### **CANDLE OF REMEMBRANCE**

The large white candle reminds us to pray for those in military and alternative services. We also pray for peace.

### **MISSIONARY OF THE MONTH**

Kristen Lalley Serving in Greece through Communitas



### **CHANCEL FLOWERS**

Honor a special occasion or loved one with altar flowers. Sign up on the flower chart in the main hallway.

Cost: \$70

### **SECURE GIVING**

## We have several safe and secure giving options:

- 1. Online at www.fcob.net
- 2. The FCOB App (Giving tab)
- 3. Offering envelopes can be placed in the drop box in the rear of the sanctuary. (Contact the church for offering envelopes.)



9:45AM

Birth – Age 2– Nursery Age 2 – 5th Grade – Christian Ec

### 11:00AM

Birth to Pre K - Nursery
Kindergarten - 5th grade - Children's Church



9.45AM

Christian Education
Middle & High School Students

### 6:00PM

Youth Group

Middle & High School Students

#### **PRAYER LIST**

Prayer Lists of on-going needs are available at Guest Services. To receive this list weekly by email please contact <u>info@fcob.net</u> or call the office at 301.662.1819 for any prayer concerns. If you have a praise to share, please let us know so we can rejoice with you!

### **LOST AND FOUND**

The lost and found is located in the main hallway under the coat rack.



## **SEPTEMBER 28, 2025**

### **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

### 8:30AM - TRADITIONAL

Welcome & Announcements Call to Worship & Prayer Lord's Prayer

Hymn - #2

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Offertory

Offering Prayer & Doxology Hymn - #106

Praise Him! Praise Him!

Message - Pastor Peter C. Myers Sermon Title: Progress Report Scripture: Acts 14:21-28

Hymn - #220

He Lives

Benediction Postlude

### 11:00AM - CONTEMPORARY

Welcome & Announcements Call to Worship & Prayer

Firm Foundation (He Won't) 10,000 Reasons

Prayer

Children's Church Dismissal

Message - Pastor Peter C. Myers Sermon Title: Progress Report Scripture: Acts 14:21-28

My Soul Will Wait

Closing



### FIRST TIME VISITOR?

It's great to have you
with us today!
Please stop by Guest Services,
we have a gift for you!

# SCAN TO DOWNLOAD THE FCOB APP





Scan the QR code to visit FCOB's website to learn more about our vision and mission, request prayer, or contact us with any questions.

## **EVENTS & PROGRAMS**

### Have a question? Need to register for an event?

Email: info@fcob.net, or visit Guest Services, www.fcob.net, The Church App or the church office

### TRUNK-OR-TREAT CANDY DONATIONS

Trunk-or-Treat is just around the corner, and we need your help to make it extra sweet! We're collecting wrapped candy donations—please drop them in the collection bin at Guest Services.

### **TEACHING OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE**

We are looking for individuals who may be interested in teaching one of our legacy Sunday morning Christian Education classes—there is an opening to be filled. We are also seeking someone who would be willing to periodically lead the Thursday Night Young Adult Bible Study. Training and support are available, so you won't be on your own! If you feel called to serve in either of these teaching opportunities, please see Pastor Greg (greg.jones@fcob.net) for more details.

### **LOVE FEAST & COMMUNION - OCTOBER 5**

Join us for our next Love Feast and Communion on Sunday, October 5 at 7:00PM beginning in the Multipurpose Room. This is a special time of worship, reflection, and fellowship as we remember Christ's sacrifice together.

### LISTENING SESSION OPPORTUNITIES

As part of our negotiations with the Mid-Atlantic District (MAD) regarding withdrawal from the Church of the Brethren, we have scheduled two Listening Sessions with MAD representatives present. Both sessions will take place in the Sanctuary. Tuesday, October 7 at 7:00PM & Sunday, October 12 at 1:00PM. We encourage everyone to attend one of these sessions to hear updates and be part of the conversation.

### **BABY/CHILD DEDICATION - OCTOBER 19**

We will be holding a Baby/Child Dedication during the Contemporary Service on Sunday, October 19. If you would like to have your child dedicated, please contact Anita at anita.staley@fcob.net by Sunday, October 12.

### TRUNK-OR-TREAT & PUMPKIN DECORATING - OCTOBER 25

Join us and invite your friends on Saturday, October 25 for an evening of family fun! Pumpkin Decorating & Snacks from 5:30-6:30PM. Trunk or Treat from 6:30-8:30PM. Pumpkins, decorating supplies, and snacks will be provided! Then enjoy collecting candy from our festive trunks! Want to decorate a trunk and be part of the fun? Sign up today at www.fcob.net.

### **COAT DRIVE - SORTING & DISTRIBUTION**

Thank you for your generosity in supporting our coat drive! We now need helping hands for sorting and distribution. **Sorting:** Sunday, October 26 after the 11:00AM service in the MPR. **Distribution:** Thursday, October 30 - Load materials at 3:00PM at the church, set-up at 4:00PM at Carver Park, distribution to follow. If you are interested in helping with any part of this process, please contact Pastor Greg at greg.jones@fcob.net.

### **SEARCH FOR THE CHRIST CHILD - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

Plans are underway for this year's Search for the Christ Child on December 19 & 20, and we need your help to make this powerful outreach possible! This is an all hands on deck event, and there's a place for everyone to serve—whether as an actor, greeter, hospitality team member, set-up/tear down helper, and much more! Sign up by emailing sftcc.fcob@gmail.com and let the SFTCC Leadership Team know where you'd like to serve. Practices will be from 6:00-8:00PM on November 23, December 7, and December 14, with a dress rehearsal on December 18 from 5:00-9:00PM.



NEW OR GENTLY USED
COATS | HATS | GLOVES | NEW SOCKS

STAY TUNED FOR DISTRIBUTION INFORMATION





In our negotiations with the Mid-Atlantic District (MAD) regarding withdrawal from the Church of the Brethren, we have agreed to two listening sessions that will involve the presence of MAD personnel. Both Listening Sessions will take place in the Sanctuary.

- Tuesday, October 7, 2025, 7:00PM
- Sunday, October 12, 2025, 1:00PM





THE GOOD NEWS TO LIFE!

### **RECURRING MONTHLY EVENTS**

To help our teams prepare, please register online or at Guest Services at least one week before the event!

- Women's Prayer Breakfast -Saturday, October 11 at 9:00AM in the MPR
- Saint's Alive Luncheon (55+) -Thursday, October 16 at 11:30AM in the MPR
- Men's Prayer Breakfast -Saturday, October 18 at 8:00AM in the MPR