



Our **mission** is to create disciples for Jesus Christ and to practice His teachings by **loving** and **serving** God and one another.



ADDRESS

First Presbyterian Church
801 Leavenworth St.
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HOURS

Monday – Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Friday 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

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WORSHIP SERVICE | 10:30 A.M.
YOUTH GROUP | 5:30 P.M.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next **Women's Bible Study** is on Wednesday, April 14th at 10:00 a.m. For more information, contact Stacey Montgomery at batman0515@sbcglobal.net

Flowers are given by Jan & Fred Gibbs, "For thanks and appreciation to Missy Cox and the wonderful work she has done while leading the volunteer group for weekly Community Breakfast Ministry". If you have a date in 2021 that you would like to provide the flowers, please call the office and we will sign you up. The price of flowers will be \$45.

Deacons Offering will be collected this Sunday, April 11. The Deacons Offering helps with many activities (Bridge Builders, Community Meals, Friday Fellowship, etc.)

Handbell Choir rehearsal will be on Wednesday, April 14th at 6:00 p.m.

Next Sunday, April 18th will be **Youth Sunday Service**. They will give a sermon on "The Walk to Emmaus".

First Presbyterian has received a generous donation for the purpose of purchasing new Communion Linens. **In loving memory of Chong Tracey, from her husband, Vincent.**

Thank You all who participated in the **One Great Hour of Sharing** ministry, your efforts collected \$128.98 from the fish banks. What a catch!

You can now register for the **Heartland Traveling Day Camp!** Register online at heartland.campintouch.com or contact Shiloh Vick at shiloh@firstpremanhattan.com.

Community Outreach Dinner Volunteers

Tuesday, April 13th will be Team #6

Main Dish | *Mary Mertz, Jeannie Davis, Karen Davis, Claudia Voos

Side Dish & Bread | Kendra Rock, Emily Mark

Dessert | Heather Thomas

Servers | Jackie Tweed, Mary Mertz, Bobbi Schesser, Connie Fronk, Janet Schlotzhauer, Heather & Ron Thomas

WAYS TO SERVE & GIVE

We need your help to continue to provide breakfast bags to the community!

In an effort to continue providing our community with a weekly breakfast which are handed out every Tuesday night with the community dinner. Initially we prepared 50 bags per week. As the need has increased, we are currently preparing 70 bags per week. Our Community Breakfast volunteers have been very gracious in helping provide food. But with this new demand we need your help in providing nonperishable breakfast foods. Following is a list of the items we are in constant need of:

Granola bars, Pop Tarts, Fruit Cups, Juice Cups, Instant Oatmeal packets, large sized brown lunch bags, plastic spoons, napkins

You can drop off food to the office anytime Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

CALENDER FOR APRIL 11TH - 15TH

Sunday, April 11

10:30am | Traditional Worship

10:30am | Deacon's Offering

4:30pm | Children's Choir

5:30pm | Youth Group

Wednesday, April 14

10:00am | Women's Bible Study

6:00pm | Handbell Choir

Thursday, April 15

12:00pm | Hope & Healing Grief Group

Monday, April 12

6:30pm | Boy Scouts Troop 74

Tuesday, April 13

5:00pm | Community Showers

6:00pm | Community Meals

ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Second Sunday of Easter

Sunday, April 11, 2021 at 10:30a.m.

Gathering Around The Word

Prelude | Mitchell Jerko, Organist

Melodia Da Chiesa from the Sixth Sonata for Violin by G.F. Handel

Easter Alleluia by Henry Kihlken

Introit | Choir

Crown Him Lord of All! arranged by Marty Parks

Welcome and Announcements | Jan Gibbs

Call to Worship | Jan Gibbs

We worship in the Easter light,

for the shadow of death is no match for God's love.

Let us join our voices with the disciple Thomas:

"My Lord and my God!"

Easter people, Christ is risen!

Christ is risen indeed!

Hymn #411 | "God Is Here Today" (Sung three times)

*Prayer of Confession & Assurance of Pardon

You have shown yourself to us, O God, by Word and Spirit, with signs and wonders, in flesh and blood, yet we still struggle to live and believe the good news of Jesus Christ. Have mercy on us; forgive us. Enter into our lives and cast out fear, so that we may come to trust in you and have life in Jesus' name.

*The Peace

The Peace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, be with you all.

And also with you.

*Response of Joy | Hymn # 581 | "Gloria Patri"

Proclaiming The Word

Prayer for Illumination

First Lesson | 1 John 1:1-2:2 | Jan Gibbs

Anthem | Choir

The Majesty and Glory of Your Name by Tom Fettke & Linda Lee Johnson

Children's Message | Hymn #748

Go with us, Lord, and guide the way through this and every coming day,
that in your Spirit strong and true our lives may be our gift to you

New Testament Reading | John 20:19-31

Sermon | Other People's Proclamation

***Hymn #817 | "We Walk by Faith and Not by Sight"**

We Respond to the Word in Faith

*Affirmation of Faith | The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Offering

Those joining in worship “in-person” were invited to participate in offering their tithes and gifts as they entered the sanctuary. For those joining in worship “at home” we invite you to offer your lives to the service of Christ, during this time. If you wish to give a tithe or other financial gift, you may do so by sending a check to the church office (801 Leavenworth St., Manhattan, KS 66502) or by visiting our church website at www.firstpresmanhattan.com/giving.

Thank you for your support, and your contribution to the outreach and ministry of Jesus through this congregation!

Special Music | Robba Moran, Piano

Standing on the Promises arranged by Bruce Greer

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

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 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. Amen.

Bearing The Word Into The World

*Hymn #547 | "Go, My Children, with My Blessing"

*Benediction

Postlude | Mitchell Jerko, Organist

Welcome, Happy Morning by Edward G. Mead

Please begin your ministry in Christ's name by greeting your neighbors.

*Stand as you are comfortable

GATHERING

God Is Here Today

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Dios está aquí

Capo 2: (D) E (A7) B7 (Bm) C#m (D7) E7 (G) A

God is here to - day; as cer - tain
Dios es - tá a - quí, tan cier - to co - mo el

(A7) B7 (D) E (D7) E7 (G) A

as the air I breathe, as cer - tain
ai - re que res - pi - ro, tan cier - to co - mo

(A7) B7 (D) E (A/C#) B/D# (Bm) C#m (D/A) E/B

as the morn - ing sun that ris - es, as
la ma - ña - na se le - van - ta, tan

(G) A (A7) B7 (D) E

cer - tain when I sing you'll hear my song.
cier - to co - mo que le can - to y me pue - de o - ír.

Glory Be to the Father 581

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the

Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in the be -

gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be,

world with - out end. A - men, a - men.

Go with Us, Lord 748

Go with us, Lord, and guide the way through this and

ev - ery com - ing day, that in your Spir - it

strong and true our lives may be our gift to you.

**May be sung as a canon.*

817 We Walk by Faith and Not by Sight

1 We walk by faith and not by sight; with
 2 We may not touch your hands and side, nor
 3 Help then, O Lord, our un-be-lief; and
 4 And when our life of faith is done, in

gra-cious words draw near, O Christ, who spoke as
 fol-low where you trod; but in your prom-ise
 may our faith a-bound to call on you when
 realms of clear-er light may we be-hold you

none e'er spoke: "My peace be with you here."
 we re-joice and cry, "My Lord and God!"
 you are near and seek where you are found.
 as you are, with full and end-less sight.

Guitar chords do not correspond with keyboard harmony.

The opening line here is essentially a quotation of 2 Corinthians 5:7, but that affirmation is fleshed out by references to the appearance of the risen Christ to Thomas (John 20:19–29). The shape note tune, named for a stream in Fayette County, Pennsylvania, adds resolution to the words.

Go, My Children, with My Blessing 547

1 "Go, my chil-dren, with my bless-ing, nev-er a-lone.
 2 "Go, my chil-dren, sins for-giv-en, at peace and pure.
 3 "Go, my chil-dren, fed and nour-ished, clos-er to me.

Wak-ing, sleep-ing, I am with you, you are my own.
 Here you learned how much I love you, what I can cure.
 Grow in love and love by serv-ing, joy-ful and free.

In my love's bap-tis-mal riv-er I have made you mine for-
 Here you heard my dear Son's sto-ry; here you touched him, saw his
 Here my Spir-it's pow-er filled you; here my ten-der com-fort

ev-er. Go, my chil-dren, with my bless-ing, you are my own."
 glo-ry. Go, my chil-dren, sins for-giv-en, at peace and pure."
 stilled you. Go, my chil-dren, fed and nour-ished, joy-ful and free."

Because this Welsh melody usually sets evening texts, the author was asked to create one for use in daytime. His recasting of the Aaronic blessing in Numbers 6:22–27 imagines that passage as a benediction that might be spoken by God at the conclusion of a worship service.

