

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 (November 19th, 2023)

Musicians:

Piano: Emily Taylor

Singers: Chloe Shanahan and Lucy Dunning

Sound: Caleb Kothmann (training Isaac Shanahan)

Sunday School Nursery: Sonder Crane and Helen Durrett

Nursery: Ethan and Amy Shananhan

Worship Training: Cooper Pasque and Beckham Hough

Greeter: Kothmanns

Snacks: Taylor Veldkamp

Coffee: Kothmanns

Lord's Supper Set up: Kothmanns

Bread Baker: Maddie Jaime

Announcements: John Veldkamp

Serving Next Week (November 26th, 2023)

Musicians:

Piano: Nicola Cyr

Singers: Hailey Pasque and Sonder Crane

Sound: Jeremy Fritz **Nursery**: Shanahans

Worship Training: Adam Thiesen and Jackson Shanahan

Greeter: Bailey and Jeremy Fritz

Snacks: Amy Shanahan

Coffee: Bailey and Jeremy Fritz

Lord's Supper Set up: Bailey and Jeremy Fritz

Bread Baker: Fritz

Announcements: Hunter Flagg

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!!

No Youth Fellowship tonight!

Advent/Christmas Jam Session (For All!)

Wednesday, Nov 29th, 6:30-8:30p The Wareham

Come make music with us or just come listen and sing along!

Bring a snack to share and the instrument you like to play and join us for a casual evening of music making.

All experience levels welcome- beginner to advanced.

Contact Emily Thiesen with any questions.

Preaching Symposium

Friday, December 1st, 6:30p

The Wareham

This is an evening when guys who are interested in pastoral ministry preach a 20 minute sermon to our Elders and anyone else who was interested in attending. After each sermon, we will give encouraging feedback as well as advice on improving. The following guys will be preaching, but anyone and everyone is welcome to come out for this. Brad Irvin, Luis Jaime, Ashton Bartlett and Avery Bartlett

Annual Kids Cookie Decorating

Saturday, December 2nd, 10a Grandma Pat's house (2320 Players Cir)

It's the most wonderful time of the year! Kids of all ages, just show up! Everything is provided!

Women's Annual Ornament and Cookie Exchange

Saturday, December 16th, 10a Annie Renz's house (2820 Nevada)

Bring a new ornament to exchange White Elephant style, and a batch of cookies to exchange as well if you'd like to take home a selection of yummy treats!

Reflection

"All things are full of weariness; a man cannot utter it..."

- Ecclesiastes 1:8

"Your work is a very sacred matter. God delights in it, and through it he wants to bestow his blessings on you. This praise of work should be inscribed on all tools, on the forehead and faces that sweat from toiling."

- Martin Luther

"There is no saint without a past, and no sinner without a future."

- St. Augustine

Standing

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

Call to Worship from Psalm 124 & Isaiah 6

Pastor: Our help is in the name of the Lord,

People: Who made heaven and earth.

Pastor: Holy, holy, holy is the LORD God of hosts!

People: Heaven and earth are full of his glory!

Hail to the Lord's Anointed

Hail to the Lord's anointed, great David's greater Son! Hail in the time appointed, **His reign on earth begun! (2x)**

He comes to break oppression, to set the captive free, To take away transgression, and rule in equity.

Hail to the Lord's anointed, great David's greater Son! Hail in the time appointed, **His reign on earth begun!**

He comes in comfort speedy to those who suffer wrong, To help the poor and needy, and bid the weak be strong.

To give them songs for singing, their darkness turn to light, Whose souls, condemned and dying, are precious in His sight.

Hail to the Lord's anointed, great David's greater Son! Hail in the time appointed, **His reign on earth begun!**

He shall come down like showers upon the fruitful earth, Love, joy, and hope, like flowers, spring in His path to birth.

Hail to the Lord's anointed, great David's greater Son! Hail in the time appointed, **His reign on earth begun!**

The tide of time shall never His covenant remove. His Name shall stand forever, That Name to us is Love.

Hail to the Lord's anointed, great David's greater Son! Hail in the time appointed, **His reign on earth begun!**

Standing

Psalm 72:4
"May He
defend the
cause of the
poor of the
people, give
deliverance to
the children of
the needy, and
crush the
oppressor!"

Psalm 72:12

"For he delivers the needy when he calls, the poor and him who has no helper."

Words: James Montgomery 1821

Music: Sandra McCracken

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

Westminster Larger Catechism Questions 30 & 32

Pastor: Does God leave all mankind to perish in the estate of sin and misery?

People: God does not leave all men to perish in the estate of sin and misery, into which they fell by the breach of the first covenant, commonly called the covenant of works; but of his mere love and mercy delivers his elect out of it, and brings them into an estate of salvation by the second covenant, commonly called the covenant of grace.

Pastor: How is the grace of God manifested in the second covenant?

People: The grace of God is manifested in the second covenant, in that he freely provides and offers to sinners a mediator, and life and salvation by him; and requiring faith as the condition to interest them in him, promises and gives his Holy Spirit to all his elect, to work in them that faith, with all other saving graces; and to enable them unto all holy obedience, as the evidence of the truth of their faith and thankfulness to God, and as the way which he has appointed them to salvation.

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

Catechism means "to teach orally." It's a series of questions and answers.

There is both a shorter catechism which is said to be "easier to read and concise for beginners" and a Larger Catechism is "more exact and comprehensive"

The Westminster Larger Catechism was written 1647.

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

From Psalm 51

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions.

Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity,

and cleanse me from my sin!

Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean;

wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.

Let me hear joy and gladness;

let the bones that you have broken rejoice.

Hide your face from my sins,

and blot out all my iniquities.

Create in me a clean heart, O God,

and renew a right spirit within me.

Cast me not away from your presence,

and take not your Holy Spirit from me.

Restore to me the joy of your salvation,

and uphold me with a willing spirit.

Silent Confession of Sin

Words of Assurance

Romans 5:8-9

"God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Since, therefore, we have now been justified by his blood, much more shall we be saved by him from the wrath of God."

Christ Our Hope in Life and Death

What is our hope in life and death? Christ alone, Christ alone What is our only confidence? That our souls to him belong

Who holds our days within his hand? What comes, apart from his command? And what will keep us to the end? The love of Christ, in which we stand

O sing hallelujah!
Our hope springs eternal
O sing hallelujah!
Now and ever we confess
Christ our hope in life and death

What truth can calm the troubled soul? God is good, God is good Where is his grace and goodness known? In our great Redeemer's blood

Who holds our faith when fears arise?
Who stands above the stormy trial?
Who sends the waves that bring us nigh?
Unto the shore, the rock of Christ
Chorus

Unto the grave, what shall we sing? "Christ, he lives! Christ, he lives!"
And what reward will heaven bring?
Everlasting life with him

There we will rise to meet the Lord Then sin and death will be destroyed And we will feast in endless joy When Christ is ours forevermore

Chorus (2x)

Standing

Based on question & answer of the first Heidelberg Catechism.

1st Corinthians 6:19

"You are not your own, for you were bought with a price. So glorify God in your body."

Romans 14:8-9

For if we live. we live to the Lord, and if we die, we die to the Lord, So then, whether we live or whether we die. we are the Lord's. 9 For to this end Christ died and lived again, that he might be Lord both of the dead and of the livina.

Words and Music by Keith Getty, Matt Boswell, Jordan Kauflin, Matt Merker, Matt Papa, 2020.

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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

Sitting

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

Passing of the Peace

Pastor: As we are forgiven and reconciled to God through Christ Jesus, let us be reconciled to each other.

The peace of the Lord be with you all.

People: And also with you.

Pastoral Prayer

Elder Travis Shanahan

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

Giver of all good things,
let your grace flow through us;
a generous stream,
unstoppable, refreshing, abundant.
We release these gifts into your river of love,
flowing out to all the world.
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.

Sentenced & Clothed: Genesis 3:14-21

Pastor Brian Hough

Isaiah 40:8

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

- I. The Woman (v.16)
 - A. Pain in childbirth
 - B. Desire & Rule
- II. The Sentencing Of The Man (v.17-19)
 - A. Listened to Wife? (v.17a)
 - B. Cursed Is The Ground (v.17b -18)
 - C. Bread Until Death (v.19)
- III. The Naming of Eve (v.20a)
- IV. Clothed By God (v.21)

O Love That Will Not Let Me Go

O Love that will not let me go, I rest my weary soul in thee; I give thee back the life I owe, That in thine ocean depths its flow May richer, fuller be.

O light that followest all my way, I yield my flickering torch to thee; My heart restores its borrowed ray, That in thy sunshines blaze its day May brighter, fairer be.

O Joy that seekest me through pain, I cannot close my heart to thee; I trace the rainbow through the rain, And feel the promise is not vain, That morn shall tearless be.

O Cross that liftest up my head,
I dare not ask to fly from thee;
I lay in dust life's glory dead,
And from the ground there blossoms red
Life that shall endless be.

Standing

Psalm 13:5-6

"But I have trusted in your steadfast love; my heart shall rejoice in your salvation. I will sing to the LORD, because he has dealt bountifully with me."

Words: George Matheson 1882

Music: Christopher

Miner

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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

1 Peter 2:9

"But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light."

Romans 5:2

"Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God."

Matthew 16:18

"And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it."

Words & Music by David L. Ward, 2015.

Ballad for the Church

O church, recall- in love He called you From death to life as His own bride, A chosen race, a royal priesthood, The very ones for whom He died. He will hold on despite your wand'ring, Your shepherd stands to guard your place; It was not earned by your performance-You were appointed by His grace.

O church, declare- you are a herald,
The matchless fame of Christ alone;
Lay down your pride, come out of hiding,
For here His glorious grace is shown.
Hold out your arms, in love disarming,
And welcome all who need His care,
Then point to Him who died for sinners,
Who will, by faith, their sorrows bear.

O church, stand firm in gospel armor-You are arrayed in Jesus' might; You shall not fall though hell assail you For He is ready for the fight. No foe can stand, no idol linger, Before His sword - the word of truth; So cling to Him, He is your champion, And He will shield and carry you.

O church, resound, the world confounding, With peace and love in deepest pain; Let heaven ring with joyful singing, "To live is Christ, to die is gain." The King shall come, and we with wonder, Will gather as His spotless bride. This is the song of our belonging-"For us the Lamb was crucified!"

Benediction

May the love of the Lord Jesus draw us to himself;
May the power of the Lord Jesus strengthen us in his service;
May the joy of the Lord Jesus fill our souls; and
May the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son,
and the Holy Spirit be upon us and remain with us always.
Amen

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





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