



WHAT'S HAPPENING

AT FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

LOVE GOD~REACH PEOPLE~SERVE ALL

WEEK OF JAN 5 -JAN 11, 2025

HAPPY NEW YEAR & WELCOME TO FMC! Today we begin the new year with our powerful **Wesleyan Covenant Service** at both **9:00 & 11:00am**- a holy opportunity to renew our commitment to Christ and offer ourselves again to God's purpose. Through prayer, Scripture, and covenant promises, we'll step into 2026 with courage, humility, and hope. No matter who you are or where life finds you, you have a place here—come join us, come belong, and come begin again with God.

COFFEE HOUR- is held between services in Fellowship Hall. Join us!

FAMILIES WITH YOUNG KIDS-The nursery in the Parlor is staffed by childcare volunteers. There are also Busy Bags filled with coloring pages in the back of the church for children who want to sit in the Sanctuary. Questions or to volunteer, contact Sarah Owens at sarahmowens13@gmail.com.

FMC NOW HIRING *Director of Youth Ministries*: 15 hrs/wk, \$19,500/yr to lead 6th–12th grade youth (Sun. nights 5–7:30pm), retreats/mission, and college connections. Help our students Love God, Reach People, Serve All! Contact Jeremiah Appleton at jeremiah@fmcmoorestown.com.

FOOD PANTRY SUNDAY- is this morning. Thank you as always for your continued support of this important local mission. Please place donations under the coats near the Pleasant Valley entrance.

MIRACLES EVERYWHERE CAMPAIGN-As we engage this season of generosity, we celebrate how our faith and giving help make miracles happen. If you have not yet had the opportunity to complete and submit your Commitment card for 2026, you can still mail it to the church or take one from the Welcome table in the Narthex.

YOUTH GROUP-will restart on Sun., Jan. 18.

KIDS’ CHURCH-will restart on Sun., Jan. 11.

YOUNG FOLLOWERS-will restart on Thur, Jan. 15.

EUREKA! BOOK CLUB-next meets on Tues., Jan. 13 at 6pm in the Parlor for dinner (bring your own) and discussion of *The Frozen River* by Ariel Lawhon. This best-selling novel is about the life of an 18th century midwife who defied the legal system when women were not seen or heard. Questions, contact Patti Walz at revwalz@gmail.com.

MONDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY-Everyone is welcome to join us on Zoom on Mons. from 9:30-11am. We are studying the Bible from beginning to end. Questions, contact Peggy Koenitzer at paboblentz@comcast.net.

THURSDAY MORNING WOMEN’S GROUP-Has begun a study of *Incarnation* by Adam Hamilton on Thurs. from 8:30-10am in the Parlor. In this six-week study, we will in turn incarnate the love of God that came to us through Jesus Christ. We meet for study, prayer, and support. Questions, contact Carol Talbot at 856 577 3051. Please join us!

FRIDAY MORNING MEN’S GROUP-is a spiritual development and mutual support group for men of any age that meets weekly on Fri. at 7am in the Parlor. We typically select books by Christian authors as a springboard for discussion of how we can live out our faith. New members are welcome and encouraged to join! Questions, contact Tom Kulp at 609 707 4708.



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COPIES OF THE SERMON-can be found on the Narthex table.