



**Sunday, July 28, 2024** ~ Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship (*Miller Commons*)

### Welcome

Rev. Wes Allen

### Way of the Week

Rev. Allen

**15. WELCOME CHANGE.** Be curious about new ideas, perspectives, and approaches. Get excited by the possibilities that change can bring. What worked in the past won't always work in the future, for God is doing new things.

**Ideas for Action:** This is a simple one to try. Sit in a different pew in the Sanctuary or seat in the Commons next Sunday. See what happens.

### Songs of Praise

Worship Team

***This is Amazing Grace***  
***This I Believe***

### Wow Moments

Rev. Allen

### \*Call to Worship

Rev. Allen

The Lord Jesus, Who calls us to worship Him today, is the same Jesus Who refused the temptation to worship the evil one. Rather than receive the glorious kingdoms of this world, He endured the shame of the cross; and today is Lord of lords and King of kings. Now are gathered, in Him, all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge, glory, and power. With the saints of all ages, we say:

**“Worthy is the Lamb, Who was slain,  
to receive power and wealth and wisdom  
and strength and honor and glory and praise!”**

### \*Song of Praise

Worship Team

***Same God***

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## Prayer of Adoration

Rev. Allen

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## Prayer of Confession *(unison)*

Rev. Stuart Spencer

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Lord Jesus Christ, You gave up everything to come down from heaven in order to love and serve us. Unlike You, we find self-sacrifice hard. Most of us look for ways to puff ourselves up, so that we look better in other people's eyes. We fool ourselves into thinking that we can make ourselves look good in Your eyes, too. Send us Your Spirit that we would be more humble. We long to be like You, our loving Shepherd, and we thank You for hearing our prayers as we continue to confess in silence...

*Silence for personal confession & reflection*

In Jesus' name, Amen.

## Assurance of Forgiveness *(responsive)*

Rev. Spencer

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Let us receive Christ's pardon for all of our sins and receive God's peace that we can never generate on our own.

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Amen.

## \*Greeting

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## Sharing with Our Young Disciples

Rev. Allen

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## Praying for One Another

Rev. Spencer

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*Make groups of 3 or 4 people, no more. One person shares briefly, one or two sentences, how the group can pray for them. The person to the right of the one who first shares goes next, continuing around the circle. (You don't have to share.) After everyone has shared, pray aloud or silently for the person to your right.*

## Offering Ourselves to God

Rev. Spencer

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## Song of Praise

Worship Team

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***Run to the Father***

Matt Maher

## Sermon

Rev. Allen

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***Rooted in Christ***

Scripture Text: [Colossians 2:6-19](#)

Sermon Series: *Jesus @ the Center*

## Closing Song

Worship Team

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***Revelation Song***

**11:00 a.m. Worship Ministry**

<b>Worship Team:</b>	Matt Russell-Guitar; Ryan Peiffer-Piano; Vivian Allen-Vocals
<b>Audio Technician:</b>	Taylor Adair
<b>Live stream Technician:</b>	Dalton Ryan
<b>Visuals:</b>	Jennifer Allen
<b>Flower Arrangers:</b>	Gretchen Birdsall and Sally Bishop
<b>Usher:</b>	Dave Barr or JoAnn Reynik
<b>Trustee Greeter:</b>	John Miller
<b>Welcome Desk:</b>	Bobbi Voglesong and Jess Zorn
<b>Hostess:</b>	Carol Wiggans
<b>Nursery Caregiver:</b>	Chelsea Margerum

**Today's worship flowers** are given to the glory of God.

**Nursery care** is provided for children ages 0-5 years old in Room 12.

**Check-ins:** Check-in is self-check in only on your smart phone. A volunteer is available to assist.



**Drop In and Discuss:** Join us each Sunday morning this summer to discuss the day's sermon text. We will gather in the **Lounge** from **10:15-11:15 a.m.** Get your coffee and drop in for ten minutes or for forty. No need to sign up.

**Whitewater Rafting! Sat., Aug. 17:** Sign up online to join us for this exciting outing together on the Lehigh River in Pennsylvania. Cost is \$80/pp. Minimum age to participate is 8 years old. The **deadline to Register is Monday, July 29.**



**College Bible Study:** Through August 20, college-age people are invited to a weekly Bible Study **Tuesdays** from **8-9 p.m. in the Lounge**, led by Youth Director Dave Fauvell. Call/text Dave at 609-980-7885 if you're interested.



**Christmas in July:** We are celebrating Christmas in July by stuffing shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child. Our VBS children stuffed **35 boxes** as part of Missions! If you would like to sponsor a box by paying the \$10 shipping, it would be a great blessing. Throughout July, stop by the Commons Lobby and pick up your shoebox to fill. (All instructions are provided.)

Please have your boxes back by the end of July. You can also drop off the items we're collecting, and we'll include them in our boxes in the fall.



**Children's Fresh Air Home:** We will be volunteering in North Wildwood on Wed., **Aug. 7** and Thurs., **the 15<sup>th</sup>.** [Learn more about this hands-on opportunity](#) to make a difference for Camden-area youth to experience a day at the beach.

**FPC MOORESTOWN WEEKLY PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES** (See Prayer page on website for links)

- **Mondays 9-10 AM** – Jim Cole leading - Prayer Chapel. Anyone needing or wanting to pray for others is welcome to join Jim.
- **Tuesdays 9-10 AM** – Jim Cole leading (Zoom)
- **Thursdays 7:00 PM** – Live stream Prayer Service (*praying for our church and discipleship*)
- **Thursdays 7:00 PM** – Prayer on the Porch – Join our Prayer Team for a time of prayer on the Van Camp Porch (*1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays June-Sept.*)
- **Sundays 10:00 AM** – After Traditional Worship, Beadles available to pray with or for you (David Room). Jim Cole also available in the Prayer Chapel in Commons Lobby for prayer.
- Submit confidential **online prayer requests** – visit <https://www.fpcmoorestown.org/prayer>
- **Fall & Spring Prayer Retreats** to unplug and savor time away in meditation.
- **Prayer Vigils** - sponsored by the Prayer Committee for stewardship, National/World Day of Prayer, etc.