

MANHATTAN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest; to all who mourn and long for comfort; to all who struggle and desire victory; to all who sin and need a Savior; to all who are strangers and want fellowship; to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness; and to all who will come, this church opens wide her doors and offers welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Welcome

We are so excited you can be here today to join in worshipping the God of the universe with Manhattan Presbyterian Church. We love God and are thrilled to see God build this local church body for the furthering of His Kingdom in Manhattan, Kansas. We know visiting a church can lead to a lot of questions and we'd love to help you find answers so please ask. Our website ManhattanPres.com also has a lot of information about our beliefs and values, check it out for more information about Manhattan Pres. Again, we're really glad you're here.

Nursery

It's downstairs for kids 3 and under! They are also always welcome to stay in the service!

Coffee, tea and snacks

Grab a drink and snack from the bar and feel free to bring it to your seat!

Restrooms

Restrooms are located downstairs. There is a handicapped accessible restroom in the hall next to the foyer.

Balcony

If you need to go up to social distance properly please do.

Bibles

Bibles are available on the Welcome Table for you to use or keep.

Prayer

The elders take seriously their call to pray for you and are honored to pray with and for you.

Email prayer requests to prayer@manhattanpres.com

Visitor Cards/Information

Pick up a visitor card at the Welcome Table and place it in the offering plate later in the service or scan this code. We also have a packet on the Welcome Table that's full of info about who we are and what we believe. Please grab one!



Serving

Serving Today (January 28th, 2024)

Musicians:

Piano: Amanda Braun

Singers: Jenna Fiscus and Emily Taylor

Musicians: Jon Dunning, Caleb Fernelius, Evan Bassler

Sound: Ethan Schubert

Nursery: Sonder Crane and Jill Shaw

Worship Training: Jenna Fiscus and Esther Park

Greeter: Ethan and Amelia Schubert **Snacks**: Ethan and Amelia Schubert

Coffee: You guessed it, Ethan and Amelia Schubert **Lord's Supper Set up:** Ethan and Amelia Schubert

Bread Baker: Dunning

Announcements: Ethan/Amelia Schubert

Serving Next Week (February 4th, 2024)

Musicians:

Piano: Emily Taylor

Singers: Hailey Pasque and Tricia Dunning

Sound: Lucas Renz

Nursery: Zach and Jenna Breshears

Worship Training: Cooper Pasque and Beckham Hough

Greeter: Lucas and Annie Renz **Snacks**: Lucas and Annie Renz **Coffee**: Lucas and Annie Renz

Lord's Supper Set up: Lucas and Annie Renz

Bread Baker: Robyn MacGregor **Announcements:** Lucas/Annie Renz

We need more people to help!! Scan this code to see ways to serve and sign up!



Get involved in a Small Group!

We gather together for fellowship and to dig deeper into discussions on how God's Word shapes our lives.

Sunday Afternoon

Meets 1st and 3rd Sundays after worship
Pat Zimmerman's home (2320 Players Circle)

If you are interested in this group, contact Caleb Kothmann to join or for more information (913-707-2488)

Sunday Evening

Meets 1st and 3rd Sunday evenings at 6:30p Graham and Rebekah Roses' home (908 Brierwood Dr.)

If you are interested in this group, contact Graham to join or for more information (785-236-1744)

Wednesday Evening (2 groups)

Childcare provided at these!

Meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday evenings at 6:30p
Adam and Emily Thiesens' home (830 Leavenworth)
OR

Cooper and Hailey Pasque' home (3351 Newbury St)

If you are interested one of these groups, contact Adam (785-341-2853) or Cooper (405-802-7711)

Youth Bible Study and Fellowship Nights

Youth 7th-12th, come join us!! **Bible Study:** 2nd & 4th Sundays at 6:30p at Durretts' home (1703 Fairview)

We are studying Job.

Fellowship: 1st and 3rd Sundays at 6:30p at Flaggs' home (2105 Farming Dale Ct)

Baby Shower for Annie Renz

TODAY after the Worship service Hailey Pasque's home (3351 Newbury St.)

Ladies, come celebrate baby Renz with us! Annie and Lucas are registered on Babylist!

Salina Church Plant

Please join us in praying for a potential church plant in Salina. The efforts are being led by Brad & Emily Irvin. If you know of anyone in or near Salina who might be interested in being part of this work, please connect them to the Irvins, or share with them this website, SalinaPCA.org

Why a rooster?

Simply put, our logo is a picture of God's grace to sinners. It is an image of our failure and Jesus Christ's triumph.

As Jesus foretold, Peter denied Christ three times before the rooster crowed. This failure made Peter a broken man, a man who repents and experiences grace, a man who, after Jesus' resurrection, runs not away from Jesus (as we tend to want to do), but towards Him and Jesus restores him fully.

That's the call of the Gospel: run to Jesus.

The rest of Peter's life is spent trusting not in himself or his own abilities, but in Christ and His death upon the cross. That's a picture of the redeemed, the people of God, the bride of Christ, the Church. Sinners clinging to cross of our Savior.

Read the full explanation on our website at ManhattanPres.com.

Reflection

"Let no corrupting talk come out of your mouths, but only such as is good for building up, as fits the occasion, that it may give grace to those who hear. And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, by whom you were sealed for the day of redemption."

- Ephesians 4:29-30

"God does not require a perfect, sinless life to have fellowship with Him, but He does require that we be serious about holiness, that we grieve over sin in our lives instead of justifying it, and that we earnestly pursue holiness as a way of life."

- Jerry Bridges

Standing

God invites us to worship Him, we respond to His invitation.

Call to Worship

from Psalm 96

Pastor: Great is the LORD and most worthy of praise; he is to be feared above all gods.

People: The gods of the nations are idols, but the LORD made the heavens.

Pastor: Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name!

People: Worship the LORD in the splendor of his holiness, tremble before him, all the earth!

Only a Holy God

Who else commands all the hosts of heaven? Who else could make every king bow down? Who else can whisper and darkness trembles? Only a Holy God

What other beauty demands such praises? What other splendour outshines the sun? What other majesty rules with justice? Only a Holy God

Come and behold Him
The One and the Only
Cry out, sing holy
Forever a Holy God
Come and worship the Holy God

What other glory consumes like fire? What other power can raise the dead? What other name remains undefeated? Only a Holy God

Come and behold Him
The One and the Only
Cry out, sing holy
Forever a Holy God
Come and worship the Holy God

Who else could rescue me from my failing? Who else would offer His only Son? Who else invites me to call Him Father? Only a Holy God

Come and behold Him
The One and the Only
Cry out, sing holy
Forever a Holy God
Come and worship the Holy God (X2)

Standing

Revelation 4:8 "And the four living creatures, each of them with six wings, are full of eyes all around and within, and day and night they never cease to say, Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord God Almighty, who was and is

and is to come!"

Philippians 2:10-11

"so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, 11and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father."

Words & Music: Michael Farren, Jonny Robinson, Dustin Smith, Rich Thompson

CCLI: 7073332

Standing

Prayer of Adoration

Pastor Brian Hough

This is a prayer of praise and adoration for who God is. This prayer focuses on the glory and honor of our great and mighty God, but also asks God to help us worship Him.

Each week after the Prayer of Adoration with one voice we pray the Lord's Prayer.

Lord's Prayer

Our Father which 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 debts,
as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil:
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever.

Affirmation of Faith

Psalm 67

Pastor: May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his

face to shine upon us.

People: That your way may be known on earth,

your saving power among all nations.

Pastor: Let the peoples praise you, O God;

let all the peoples praise you!

People: Let the nations be glad and sing for joy,

Pastor: For you judge the peoples with equity

and guide the nations upon earth.

People: Let the peoples praise you, O God;

let all the peoples praise you!

Pastor: The earth has yielded its increase;

God, our God, shall bless us.

People: God shall bless us;

let all the ends of the earth fear him!

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen

Standing

Psalm 67 reminds us that the Lord's blessing of his people is intended to result in the nations praising the Lord. After all. Abraham was blessed to be a blessing (Gen. 12:2). As those blessed with "every spiritual blessing in Christ" (Eph 1:3), how much more should this be true of us?

Gloria Patri is a brief historical praise to God which clearly sets forth Trinitarian understanding

Sitting

Because sin is so pervasive in both our corporate and individual lives, Christians are called to come before our holy God with honesty and transparency, confessing our brokenness and asking for both forgiveness and healing through Jesus Christ.

See **1 John 1:9** for more on confession.

The Words of Assurance declare the good news that all those who hope in Jesus alone to make them right with God are forgiven, not based on their own merits, but based on God's promise of salvation in Christ.

We Confess Our Sin

God of glory,

you sent Jesus among us as the light of the world to reveal your love for us, and to redeem us as a children who walk in your light.

But we have obscured the glory of your presence within us by sinning with our minds, our lips, and our hands.

We have chosen often to walk in the darkness instead of your light.

In your mercy, forgive us again and teach us to walk in the power of your Spirit, so that, forgiven and renewed, we might live fruitful lives and shine forth the glory that shines fully in the face of Jesus Christ our great redeemer.

Amen

Silent Confession of Sin

Words of Assurance

1 Peter 2:24

"He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By his wounds you have been healed."

All Things New

Come, Lord, and tarry not; Bring the long looked for day; O why these years of waiting here, These ages of decay?

Come, for Thy saints still wait; Daily ascends their sigh; The Spirit and the Bride say, "Come"; Does Thou not hear the cry?

O come, and make all things new,
Come and make all things new,
O come and make all things new,
Build up this ruined earth;
Come and make all things new, All things new

Come, for creation groans, Impatient of Thy stay, Worn out with these long years of ill, These ages of delay.

Come, for love waxes cold, Its steps are faint and slow; Faith now is lost in unbelief, Hope's lamp burns dim and low.

Chorus (2x)

Standing

Revelation 21:5,

"He who was seated on the throne said, "Behold, I am making all things new."

2 Corinthians

5:17, "Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come."

"Tarry" means to delay

Words: Horatius Bonar, 1779 Music: Clint Wells, 2009

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Standing

Members of the congregation greet one another with a sign of friendship such as, "The peace of Christ with you" and the response, "And also with you."

1 John 4

Passing of the Peace

From Psalm 130:7-8

Pastor: Hope in the LORD!

For with the LORD there is steadfast love, and with him is plentiful redemption. He will redeem his people

from all their iniquities.

People: Thanks be to God!

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you!

Sitting

The Pastoral Prayer is a prayer offered by an elder during the service of worship for, and on behalf of, the congregation.

Pastoral Prayer

Elder Brian Hough

The elders take seriously their call to pray for you and are honored to pray with and for you.

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Dismissal for Children's Worship Training

Children nursery to age 6 are invited to join us for prayer and then a time of teaching during the sermon. They will rejoin us before the Lord's Supper.

We Give Generously

The offering is a way for Christians to support the church's mission and ministry. Christians give back to God a portion of all the resources which God has given. We give as an act of faith and gratitude in response to God's grace to us.

Words for Reflection

Lord, the action of this offering
is a public sign of our allegiance to you:
we proclaim you Lord over our lives,
Lord over our families,
Lord over our finances.
Lord over our future.
We give you thanks for all you have given us,
and all we have the privilege to give.
Use these gifts for the work of your church, we pray in Jesus'
name. Amen.

Sitting

We include giving in the service because we view it as a means of participating in worship.

If you are guest today please feel no obligation to give.

Online Giving Option

We learn in the Scriptures that giving is an act of worship to God. That is why we include an offering in the liturgy each week. We also know that in an era when we don't use checks or cash very often, remembering to bring it to church with you can be difficult. In order to assist your desire to faithfully support Manhattan Pres the Elders have set up an online giving option. You can give via check or card; one time or a reoccurring gift. As always, all gifts are tax deductible under our 501(c)(3) status.

To give online, scan the circle or go to manhattanpres.churchcenter.com
We will always have time of offering in the worship service as well



We preach
from the
English
Standard
Version. Bibles
are available to
use and keep
on the
Welcome Table.

As the Bible is the primary means by which God speaks to and edifies His people, we read and listen to the Scriptures together in worship. In ancient Israel and the early church. services of worship were organized for the public reading of Scripture - a practice vital to building up the community of faith.

A sermon is not just a teaching for living; it is mainly a time when Christ encounters His people through His Word.

What A Wonderful & Messed Up World: Genesis 6:1-8 Pastor Brian Hough

Isaiah 40:8

"The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God will stand forever."

Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God

Holy Spirit, living breath of God,
Breathe new life into my willing soul.
Let the presence of the risen Lord,
Come renew my heart and make me whole.
Cause Your Word to come alive in me;
Give me faith for what I cannot see,
Give me passion for Your purity;
Holy Spirit, breathe new life in me.

Holy Spirit, come abide within,
May Your joy be seen in all I do.
Love enough to cover every sin,
In each thought and deed and attitude.
Kindness to the greatest and the least,
Gentleness that sows the path of peace.
Turn my strivings into works of grace;
Breath of God show Christ in all I do.

Holy Spirit, from creation's birth,
Giving life to all that God has made,
Show Your power once again on earth,
Cause Your church to hunger for your ways.
Let the fragrance of our prayers arise;
Lead us on the road of sacrifice,
That in unity the face of Christ
May be clear for all the world to see.

Standing

Acts 13:52

"And the disciples were filled with joy and with the Holy Spirit."

Colossians 3:12

"Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience"

Songwriters: Keith Getty / Stuart Townend 2005

The Lord's Supper

Communion is a sign and seal for those who believe in Jesus Christ alone for the forgiveness of sin. It's not for good people. It's for you if you believe and embrace that you are worse and more messed up than you ever dare to admit; and yet you are more loved and accepted by our Savior than you had ever dared to hope - this is because of the life, the death and the resurrection of Jesus for you.

You will be invited to join us as we circle the room. We serve wine, but also offer grape juice (cups on the outside ring) for those who prefer for reasons of personal conviction. We offer a gluten-free bread option in the pre-packaged cups. Please ask, as we deliver the elements, if you are unsure.

Children are welcome to come with their parents. Each child should talk with the elders about his or her belief in Christ before taking the Lord's Supper. Please contact us to do that at a future date.

If you are not taking the Lord's Supper with us today, we don't want this to be an awkward time. Simply allow the elements to pass you by. We encourage you to consider the prayers provided on the next page. We're glad you're here today.

Words of Institution

Pastor: Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:

People: Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

Pastor: Christ, our Passover, has been sacrificed for us.

People: Therefore, let us keep the feast.

Pastor: The gifts of God are for the people of God. Come eat and drink with thanksgiving.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

The prayers below are provided as guides for your silent, individual prayer during the Lord's Supper

PRAYER FOR THOSE SEARCHING FOR THE TRUTH

Lord Jesus, you claim to be the Way, the Truth, and the Life. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open me to the reality of who you are. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent and convincing, and that leads to the life you promise. Amen.

PRAYER OF FAITH

Lord Jesus Christ, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever dared admit, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt on the cross, taking what I deserved in order to offer me complete forgiveness. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as my Savior and Lord. Amen.

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

Lord Jesus, you have called us to follow you in a life of committed discipleship in your church. Grant that I may take the necessary steps to be one with your people, and live in the fullness of your Spirit. Amen.

PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

I do not presume to come to this your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in my own goodness, but only in your righteousness credited to me. I am not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table. But you are the same Lord whose manner is always to show mercy. Grant me, therefore, O Lord, the grace to commune now with Christ by faith, that I may evermore live in him and he in me. Amen.

Standing

God Be Merciful to Me (Psalm 51)

Psalm 51:7
"Purge me with
hyssop, and I
shall be clean;
wash me, and I
shall be whiter
than snow."

God, be merciful to me; On Thy grace I rest my plea Plenteous in compassion Thou, Blot out my transgressions now; Wash me, make me pure within; Cleanse, O cleanse me from my sin.

"Contrite"
means filled
with a sense of
guilt and a
desire for
atonement

My transgressions I confess; Grief and guilt my soul oppress.

I have sinned against Thy grace, And provoked Thee to Thy face.

I confess Thy judgement just;

Speechless, I Thy mercy trust.

I am evil, born in sin; Thou desirest truth within.
Thou alone my Savior art, Teach Thy wisdom to my heart;
Make me pure, Thy grace bestow,
Wash me whiter than the snow.

Broken, humbled to the dust, By Thy wrath and judgment just, Let my contrite heart rejoice, And in gladness hear Thy voice; From my sins O hide Thy face,

Blot them out in boundless grace.

Words: Scottish Psalter

Music: Chris Miner

Gracious God, my heart renew, Make my spirit right and true. Cast me not away from Thee, Let Thy Spirit dwell in me; Thy salvation's joy impart, Steadfast make my willing heart.

Sinners then shall learn from me, And return, O God, to Thee Savior all my guilt remove, And my tongue shall sing Thy love Touch my silent lips, O Lord,

And my mouth shall praise accord

Benediction

"May grace and peace be multiplied to you in the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord."

- 2nd Peter 1:2

Benediction is parting words. Either a quote from Scripture or informed by the Scriptures to encourage the people of God as they leave.

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here below; praise Him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen. Doxology is a hymn containing an ascription of praise to God.

Thomas Ken, 1709

The Service of Covenant Renewal concludes

Go Love Your God Go Love Your Neighbor



LOVE GOD | LOVE NEIGHBOR



Men's Breakfast



Manhattan Presbyterian Church

410 Poyntz Ave, Manhattan, Kansas 66502 Worship every Sunday at 10am

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