

First Baptist Church Moorestown
Worship Service
January 25, 2026

THOUGHTS FOR MEDITATION:

"He who knows that enough is enough will always have enough" Lao Tzu	"If you're lost, you can look and you will find me Time after time If you fall, I will catch you, I'll be waiting Time after time
"Never be afraid to trust and unknown future to a known God" - Corrie Ten Boom	If you're lost, you can look and you will find me Time after time If you fall, I will catch you, (I'll be waiting) I will be waiting Time after time" – Cyndi Lauper

GATHERING MUSIC

FBC Worship Band

WORDS of GREETING and GRACE:

Rev. Linda Pepe

HYMN of PRAISE

I Will Sing

Congregation

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Stacey Lynn Williams

HAPPENINGS & OFFERINGS

Adam Buck

PRAYERS of the COMMUNITY

Rev. Denise Carrell

SCRIPTURE

Exodus 15 & 16 FBC Style

Congregation

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

A Canon of Thanks
by Hal Hopson

FBC Choir

SERMON

Manna on Main Street

Rev. Linda Pepe

CLOSING HYMN

Great Is Thy Faithfulness #86

Congregation

BENEDICTION

Rev. Linda Pepe

POSTLUDE

FBC Worship Band

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Sunday January 25, 2025

TODAY	10:00 am	Morning Worship Service (Sanctuary/Balcony & Facebook Live)
	11:15 am	Coffee Hour (1st Floor Lounge)
TUESDAY	11:30 to 1:30 pm	Food Pantry Hours - Day
	5:30 to 7:00 pm	Food Pantry Hours - Evening (Rooms 7, 8, 9 & 10, FH, Lower Level)
THURSDAY	11:30 to 1:30 pm	Food Pantry Hours - Day (Rooms 7, 8, 9 & 10, FH, Lower Level)



WELCOME

We extend a warm welcome to all who have joined us for worship today. Please visit with us during coffee and refreshments which will be served in Fellowship Hall (basement level) following worship.

THANK YOU



This week's Greeters are Jessica McSwain & Michael Ostrow
Next week's Greeters are Myrna Rodrigues & Trish Walker



Today's Coffee Hour Host is Elizabeth Endres
Next week's Host is The Pegues Family

Consider volunteering to provide refreshments for Sunday Coffee Hour.

Please sign up on the volunteer board in Fellowship Hall.

STARTING THIS SUNDAY COFFEE HOUR WILL BE IN THE LOUNGE DURING KITCH RENOVATIONS

PRAYER CONCERNS*

Please pray for:

Susan Roseboro - health

Van Perry - health concerns; Lauren Gibeau - healing

Courtney Robertson's mother Joan Nolan - health concerns

Lauren Jones' Aunt Joan and Uncle Chris - serious health concerns

Ray Perry's sister Marilyn & Joanie Perry's sister Susan - health concerns

Gloria Thornton-Peek 'Coach' for healing, Marilyn Raudenbush healing

Leila Morgan - healing prayers, Lorene Moore and Ruth Reigens - health concerns

**If you have prayer requests or you would like to be removed from this list,*

please contact the church office at: fbcmoorestown@gmail.com



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GIVING TO FBC MOORESTOWN

Please help support the ministries of First Baptist Church. There are several ways you can give:

There are donation collection boxes at the top of the stairs on both sides of the sanctuary as you exit.

Donation envelopes are available for your use in the pews.

We do not pass a collection plate during the worship service. Checks may be mailed to the Church Office.

You can securely donate to the church online. You can click on the "Give to FBC" button at the top of the FBC website homepage (www.fbcmoorestown.org); or you can use your smartphone camera to scan this QR Code or web address:



<https://firstbaptistchurchmoore.churchtrac.com/give>



Should you have any life concerns, prayer needs, or just need to talk to someone, please contact the church office at eMail: fbcmoorestown@gmail.com or phone; 856-235-1180. Your message will be forwarded to the Care Team and one of them will get back to you as soon as possible. - Care Team

FBC January Birthdays

Steve Lynch	Jourdin Dewberry	Danielle Wagner
Dana Thiede	Alison Simpson	Ron Weathersby
Jackson Barbaro Marghella	Jonathan Khanlian	Del Smith
Joan Scharff Gillespie	Rob Alford	Marianne Barbaro
Dean Eson	Beverly Allegretti	Bee Carrell
David Simpson	Jacqueline Davis	Geoffrey McClain
Juliet Morgan		

Wishing all a Happy Birthday Month.

We are now celebrating birthdays by month instead of specific dates to assist in protecting personal information. If we do not have your birthday, or you would like to add a family member's birthday, or have yours removed please contact the church office at: +1 856-235-1180 or at fbcmoorestown@gmail.com.

CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Linda A. Pepe, Senior Pastor
Rev. Denise Carrell, Associate Pastor
Rev. Jennifer Bradley, Associate Pastor (On Leave)
Tammy Werron, Pastor of Visitation
Howard Raudenbush, Minister of Music
Stacey Williams, Children's Ministry
Adam Buck, Leadership Team Co-chair
Tom Tamburello, Leadership Team Co-chair
Dean Eson, Church Clerk & Office Administrator

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Prayer Shawl Ministry



The Prayer Shawl Ministry has been active for many years, making and giving Prayer Shawls as gifts to people who are baptized, bereaved or seriously ill. Unfortunately our supply of shawls has dwindled. If you knit or crochet this is your perfect opportunity to join a Ministry Circle that doesn't have meetings, is stress free, can be done in the comfort of your home and is a way that even our Beyond Congregation can be involved in ministry.

You don't have to be skilled; We have easy patterns for you to follow, and we have yarn that you can use. If you are interested, please talk to Lois Dinsmore
johnandlois.dinsmore1@gmail.com



Please remember the Food Pantry this week.

Non-perishable food items may be brought to church on Sundays. They may be placed in the Food Pantry Cart in the foyer, left in the yellow & black bin next to the breezeway ramp door, or beside the pantry room door on the lower level any day of the week.

Financial donations are always welcome. A check or cash can be put into a giving envelope and then into the offering boxes.

During the week of January 5th we fed 280 people, including 76 children and 80 seniors.



Consider volunteering to provide refreshments for Sunday Coffee Hour.

There are many Sundays available during Jan / Feb / Mar

Please sign up on the volunteer board in Fellowship Hall.

Women's Breakfast

Women's BREAKFAST Saturday February 1st, 2026
9:30am - 11:00am in Fellowship Hall



MEN'S BREAKFAST

Next MENS BREAKFAST
Saturday February 21st, 2026.
9:30am - 11:00am in the Lounge



ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE

FBC is invited to attend
Ash Wednesday Service at 6pm
512 North Church Street
Moorestown, NJ 08057

Wednesday February 18, 2026



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PRAYER



Prayer and Praise Gathering

Starting February 21, 2025

Time 6:30pm to 7:30pm

To be held in Rm 6

For more information see

Bev Allegretti – 609-647-4761



**First Baptist Church
Moorestown**

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Stephen Eson, Treasurer

January 21, 2025

Your First Baptist Church 2025 Annual Giving Statement was emailed to you on or before January 20th. Please note the following:

- If we do not have a valid email address on file for you, please call the Church Office to get your contact information updated.
- We can mail you a paper statement upon request, please call the Church Office or email: fbcmoorestown@gmail.com
- For multiple donors within the same household, a Giving Statement will be emailed to each of you. In some cases, donations may have been attributed to the wrong spouse/ family member. Please examine all statements received within a given household. If you would like any donations attributed to a different member of your household, or if there are any errors or omissions, contact our Treasurer Steve Eson (treasurer@fbcmoorestown.org)

Thank You for your faithful giving in 2025!

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January 21, 2026

Dear First Baptist Church of Moorestown Family,

It is with overflowing joy and gratitude that the leadership team announces the early return of Pastor Jennifer Bradley from her leave of absence. While we originally anticipated her return in the fall, we are thrilled to share that she will be rejoining us on **February 15th, 2026**. Pastor Jen will step into her role as our **Associate Pastor of Congregational Life**, focusing on the care and connection of our church family. At the same time, Pastor Denise will continue her vital work serving as our **Associate Pastor of Faith Formation**, ensuring our spiritual growth remains a central pillar of our community.

We feel extremely blessed to be led by such a gifted team, anchored by our Senior Pastor, Linda. As our congregation continues to flourish and grow, having three dedicated pastoral staff members is not only a blessing but essential to meeting the diverse needs of our church family. We look forward to this new chapter of ministry together and invite you to join us in welcoming Pastor Jen back with open arms and hearts.

To celebrate this transition, we invite you to a **Congregational "Chat and Chew" on March 8th**, immediately following the Sunday service. This will be a wonderful opportunity for everyone to better understand these specific pastoral roles and to ask any questions you may have. Having three pastors on staff is a historic first for First Baptist Church—at least in recent memory—and we want to ensure we move forward together in clarity and excitement. We truly are blessed that, for "such a time as this," we are ministered to by these three **dynamic, compassionate, spirit led, and visionary** leaders.

In Faith,

The Leadership Team First Baptist Church of Moorestown

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The **C.A.R.E.** Team is looking for your **suggestions** on how we can better serve our community.



PLEASE VISIT OUR SUGGESTION BOX, LOCATED ON THE CREDENZA, IN THE FOYER ON THE FIRST FLOOR THERE YOU WILL FIND POST IT NOTES WHERE YOU CAN SHARE YOUR IDEAS.

Currently we c.a.r.e. for the FBCM Community both inside and outside our doors by:

- C**onnect: Reaching out to you, helping you connect with our church, our ministries and our people.
- A**ffirm: Praying for and with you; wherever you are on your journey.
- R**espond: Addressing your transportation needs, errand and assistance needs, and meal support.
- E**ngage: Providing resource assistance and visitation.

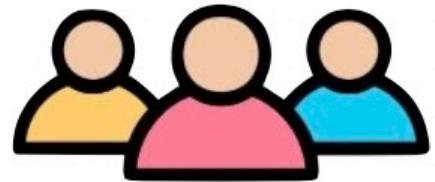
Thank you for considering this request!

Social Witness in Action

(formerly Missions Team; aka Justice Seekers)

Sunday February 1st after church in Fellowship Hall

Topic: Space Clearing: How to Protect Yourself from Collective Trauma



We are living through terrifying times. All of the pain we are seeing on the news and social media is traumatic. Join us after church as we share ways to clear the pain and make room for the energy to minister to ourselves and those in need.

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WHAT YOU CAN DO

- WEAR YOUR WHISTLE
- TEACH FAMILY & NEIGHBORS THE CODES
- USE IT WHEN ICE IS SPOTTED
- PROTECT EACH OTHER, ALWAYS

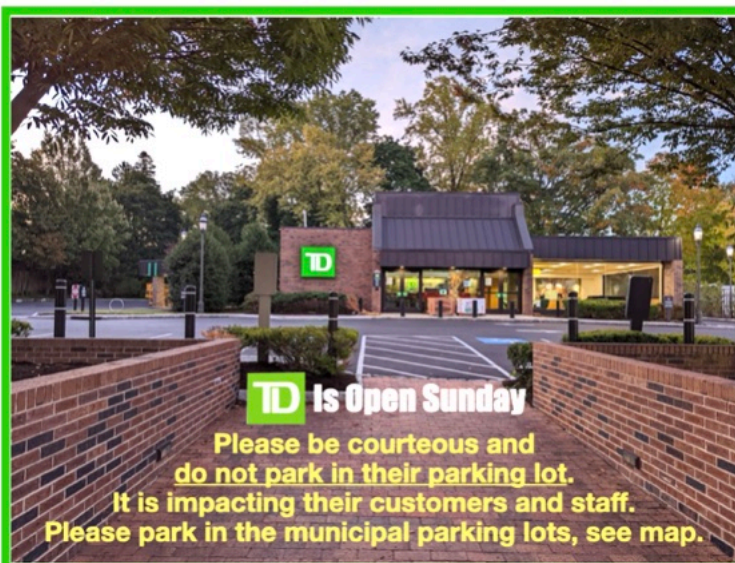
WHY IT WORKS

- INSTANT ALERT SYSTEM
- FASTER THAN SOCIAL MEDIA
- TURNS SILENCE INTO COMMUNITY ACTION

Migra Whistle Kit Assembly:

Join Social Witness & Action (aka Social Justice Group, aka Missions Team) in assembling Migra Whistle Kits today in fellowship hall. Grab a coffee in the 1st floor lounge then Come On Down. The kits include a whistle and instructions on how to respond to ICE activity you may witness.

FBC Moorestown reminder to please be good neighbors!



Thank you for your cooperation.

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COMMUNITY OPPORTUNITY

RAISE SOME DOUGH

Help support us!

20% of sales will benefit
**FAMILY PROMISE OF
BURLINGTON COUNTY INC**

**February 13, 2026
4:00 pm to 8:00 pm
1500 Nixon Drive
Moorestown, NJ**

In Cafe Drive-Thru
Pick-Up Delivery

Enter promo code **FUND4U** at online checkout.

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