

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

**Rev. Phil Wilson – Minister  
Elaine Williams – Riverside Organist  
Charlie Pritchard – Moscow Organist**

**September 2 – Fifteenth after Pentecost**

**‡ ‡ Please stand if able**



**WE GATHER TOGETHER**

**Musical Prelude**

**Welcome, Announcements, and Calls for Community  
Lighting the Christ Candle**

**Call to Worship:** (Source: Ministry Matters)

Summer wanes and the autumn draws close.

**Lord, help us to be ready for opportunities of service.**

We have felt the refreshment of time-away.

**Lord, give us spirits of joy for the times ahead.**

Come, let us celebrate God's eternal presence and love.

**Let us open our spirits to receive God's direction for our lives.**

**AMEN.**

**Opening Prayer:** (Source: Worship Ways)

‡ ‡ **Hymn:** #595, “We Are Pilgrims”

**Call to Confession:** (Source: Worship Ways)

**Assurance of Grace:** (Source: Worship Ways)

WE HEAR GOD’S WORD

**Prayer of Illumination:**

**Scripture Lessons:**

**Psalms 45 (#769)**

Praise for the anointed hero!

**Deuteronomy 4:1-2,6-9**

Moses instructs Israel about God’s commandments.

**James 1:17-27**

Be quick to listen, slow to speak, slow to anger.

‡ ‡ **Hymn:** #509, “I, the Lord of Sea and Sky”

**Sermon**

**Ministry of Music**

**Minute for Mission:** “Spiritual and Practical Care in the City”

**Invitation to Give:**

‡ ‡ **Hymn of Dedication:** MV #191, “What Can I Do?”

**Dedication of Our Tithes and Offerings:** (Adapted: Ministry Matters)

God of light and beauty,  
every gift is from you.

Even our ability to give  
is a blessing of your love.

**We offer you what we have  
and what we are.**

**Use our gifts  
to give birth to a world of righteousness  
where none are in need  
and where all draw close to your grace.**

**Amen.**

**Prayers of the People:**

WE ARE SENT OUT IN FAITH TO SERVE

† † **Hymn: #213, “Rejoice, the Lord is King”**

**Sending Forth:**

† † **Choral Response: #964, “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*

**Household Prayer: Evening**

**Lord, you have been my light this day.**

**As evening comes, be my light in the darkness.**

**With meekness I welcome the word you have implanted in my heart,  
and with confidence I claim the power of salvation in Jesus Christ.**

**And let me rest from my labours, confident that in you there is no  
shadow of fear. AMEN.**

(From Feasting on the Word – Worship Companion Year B)

**Riverside United Church, 9:30am**  
**A place to worship, learn and serve.**  
**Moscow United Church, 7:00pm**  
**The Church with Heart in the Heart of the Community**  
**Website: mosriv.com**  
**Facebook: Moscow & Riverside United Church**

## **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.

**Jubilate Singers** is a group of men and women who enjoy singing! You are invited to join us as we begin a new season. We will meet on Tuesday, September 11th, at 1 p.m. in the hall of St. Luke's Church, 236 Nelson St., Kingston.

Director, Brenda Carew, leads us in folk, pop, gospel and a variety of genres when we sing at retirement homes or a public concerts.

**All welcome** or for more information call Anne Garrett at 613-548-3580