I will lift up my hands.**

Let us worship God!

## \*Prayer of Adoration

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Elder Chumney

## Hymn (verses 1, 4)

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Kathy Gunsallus, Organ

### **Praise to the Lord, the Almighty**

Gwen Wilkie, Alto

\*\*\*Seating interlude

## Call to Confession (offered in unison)

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Stuart Spencer

**Holy God, Creator of all that is, Donor of Grace, and Giver of Life: hear our prayer. There are chasms in our lives, deep valleys that separate us from one another and from You. We confess that we have allowed those rifts to grow, For fear of admitting our part in the separation; for fear of being rejected when we reach out. You call us to a reconciled life, to healed relationships, to a wholeness with each other and with You. Mend us, we pray, and make us new creations through the power and love of Christ, in Whose name we pray. Amen.**

*Silent prayer for personal confession*

## Assurance of Forgiveness

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Give praise to the God Who is able to keep you from falling into sin. He will bring you into His heavenly glory without any fault. He will bring you there with great joy.

**Give praise to the only God, our Savior. Glory, majesty, power and authority belong to Him. Give praise to Him through Jesus Christ, our Lord. His praise was before all time, continues now, and will last forever. Amen.**

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

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Rev. Allen

## Moment for Stewardship, Legacy Giving

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Jeff Legath

*Legacy Giving (Wills Emphasis Sunday) is a PC(USA) initiative to consider how you can share the blessings God has given to you beyond your lifetime. On this Sunday, we honor those who have created a legacy here at First Presbyterian Church through bequests, both large and small. These important donations benefit our programs and services, ministries, beautiful grounds and property, and our impact in the world, and make an enduring statement of faith for God's work here on earth. **SEE INSERT***

## Offertory

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*THANK YOU for your faithful giving and for remembering the church with your summer giving. Your offerings dramatically impact our year-round ministry, and allow us to support church operations and our work in the world. Take advantage of a simple, secure [automatic withdrawal](#) or donate from your phone via the Church Center app. Send offerings by mail to **P.O. Box 868**, Moorestown, NJ 08057.*

## Offertory Music

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### **Balm in Gilead**

Gwen Wilkie, Alto

Kathy Gunsallus, Piano

African-American Spiritual  
Burleigh

REFRAIN

There is a Balm in Gilead, to make the wounded whole  
There is a Balm in Gilead, to heal the sin-sick soul.

Sometimes I feel discouraged, and think my work's in vain,  
But then the Holy Spirit, revives my soul again (Refrain)

If you can preach like Peter, if you can pray like Paul, go home and tell your neighbor,  
"He died to save us all." (Refrain)

**Sermon**

Rev. Stuart Spencer

***“Wearing Your Big Boy Pants”***

Scripture Text: [Ephesians 4: 1-16](#) (page 193 Pew Bible NT, NRSV)  
Sermon Series: *The Master’s Plan*

**Hymn (verse 1)**

Kathy Gunsallus, Piano

***O Jesus, I Have Promised***

Gwen Wilkie, Alto

**Music in Preparation for Service**

Nancy Bender, Piano

***Reflection***

Mark Hayes

**Benediction and Going Forth**

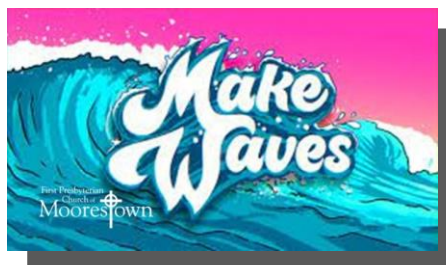
Stuart Spencer

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**9:30 a.m. Worship Ministry**

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| <b>Beadle:</b>                 | Elder Nancy Chumney                          |
| <b>Audio Technician:</b>       | Harris E. Ransom                             |
| <b>Live Stream Technician:</b> | Jonathan Nawrocki                            |
| <b>Flower Arrangers:</b>       | Debbie Heller, Fran Green and Carol Benner   |
| <b>Ushers:</b>                 | Dave Rebuck, Brett Couvillion, James Clinton |
| <b>Trustee Greeter:</b>        | Rich Corbin                                  |
| <b>Check-In Volunteer:</b>     | Deacon Andrew Ehala                          |
| <b>Nursery Caregiver:</b>      | Amy Coombe                                   |
| <b>Hospitality:</b>            | Chelsea Margerum, <b>volunteers needed</b>   |

Worship flowers are given to the glory of God.



## Work of God's People (see *Connections*, eblast and website for details)

- Today is Legacy Giving Sunday. Including a gift to the church in your will or estate can make a lasting difference for our church family and faith community. It's a simple process and we can help. [Watch the video for how these pivotal gifts form our church's legacy.](#) "Live Forward. Give Forward."
- **VBS registration is OPEN!** Children entering Kindergarten through entering 6th grade are invited to "Make Waves" at VBS **June 27- July 1 (9:00 am-Noon)**. [Sign up online](#). See *Connections* for details. We are still looking for a few adult helpers for this super fun week! Sign up online. **Registration Deadline: June 15**
- **Adults: We still need some helpers for VBS!** Can you help out some days during the week? See *Connections* page 4. Contact Holly or Angie in the church office at 856.235.1688 – they'll sign you up! Also looking for beach-y props (see *Connections*) and the event page. It's going to be a fantastic experience.
- **Summer Worship:** 9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship and 10:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship. New this year will be an OUTDOOR Contemporary worship service on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday – June 26 and August 28. We'll gather for our 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Outdoor Worship on Sunday, July 31 (9:30 a.m.)



### A "BERRY" BIG THANK YOU to everyone who helped with the Strawberry Festival! 😊

- **NEW:** Stay up to date with FPC Moorestown's sermon series by subscribing to our weekly sermon podcast now available on Apple Podcasts, Amazon Music, Google Podcasts, Spotify and Anchor. Full services continue to be available with video on YouTube and Facebook or by visiting [www.fpcmoorestown.org](http://www.fpcmoorestown.org).
- **"Wednesday Evening Prayer on the Porch"** -- Join the Prayer Committee for fellowship and prayer in the cool of the evening on five Wednesdays during the summer. Starts **June 22** at 7:00 p.m., see event page and website. For information contact Pam Engle at [pam@pamengle.com](mailto:pam@pamengle.com).
- **Help us help others** -- See our event page and *Connections* for missions collections continuing through June: rice, boxed milk, and proteins; cleaning supplies; paper products; school supplies, sports equipment; adult and children's books. Drop off outside Missionwares store.
- **PW Spring Gathering** -- Women of the church are invited to the PW Spring Gathering on Monday, June 20, 2022 in Miller Commons (6:30 pm). Special guest will be Barbara J. Katz from Providence House, one of the oldest domestic violence service providers in New Jersey. For decades, Providence House has offered comprehensive services free of charge in Burlington County and Ocean County for victims of domestic abuse and their children including outreach offices and emergency safehouses.
- **Coffee Hour Assistance Needed** – Volunteers are needed early Sunday mornings to pick up bagels in Maple Shade and deliver to the church. Would you be willing to do this once every 6-8 weeks? Bagels will be charged to FPC's account so you won't need to pay for them. Contact [Lissa Herman](#) (856-745-7357) or [Sue Piper](#) (856-722-0581) to volunteer. Helpers are also needed to assist Chelsea Margerum staff the coffee hour on Sunday mornings. *Please contact Lissa or Sue.*
- As we begin our 8<sup>th</sup> round of the Ways, we've launched an updated series of **Ways videos**. Find the 25 new videos on our website at [www.fpcmoorestown.org](http://www.fpcmoorestown.org).
- The church campus will be CLOSED Monday, July 4 for Independence Day.