

Coffee House and Open Mic Night!!

~ Join us for a delightful evening of live music, spoken word/poetry and displays of original artwork ~



When: Friday March 22, 2019 7:00pm – 11:00pm

Where: First Baptist Church, 19 West Main Street, Moorestown, NJ

- Local artists, musicians and actors will be sharing their talents on this special occasion to support a great cause: PRISM of South Jersey!
- Silent Auction
- \$20.00 Donation at the Door.

PLUS: Special Guest Bryan DeSliva

BRYAN DESILVA is a singer/songwriter and teacher who is passionate about the real human stories found in such diverse mediums as opera, musical theatre, rock and roll, cabaret, and Baroque concert repertoire.

Favoring a sound that lies somewhere between piano-driven alternative rock and country-tinged folk music, Bryan's music centers around the idea that it is through the sharing of one's specific experience that listeners will see their own stories reflected back.

As a nonbinary queer person growing up in the conservative church, Bryan often felt isolated and different, however it was the vulnerability and resilience of artists such as Joni Mitchell, Tori Amos, and Stevie Nicks that reminded Bryan that they were not alone.

The evolution of relationships, societal and religious alienation, the community of chosen family, and the healing of the biological family

are among the many themes that recur in Bryan's work.

Bryan currently teaches at the Boston Conservatory at Berklee and lives in Boston with their spouse Andrés and dog Billie.



PROCEEDS BENEFIT:

PRISM of South Jersey, a Safe/Brave Space for LGBTQ+ Youth and Allies sponsored by FBC of Moorestown. PRISM is open to LGBTQ+ Youth and Allies as well as those questioning, ages 13-18 yrs. PRISM's mission is to be an outreach that affirms and supports the experiences of LGBTQ+ Youth 13-18 and Allies across Burlington County. If you would like more information on this program, feel free to email Beverly Allegretti at PrismofSouthJersey@gmail.com I would love to chat with you anytime.