

PLEASE LET US KNOW... If you or someone you know is ill or in the hospital, let the church office know so that we can help in their healing process through our prayers, visits, etc. Thank you!

PRAYER CONCERNS: Doug Nemeth (son of Dot & Zollie Nemeth), John Chwastyk, Mary Raroah, John & Catharine Carty, Pati Anne Feeley (daughter-in-law of Jan & Jack Feeley), Nancy Gager (Paul Gager's sister), Emmy Cahilly (11 yr. old niece of Shelly & Greg Kinkaid), Madison Luyber - her parents, Julie and Tony (friends of the Bewleys), Dan LaFon, Donna Lasoski, Walter Colby (brother-in-law of Jan & Jack Feeley), Jon King (Lisa Kulp's brother), Linda Wanagas' friend Bern and her father Thomas Alessio, Heather Oman (niece of The Youse/Mack Family), Richard Thompson (brother of Doris Gager), Joe DeCesare (friend of Joyce Scheyhing), Bill (father-in-law of Sandra Handel's son), Jim & Sherry Heller and family (son of Carol Heller).

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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

9:00 A.M. Contemporary Worship in the Sanctuary

11:00 A.M. Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary

Both services are live streamed on Facebook and YouTube

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FIRST UMC
A UNITED METHODIST COMMUNITY
IN MOORESTOWN, NEW JERSEY

*"A community of faith committed to sharing the love of Jesus Christ
with a hurting world through words and actions."*



July 11, 2021

10:00 A.M.

PRELUDE

Exaltation

Adult Handbell Choir

WELCOME

Pastor Gina

***SONGS OF WORSHIP COME, CHRISTIANS, JOIN TO SING** *(Christian Henry Bateman)*

Come, Christians, join to sing: Alleluia! Amen! Loud praise to Christ our King: Alleluia! Amen! Let all, with heart and voice, before his throne rejoice; praise is his gracious choice. Alleluia! Amen!

Come, lift your hearts on high; Alleluia! Amen! Let praises fill the sky: Alleluia! Amen! He is our guide and friend; to us he'll condescend; his love shall never end: Alleluia! Amen!

Praise yet the Lord again: Alleluia! Amen! Life shall not end the strain: Alleluia! Amen! On heaven's blissful shore his goodness we'll adore, singing for evermore: Alleluia! Amen!
(1964 Abingdon Press)

WHY SO DOWNCAST *(by Frank Berrios, Tom Brooks & Jeff Hamlin)*

Why so downcast, Oh my soul? Put your hope in God,
put your hope in God, put your hope in God. Oh, why so downcast, Oh my soul?
Put your hope in God and bless the Lord, Oh my soul. (repeat)

Bless the Lord, He's the lifter of my countenance, bless the Lord,
He's the lifter of my head; Bless the Lord, He's the lifter of my countenance;
I will never be ashamed. *(1988 Integrity's Hosanna! Music)*

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Pastor Jess

Leader: We gather for worship as the people of God on this beautiful summer day.

People: We come to remember who and whose we are.

Leader: We gather for worship to be renewed and to spark a blazing faith.

People: We come with hearts open to receive God's love and power.

Leader: We gather for worship to catch a vision of what might be, leaving our fears behind.

People: We come ready to change, to fear not and trust that God's doing a new thing!

Leader: We gather for worship in gratitude for all we have been given.

People: With thanksgiving, we lift our voices in joy and praise.

OPENING PRAYER

Pastor Jess

Holy God, we gather as a community to be with You, to listen for Your voice, to watch for Your presence to come in unexpected ways, to experience You in our midst and respond to You in faith and obedience. We acknowledge our need of this time to be set apart, and we are grateful for it. We need to lay aside our busyness. We long to find refuge from our fears. We desire to be refreshed with the gift of Your Spirit. Lord, we need a Sabbath rest. We need You. Come alongside us, Lord. Restore our joy, help us recall Your faithfulness and pour out Your grace upon us. We are Your people. We pray that You would meet us here, on this holy ground, and renew us. In Jesus name we ask. Amen.

*SONGS OF WORSHIP:

HOLY GROUND (By Geron Davis)

We are standing on holy ground. And I know that there are angels all around. Let us praise Jesus now. We are standing in His presence on holy ground. (1983 Meadowgreen Music)

BURN IN ME (by Jerry Holman)

(chorus) Burn in me, burn in me, let the fire of the Holy One burn in me; Burn in me, burn in me, let the fire of the Holy One burn in me.

Your words, like a fire, burning in my soul; Burn out the dross, bring forth the gold. (chorus)

You feel like a fire shut up in my bones; Consume me, Lord, make me Your own. (chorus)
(1994 Jerry Holman/BMI)

CONSUMING FIRE (by Tim Hughes)

There must be more than this. O breath of God, come breathe within. There must be more than this. Spirit of God we wait for You. Fill us anew we pray, Fill us anew we pray

*Chorus: Consuming Fire, Fan into flame a passion for Your name.
Spirit of God, would You fall in this place? Lord Have Your way
Lord have Your way with us.*

Come like a rushing wind, clothe us with power from on high.
Now set the captives free, leave us abandoned to Your praise.
Lord let Your glory fall. Lord let Your glory fall.

*Chorus: Consuming Fire, Fan into flame a passion for Your name.
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TIME OF SHARING WITH PASTORS

YOUNG DISCIPLES' TIME

Pastor Jess

Kids of all ages are invited forward for a fun learning time in person & virtually.

SCRIPTURE READING

PSALM 98

Pastor Jess

PASTORAL PRAYER / LORD'S PRAYER - Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

CELEBRATING OUR GIFTS FOR MISSION AND MINISTRY – We welcome all who worship with us this morning. We ask you to prayerfully consider giving generously to support the ministries of FUMC and the communities we serve for Christ. You can place your offering and the Attendance Card including any special prayer requests you may have in the offering baskets located in the worship space or send them to church@meetwithGod.com.

MUSIC MINISTRY

Great is the Lord

Adult Choir & KRR

SCRIPTURE READING

Exodus 3:1-6

Pastor Gina

MESSAGE

Fear Not! Flammable Faith & Blazing Leadership

Pastor Gina

*CLOSING MUSIC:

CHURCH ON FIRE (Russell Fragar)

Verse: The Holy Spirit is here and His power is real.

Anything can happen and it probably will.

Something very good something good is going on around here.

There's a light that shines to make the dark disappear. A power at work but there's nothing to fear. Something very good, something good is going on around here.

Chorus: This is a church on fire this is the Holy Spirit flame.

We have a burning desire to lift up Jesus' name. Let fire burn in every heart, to light the way, defeat the dark. Let the flame of love burn higher. This is a church, this is a church on fire.

(Repeat from beginning) Repeat chorus

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*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

***THE PEOPLE STAND**