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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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**HOSANNA!**



**LOVE GOD ~ REACH PEOPLE ~ SERVE ALL**

March 29, 2026	<b>Palm Sunday</b>	11am
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**PRELUDE** The Royal Banners Mansfield

**WELCOME** Rev. Dr. Gina Hendrickson

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP** Pastor Gina

Humble and riding on a donkey,  
**we greet you;**  
 Acclaimed by crowds and caroled by children,  
**we cheer you;**  
 moving from the peace of the countryside to the corridors of power,  
**we salute you: Christ our Lord.**  
 You are giving the beast of burden a new dignity;  
**You are giving majesty a new face;**  
 You are giving those who long for redemption; a new song to sing.  
**With them, with heart and voice, we shout:**  
**ALL: Hosanna! Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord!**

**\*HYMN #155** All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

**OPENING PRAYER**

Jeremiah Appleton

L: Today, together with the whole church, we begin this holy week by welcoming our Messiah. So, like the people of long ago, let us welcome Jesus and follow Him to the cross. Let us pray:

**P: Lord, as we remember how Christ the King entered Jerusalem to the sound of joyful shouts, increase our faith and listen to our prayers, so that we may praise you every day, by living always in Him. For He lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

**PALM SUNDAY LITANY**

Jeremiah

The streets were crowded. A parade mood filled the air. Shouts came from deep in the heart.

**ALL: Hosanna! Save us.**

Save us from lukewarm faith. Save us from callous indifference.

**ALL: Hosanna! Save us.**

Save us from paltry hopes, petty dreams and unquenchable greed.

**ALL: Hosanna! Save us.**

Save us from lazy habits and faithless commitments. Save us from soft-mindedness and hard-heartedness.

**ALL: Hosanna! Save us.**

We cry from the depth of our hearts and the very pit of our souls:

**ALL: Hosanna! Save us.**

**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.**

**PRAYER RESPONSE #488**

Jesus, Remember Me

**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**

From Bethany the Master Comes  
FMC Worship Choir

Curry

**\*HYMN #278**

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

**SCRIPTURE**

Rev. Dr. Rich Hendrickson  
Matthew 21:1-11 (NRSVUE)

**MESSAGE****The Unexpected King**

Dr. Hendrickson

**\*HYMN #159**

Lift High the Cross

**\*BENEDICTION**

Dr. Hendrickson

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