

Rev. Dr. Frank N. Moore Bio

The Reverend Dr. Frank N. Moore is the Senior Pastor of Camphor Memorial United Methodist Church. Since his appointment by Bishop Peggy Johnson, Eastern Pennsylvania Conference, in July 2003, the church body has increased and grown in mission as a spiritually alive church meeting the needs of the congregation and the surrounding community. Prior to coming to Camphor, he served the University Spiritually Alive United Methodist Church in Indianapolis, Indiana (Indiana Conference) from 1999 to 2013.

Rev. Dr. Moore received a Bachelor of Arts degree from Cheyney State University in Pennsylvania in 1975 and the Masters of Divinity degree, cum laude, in May 1978, from the Interdenominational Theological Center, Atlanta, Georgia. In May 1990, Rev. Dr. Moore was conferred the Doctor of Ministry degree from the United Theological Seminary in Dayton, Ohio. His dissertation was, "Health and Wellness in the African American Churches in the Twentieth Century, An Ongoing Program."

Rev. Dr. Moore has been delivering the preached Word for over 39 years and remains focused on ministry which edifies the body, mind and spirit. His previous appointments were Gaines UMC, Cincinnati, Ohio (West Ohio Conference) from 1988 to 1999; Wiley UMC, Springfield, Ohio (West Ohio Conference) from 1981 to 1988; Wesley UMC, Jeffersonville, Indiana (Indiana Conference) from 1978 to 1981; and his first appointment at Hosanna, Bethel and Wardell UMC (a 3 point charge) in Griffin, Georgia from 1976 to 1978.

In addition to his local pastoral responsibilities, Rev. Dr. Moore has also served at the conference level in various capacities. He has served as Chairperson of the Commission of Religion and Race (South Indiana Conference), Chairperson for the Ethnic Minority Local Church (West Ohio Conference) and Chairperson of Strengthening Local Churches through Biblical Education (Indiana Conference).

Rev. Dr. Moore has a special heart for young people and enjoys encouraging them to higher standards and expectation. He is often called upon to share his preaching, writing and teaching skills at various area colleges and university. He has been an Adjunct Professor for over 12 years at the University of Cincinnati from 1996 to 1999, Cincinnati State Technical and Community College from 1993 to 1998 and METHESCO Seminary, Delaware, Ohio, from 1986 to 1987.

Throughout his ministry, Rev. Dr. Moore has served as a preacher, lecturer, theologian in residence and keynote speaker for banquets, graduation ceremonies, seminars, retreats and revivals. He has served as interpreter of Scripture and Bible Study Teacher for church groups, public organizations and private societies. He is a spiritual counselor.

Rev. Dr. Moore is married to Nannette Allen Moore. They have four grown children-Anthony, Ezekiel, Ezra and Frannette. He has served in the United States Marine Corps and is a Vietnam Veteran. His civic and school activities include the N.A.A.C.P. and Board Member of National Junior Tennis League. His hobbies include tennis, basketball, martial arts, fishing and chess. His desire is to give his best yet years, continuing to teach and preach the Good News to all people.