

**East Camden Pastoral Charge  
Moscow & Riverside United Churches**

**Rev. Phil Wilson – Minister  
Elaine Williams – Riverside Organist  
Charlie Pritchard – Moscow Organist  
Guest Minister – Rev. Ian R. Mackay**

**Sunday, October 21, 2018**

† † Please stand if able



**WE GATHER TOGETHER**

**Musical Prelude**

**Welcome, Announcements, and Calls for Community**

**Statement of our Faith – A New Creed VU 918**

**Lighting the Christ Candle**

**Call to Worship:**

**Opening Prayer: (unison)**

**O God, we believe that you care for humble people who seek to follow your word, who turn aside from the ways of pretension and vainglory. You seek in us a contrite heart and a humble spirit. Come, gracious God, to make us whole. Work within us**

**and among us to renew our minds and build community. Nurse us into the health you intend, for you are our help and our hope. Amen.**

**† † Hymn: #244, “Sing Your Praise To God Eternal”**

**Prayer of Confession: (together)**

**We have not kept faith with you, righteous God. There are many distractions that occupy our time. There are many groups that claim our loyalty. There are many activities that bid for our attention. Even the church involves us in busyness that keeps us from matters of greater importance. In these moments we seek to know you and to be known by you so that our relationship with you and with the people around us might be strengthened. Forgive our sins and set us free to be the people you desire.  
(Moment of silent reflection)**

**Assurance of Grace:**

**WE HEAR GOD’S WORD**

**Prayer of Illumination:**

**Psalm 104 - Part Two (VU p.827)**

**O God, how manifold are your works!**

**I Corinthians: 1: 18 - 31**

**The gospel is not a new philosophy but a message to be accepted and lived.**

**† † Hymn: #219, “When All Your Mercies, O My God”**

**Sermon: “God of the Little People”**

**Ministry of Music**

**Minute for Mission:**

**Invitation to Give:**

‡ ‡ **Hymn of Dedication:** VU #541, “ Praise God from  
Whom All Blessings Flow”

**Dedication of Our Tithes and Offerings:** (unison)  
**We devote ourselves and this offering toward the work of your  
reign among us, Holy God. We rejoice in this opportunity to  
engage ourselves in the life and work of your church. Bless us and  
our offering, we pray. Amen.**

**Prayers of the People**

**WE ARE SENT OUT IN FAITH TO SERVE**

‡ ‡ **Hymn:** #697, “O For a World ”

**Sending Forth:**

You are clothed with honour and wrapped in light.

There is glory in humble tasks done in God’s name.

**We enter into a new week of living, with hope.**

**God is strengthening all of us and is present in every place we go.**

**Benediction:**

‡ ‡ **Choral Response:** “Go Now in Peace”

**Go now in peace, never be afraid.**

**God will go with you each hour of every day.**

**Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true.**

**Know God will guide you in all you do.**

**Go now in love, and show you believe;**

**Reach out to others so all the world can see.**

**God will be there, watching from above.**

**Go now in peace, in faith and in love.**

**Amen, Amen, Amen**

**Organ Postlude:**

**Thank you, Rev. Ian Mackay,  
for guest ministering!**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Minister's email: rev.philwilson@yahoo.com phone: 613.377.6406

Secretary's email: darcie@darciekelly.com phone: 613.777.5237

**Do you have an announcement?** Email Darcie with the subject "Bulletin Announcement", or drop it in her mail box at 451 Huffman Road by **noon Wednesday** to be included in that week's bulletin.

Rev. Phil is available for **pastoral care**. Please call Phil at **613-377-6406** (please leave a message and your call will be returned in a timely manner) or email **rev.philwilson@yahoo.com**. Please call Phil if you know of a person in need. Phil would rather receive three calls about the same person than risk having someone's needs missed.

**Thursday, October 25.** L&A Seniors Outreach Services (SOS) will host a Social Diner at Moscow Friends Meeting House, 12 to 1:30pm. Come enjoy a meal of lemon chicken, roasted potatoes, veg. and cake dessert. Entertainment by Fred Brown and Bill Barkley. Cost is \$12 per person. Reserve your seat by calling 613-354-6668, ext. 0 by Oct. 22. Wheelchair accessible.

### **Riverside BAZAAR**

Saturday, November 3

Gourmet Lunch: 11am – 1:30pm \$10

Bake Table, Artisans, Silent Auction, Books

9AM – 2:30PM

info; 613-378-2241

### **SAVE THE DATE....Riverside Turkey Supper is Saturday, November 24<sup>th</sup>, 2018.**

If you are able to help with food or assist at the dinner, please contact Darlene Evans (613) 929-2014 or Karen Lalonde (613) 377-6424.

**Official Board Meeting:** Tuesday, November 13, 7pm at Riverside. All welcome!