

PRAYER CONCERNS: John Chwastyk, Carol Heller, Cathy Carty, Lori Hayes, Bruce Scheyhing, Kate Kenny, Barbara Harris, Madison Luyber, Mary Raroha, Girard Kalinay, Sue Mitchell, Ruth Rosvold, Esther, Jenny Zollers, Gene Glavin, Joyce Thompson, Jeanne Hoffner's sisters Anne Patterson and Mary Cardi, Peggy Carson, Sandy Handal, Betsy Heinz, Shirley Ridgway, all who mourn-especially Beth Berry for the loss of her mother Lynda Wagster, those recovering from natural disasters, for all living amidst war and violence, those being persecuted for their faith, and for refugees who suffer worldwide.

THE ROSES ON THE ALTAR-are given to the Glory of God and in honor of the baptisms of Anastacia Evelyn Clark, Tyler Xavier Collins, Enrique Richard Magaña.

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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

9:00 A.M. Contemporary Worship

11:00 A.M. Traditional Worship

Services are held in our Sanctuary and livestreamed on Facebook and YouTube

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CONFIRMATION



LOVE GOD ~ REACH PEOPLE ~ SERVE ALL

May 17, 2026 **Confirmation Sunday** 10am

WELCOME

Jeremiah Appleton

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Mentor Kiera Kettelberger

L: We come today carrying light and struggle, fragile as clay jars, yet filled with God's treasure.

P: We are pressed but not crushed, perplexed but not driven to despair.

L: In a world heavy with hurt and uncertainty, God's power shines through our weakness.

P: We are persecuted but not forsaken, struck down but not destroyed.

L: When we feel worn or weary, the life of Jesus is alive within us.

P: His life gives us strength to endure, hope to rise, and courage to keep going.

L: So come - bring your whole selves, your doubts and your faith, your wounds and your resilience.

P: We come to worship the God who sustains us and who renews us.

All: In every trial and every triumph, we worship the God of life, hope and resurrection.

***SONG**

Child of Love

FMC Worship Team

OPENING PRAYER

Mentor Barbara Morgan

God of strength and compassion, we come before You as fragile vessels carrying both the weight of this world and the light of Your love. When we are confused or discouraged, anchor us in Your hope. When we feel knocked down, lift us again with Your grace. Pour Your power into our weakness and let the life of Jesus be seen in our courage, our kindness, and our perseverance. Shape us into people who reflect Your light in a hurting world, so that even in struggle, we may radiate Your love. Amen.

SONGS

FMC Worship Team

Made for More
Lord, I Need You

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** Written by Confirmands Mentor Elite Law

L: We believe in God, Creator of life itself, who accepted us and forgave our sins.

P: God sent His only begotten Son to die for us so that we may have the gift of eternal life.

L: We believe in Jesus Christ, the Holy Son, who out of love became one of us and offered Himself in merciful sacrifice for our salvation.

P: He is with us and in us for all eternity.

L: We believe in the Holy Spirit, who has come to live within us and build faith through us.

P: The Holy Spirit brings us together, creating unity, and moves us into service so that others can see the light in us.

L: We believe in the prevenient grace of God, unending and ultimately reassuring.

P: This grace was not earned but is always freely given.

L: And so we choose to believe in the Triune God.

ALL: To be a shepherd to God's many lambs, by being a servant of God through our time, our talents, and our treasures. Amen.

MORNING PRAYER

Rev. Dr. Gina Hendrickson

MINISTRY IMPACT MOMENT

Pastor Gina

CELEBRATING OUR LIFE TOGETHER

Mentor Jen Dunne

We welcome all who worship with us this morning. Please fill out an attendance card as well as prayer concerns (on the back of the attendance card) at this time.

OFFERING OUR GIFTS AND TITHES

Mentor Steve Feerrar

We ask you to prayerfully consider giving generously to support the ministries of FMC and the communities we serve for Christ. You can place your offering in the offering plate as the ushers pass it to you. There is also an offering basket located in the rear of the sanctuary. Gifts can also be given online and prayers can be emailed to church@fmcmoorestown.com.

OFFERTORY

The Servant Song

FMC Worship Team

SCRIPTURE

2 Corinthians 4:7-12

Mentor Rich McConnell

MESSAGE

Resilience in a Hurting World

Jeremiah

BAPTISM AND CONFIRMATION SERVICE

Pastor Gina & Jeremiah

Carter Daniel Berth, Logan Charles Berth, Benjamin Louis Berwick, Anastacia Evelyn Clark, Tyler Xavier Collins, Enrique Richard Magaña, Alexandre James Romero, Katherine Sophia Romero

*CLOSING SONG

Draw the Circle Wide

FMC Worship Team

*BENEDICTION

Jeremiah

*POSTLUDE