PRAYER CONCERNS: Lori Hayes (friend of Joyce Scheyhing), Bruce Scheyhing (Joyce's brother), Katie Kenny, Barbara Harris, Madison Luyber (friends of Joel Bewley and Devika Gill), Carroll Makemson (Margi Morgan's sister), Ray Vatalaro (Beth Davies' brother), Mary Raroha, Girard Kalinay, Susan Behm (Tricia Trout's husband's Aunt), Steve Feerrar, Helen Schwinger (Susan Schlindwein's mother), Sue Mitchell, Ruth Rosvold, Nancy Germond (Denise Gatton's mother), Diane Fauser (Linda Wanagas' neighbor), Francis Jannetti, Joseph Reynolds, Heather Oman (Ed Youse and Nadine Mack's niece), Linda Wanagas, all who are dealing with war and terrorism, and refugees who are suffering around the world.



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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

9:00 A.M. Contemporary Worship 11:00 A.M. Traditional Worship



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LOVE GOD ~ REACH PEOPLE ~ SERVE ALL

October 27, 2024 Laity Sunday 11am

Love Lifted Me **PRELUDE** Pethe

WELCOME Jeremiah Appleton

*HYMN W&S 3122 Christ Has Broken Down the Wall

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Beth Stewart

We pray for a sense of stability,

For ourselves and for others.

We pray for safety on the journey,

For ourselves and for others.

We pray for the spiritual capacity for respect,

For ourselves and for others.

We pray for transformation of suffering to joy,

For ourselves and for others.

ALL: Let us worship our God with hope and joy as we come together as One Body!

*OPENING PRAYER

Beth Stewart

God of All of Us, we ask you to hover close, for we are a divided world, and we are not sure how to regard one another in this moment. Bind us as your beloved ones, and invite us to "do unto others" in ways that build up your kin-dom on earth as it is in heaven. We pray this in the name of Jesus, the Center that Holds, and in the power of the Spirit that Transforms. Amen.

A LITANY OF PEACE ACROSS THE DIVIDE Readers & Congregation

PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

Beth Stewart

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 #171 There's Something About that Name

MINISTRY MOMENT Ignite Youth Retreat Matt Stewart
Video

CELEBRATING OUR LIFE TOGETHER

Beth Stewart

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

Beth Stewart

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. Gifts can also be given online and prayers can be emailed to church@fmcmoorestown.com.

OFFERTORY City on the Hill

FMC Worship Choir

*Hymn # 402 Lord I Want to be a Christian

SCRIPTURE 1 Corinthians 12: 1-26 NRSVUE Jeremiah Appleton

MESSAGE All are Welcome (Respect) Jeremiah Appleton

*HYMN # 170 O How I Love Jesus

*BENEDICTION Jeremiah Appleton

*POSTLUDE

*THE PEOPLE STAND IN BODY OR SPIRIT