



*Grounded in the grace of God,
we are a vibrant Christian community,
disciples of all ages, gathered for worship and nurture,
scattered to serve and to love.*
MPC Mission Statement adopted by the Session March 31, 2008

WORSHIP for
THIRD SUNDAY
after PENTECOST
JUNE 14, 2026 ~ 10:30 A.M.

GATHERING

WORDS of WELCOME

Rev. Dr. Tom Kort

PRELUDE — *Air* - Samuel Wesley

Yun Kang

CALL to WORSHIP

Tom Smith, Liturgist

One: Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations.

All: Satisfy us in the morning with your steadfast love. Let the favor of the Lord, our God, be upon us.

One: Come, the time is at hand. Let us worship the Lord.

HYMN — *Come, Christians, Join to Sing*

MADRID

*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 our Christ again: Alleluia! Amen!
Life shall not end the strain: Alleluia! Amen!
On heaven's blissful shore his goodness we'll adore,
singing forevermore: Alleluia! Amen!*

PRAYER of CONFESSION

Gracious God, we have come into this sacred place knowing how we have fallen short of your glory. Hear our prayer, as once again we come seeking your tender mercy. Open our eyes, our hearts, and our lives to the goodness of your grace and the touch of your forgiveness, as silently we confess our sin.

SILENT PRAYERS of CONFESSION *Here each worshiper may offer silent prayers of confession.*

PROMISE of FORGIVENESS

One: Friends, believe the good news of the gospel.

All: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Alleluia. Praise the Lord.

RESPONSE to GOD'S GRACE — *Glory to the Father*

GLORIA PATRI

*Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever.
Amen. Amen. Amen.*

LITURGY of the WORD

PRAYER for ILLUMINATION

RESPONSIVE READING — *Psalm 119: 103-105*

One: How sweet are your words to my taste, sweeter than honey to my mouth.

All: **Through your precepts I get understanding;**

One: Therefore I hate every false way.

All: **Your word is a lamp to my feet and light to my path.**

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

TIME for YOUNG DISCIPLES

SCRIPTURE LESSON — *Romans 12:3-8*

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God!**

SERMON

You Are a Gift

Rev. Dr. Kort

HYMN — *Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine!*

ASSURANCE

*Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine! O what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God, born of his Spirit, washed in his blood.
This is my story; this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long:
this is my story; this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long.*

*Perfect submission, perfect delight, visions of rapture now burst on my sight;
angels descending, bring from above echoes of mercy, whispers of love.
This is my story; this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long:
this is my story; this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long.*

*Perfect submission, all is at rest; I in my Savior am happy and blest,
watching and waiting, looking above, filled with his goodness, lost in his love.
This is my story; this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long:
this is my story; this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long.*

AFFIRMATION of FAITH — *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 Ghost, 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.

PRAYERS of the PEOPLE

THE 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

OFFERING

Invitation to Give

Offertory Music — You Raise Me Up - Rolf Løvland

Doxology — *Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow*

Elijah Song, cello

OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

praise him, all creatures here below;

praise him above, ye heavenly host;

praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Amen.

Prayer of Dedication

ORDINATION & INSTALLATION *of* ELDERS & DEACONS

LITANY *of* ORDINATION *and* INSTALLATION

One: There are varieties of gifts, but it is the same Spirit who gives them.

All: There are different ways of serving God, but it is the same Lord who is served.

One: God works through each person in a unique way, but it is God's purpose that is accomplished.

All: To each is given a gift of the Spirit to be used for the common good.

One: Together we are the body of Christ, and individually members of it.

PRESENTATION *of* CANDIDATES

Lisa Zazzu, Clerk of Session

CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS

CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS *for the* CONGREGATION

PRAYER *and* LAYING ON *of* HANDS

SENDING

HYMN — *Lead On, O King Eternal!*

LANCASHIRE

*Lead on, O King eternal! The day of march has come;
henceforth in fields of conquest your tents shall be our home.
Through days of preparation your grace has made us strong,
and now, O King eternal, we lift our battle song.*

*Lead on, O King eternal, till sin's fierce war shall cease,
and holiness shall whisper the sweet amen of peace;
for not with swords' loud clashing, nor roll of stirring drums;
with deeds of love and mercy the heavenly kingdom comes.*

*Lead on, O King eternal: we follow, not with fears,
for gladness breaks like morning where're your face appears;
your cross is lifted o'er us; we journey in its light.
The crown awaits the conquest; lead on, O God of might!*

CHARGE *and* BLESSING

POSTLUDE — *Grand Triumphant Chorus* - Alexander Guilmant

ANNOUNCEMENTS

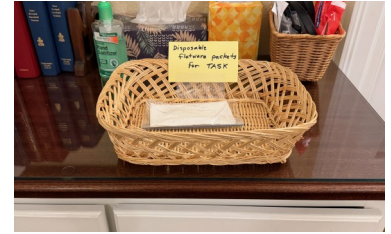
**Please note all announcements for Sunday bulletins are due by noon the Tuesday before they are to be published. Please email announcements to Bulletin@MPCusa.org.*

TODAY'S CHANCEL FLOWERS

The chancel flowers are offered to the glory of God and are given by Jim and Julie Gaston “in memory of two incredible people that were taken from this earth way too early: Freddie Carpineto (1939-1998) and Donna Moyer (1947-2008).” The second arrangement is given by Ruth and Jim Levan in remembrance of what would have been the 83rd wedding anniversary of their parents, Lewis and Peggy Kohn, and in celebration of the June 5th wedding of their son James Lewis to Mary Mahoney.

DISPOSABLE FLATWARE PACKETS FOR TASK

Trenton Area Soup Kitchen (TASK) routinely needs to purchase more than 10,000 packets of plastic flatware to distribute with their food. If you have a supply of unopened packets at home from takeout food purchases, we will gladly take them off your hands. A basket for your donations will be on the cabinet in the narthex as you exit the sanctuary.



FOOD CENTER'S SUMMER REQUEST

Over the next few summer months, the requested food donation is whatever you may wish to donate. Items should be shelf-stable and non-perishable. Donated items should not be in glass containers. A marked shopping bin has been put in the Welcome Center to receive your donations. Thank you for your continued generosity!

CASHIERS NEEDED

MPC supports the commissary at the Morrisville Presbyterian Apartments through donations of money and service. Currently three MPC members volunteer a few hours per month as cashiers on Tuesday or Thursday afternoons. If you are available to help out or simply want more information, please contact Carol Carpenter at carol.w.carpenter@gmail.com or 267-243-1951.

THANK YOU FROM SCOUT TROOP 3

Thank you everyone for another successful Car Wash. Your donations will go along way in supporting our scouts' camping experiences.

Many Thanks,
Bill Burgess, COR, Tr3

MPC Weekly Calendar

SUNDAY, June 14

9:30 a.m.	Session/ New Officer Meeting	Conference Room
10:30	Worship Service	Sanctuary & Livestream
11:30	Fellowship Hour	Lounge
Noon	Adonai Tabernacle	Chapel

MONDAY, June 15

10:00 a.m.	Memorial Service	Sanctuary
6:30	Troop 3 Scouts	Fellowship Hall
7:00	Food Center Food Packing	Room 4
7:30	Trustee Meeting	Conference Room

TUESDAY, June 16

9:00 a.m.	Food Center Produce Prep	Room 4
6:00 p.m.	Outreach Committee	Zoom

WEDNESDAY, June 17

9:00 a.m.	Food Center Distribution	Parking Lot
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THURSDAY, June 18

FRIDAY, June 19

SATURDAY, June 20

SUNDAY, June 21

10:30 a.m.	Worship Service	Sanctuary & Livestream
Noon	Adonai Tabernacle	Chapel

Want to know when a future event is taking place or want to book a room for your committee or group? Check out the MPC calendar at mpcusa.org/calendar to see when events take place and room availability.

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