

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, 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 ROSE ON THE ALTAR is given to the Glory of God and in celebration of the Baptism of Evelyn Genevieve Arida today, daughter of Lauren and Joe Arida.



ELECTRONIC GIVING OPTION – If you would like to make an electronic donation to FMC Moorestown, go to www.fmcmoorestown.com/give or scan this QR code to connect to our digital giving page. Please consider giving generously to support the ministries of FMC that impact communities locally and globally!



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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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LOVE GOD ~ REACH PEOPLE ~ SERVE ALL

May 3, 2026	5th Sunday of Lent	9:00 A.M.
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WELCOME Rev. Dr. Gina Hendrickson

***SONG** Gather Us In FMC Worship Team

***CALL TO WORSHIP** Worship Leader

L: Believers, we come to worship as the early church: devoted to the Word, sharing fellowship, breaking bread, and raising prayers with glad and generous hearts.

All: Let us join together in praise and thanksgiving!

OPENING PRAYER Worship Leader

Lord, as we gather, we align ourselves with the early church: devoted to your word, united in fellowship, earnest in prayer, and joyful in praise. Fall on us again, Holy Spirit. make your presence real among us, and use us as ambassadors of your kingdom. In Christ's name we pray. Amen

BAPTISM Pastor Gina and Jeremiah Appleton
Evelyn Genevieve Arida

We will sing verse 1 of Jesus Loves Me #191 UMH as a response.

***SONGS OF WORSHIP** By Our Love FMC Worship Team
You Belong

MORNING PRAYER/THE LORD'S PRAYER Pastor Gina
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

CELEBRATING OUR LIFE TOGETHER Jeremiah
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 Jeremiah
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 plate as the ushers pass it to you. Gifts can also be given online and prayers can be emailed to church@fmcmoorestown.com.

OFFERTORY Let Us Break Bread Together FMC Worship Team

SCRIPTURE Acts 2: 42-47 (NRSVUE) Rev. Dr. Rich Hendrickson

MESSAGE A Community Worth Belonging To Dr. Hendrickson

HOLY COMMUNION & WORDS OF INVITATION Pastor Gina & Jeremiah
Christ our Lord invites to His table all who love Him, who turn away from sin, and seek to live in peace with one another. Therefore, let us silently confess our sins before God and one another. (*Silent Prayer*) Trust & believe that in the name of Jesus you & I are forgiven. **Thanks be to God!**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING & BREAKING THE BREAD

RECEIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

Communion will be celebrated up front at the rails where you may take the cut bread and cup. As the Spirit leads, come forward in prayer to receive the elements. Gluten free options are also available. If you wish to remain seated, raise your hand and an usher will bring you wrapped elements.

SPECIAL MUSIC

PRAYER AFTER RECEIVING Pastor Gina

***CLOSING SONG** Shout To The Lord FMC Worship Team

***BENEDICTION** Dr. Hendrickson

***POSTLUDE**

***THE PEOPLE STAND IN BODY OR SPIRIT**