



# FIRST

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
MANHATTAN, KANSAS



## OCTOBER 17, 2021

**Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost**

WORSHIP | 8:30 A.M.

BIBLE STUDY | 9:15 A.M.

WORSHIP | 10:30 A.M.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Please complete an attendance form and return to an usher before the end of service. Thank you!** Ushers today are Norman, Mary Alice, Norma Schlesener. Next week's ushers will be Jim and Linda Schottler.

**Flowers are given by Larry & Carolyn Knotsman-Bowers in celebration of their 17th Wedding Anniversary.** 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.

**The nursery is now available for both services!** Please see Stacey Montgomery for information.

**The Sunday Broadcast Team is seeking volunteers** to assist with weekly Sunday Service Presentations. For more information, please see Mike Wilson!

**RSVP for the next Friday Fellowship** on October 22nd! RSVP through the church office by Wednesday, October 20th by the end of day.

**The Food Pantry** is in need of flour, sugar, rice, and miscellaneous canned/boxed items (not passed their expiration date) for our client "Help Yourself" cart. Please place your donated items in the wicker container marked "Food Pantry" in the Narthex adjacent to the lounge area or contact Barbara Gatewood.

**A pictorial directory is a powerful tool in our church to help each of us know each other better.** Our last directory is now out-dated and it is time for a new one. Please make an appointment to have your picture taken by signing up online at <https://rb.gy/yvu2jo>. Every family photographed for the directory will receive a copy of the directory and an 8x10 portrait at no cost. **The church office is not facilitating or responsible for scheduling photo sessions.**

**Help needed! The community breakfast team needs additional members for breakfast clean up!** Responsibilities would be to meet at Presby Place once every five weeks on Wednesday's from 7:45 to 8:45 or 9:00 (more frequently if you're interested in helping more than one team!) If you're interested, please contact Peggy and John Lyons for more information!

**Community Meals is in need of additional team members** to help serve the second Tuesday of every other month beginning in October from 5:15 to 7:00 p.m.! Dates are October 12 and December 14. If you're interested, please contact Claudia Voos via email or her cell.

## WAYS TO SERVE & GIVE

### Community Outreach Dinner Volunteers

Tuesday, October 19th will be Team #7

**Main Dish** | \*Pam Beardsley, Annette Radina, Laurie Johnson, Carolyn Alexander, Peg Lyons

**Side Dish & Bread** | Margo Laubhan, Radina

**Dessert** | Jeannie Davis

**Servers** | Paul Dittmar, Jackie Tweed, Pam Beardsley, Laurie Johnson, Ross Snyder, **Need Additional Volunteer**

### Community Outreach Breakfast Volunteers

Wednesday, October 20th will be Team #5: VanderPol

**Egg Bake** | Shirley Vogts, Chris Gaithers & Melissa Soldan

**Set Up, Fruit, etc.** | Stacey Montgomery, Keith Vogts, Melissa Soldan & Mary VanderPol

**Clean Up** | Josh Medicinebird & Jeannie Davis

**Brown Bag Lunch** | Peggy Lyons

If are interested in volunteering or have any questions regarding Community Outreach Breakfast, please contact John & Peggy Lyons at 785-539-3644 or lyonspeg3@yahoo.com

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## CALENDER FOR OCTOBER 10TH-15TH

### Sunday, October 17

8:30am | Worship

9:15am | Bible Study

10:30am | Worship

### Wednesday, October 20

7:30am | Community Breakfast

10:00am | Women's Bible Study

6:00pm | Handbell Choir Practice

### Monday, October 18

6:30pm | Boy Scouts Troop 74

### Thursday, October 21

12:00pm | Hope & Healing Grief Group

### Tuesday, October 19

8:30am | World Friendship

5:00pm | Community Showers

6:00pm | Community Meals

### Friday, October 22

9:00am | Food Pantry

# ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR THE LORD'S DAY

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## We Gather Around The Word

### Prelude | Mitchell Jerko, Organist

*Mélodie* by Georges Debat-Ponsan

*Sing to the Lord of Harvest* by Robert J. Hughes

### Introit | Choir

*A Jubilant Song* by Allen Pote

### Welcome and Announcements | Liturgist

### Call to Worship | Psalm 91 | Liturgist

The Lord is our dwelling place,

*a home of peace and plenty.*

The Lord is our dwelling place,

*a refuge when trouble is near.*

Come, and let us worship God!

### \*†Hymn #467 | “How Great Thou Art”

### \*†Prayer of Confession (in unison)

O Lord, we are so often like James and John, seeking seats of glory. We organize our lives around ladders to climb, not realizing that we are stepping on people whom you love. Forgive us, O Christ, and teach us to follow in your way of humble service and self-sacrifice. Pour out your mercy upon us, wash us clean, and restore us to the joy of your salvation. We as this in your holy name. Amen.

(\* Stand as you are comfortable.)

## **\*Assurance of Pardon**

## **\*Sharing the Peace of Christ**

The peace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, be with you all.  
*And also with you.*

## **\*†Response of Joy | Hymn # 581 | “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.

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## **Proclaiming The Word**

### **Prayer for Illumination | Liturgist**

Lord, by the power of your Holy Spirit, lift us up into your presence to hear the promise of your word and know the joy of your salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### **First Scripture Lesson | Isaiah 53:4-12 | Liturgist**

### **Anthem | Choir**

*God Be in My Head* by Victor C. Johnson

### **Children’s Message | Hymn #175, Verse 1 only**

Seek ye first the kingdom of God and its righteousness, And all these things shall be added unto you. Allelu, alleluia!

### **New Testament Reading | Mark 10:35-45**

### **Sermon | “Chutes and Ladders” | Rev. Jason Pittman**

### **\*Hymn #320 | “The Church of Christ in Every Age”**

## Responding to the Word

### \*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.

### Special Music | Robba Moran, Piano | Mitchell Jerko, Organ

*O God, Our Help in Ages Past* by Joel Raney

### The 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](http://www.firstpresmanhattan.com/giving). Thank you for your support, and your contribution to the outreach and ministry of Jesus through this congregation!

### 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.

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## Bearing The Word Into The World

\*Hymn #299 | "You Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim"

### \*Benediction

### Postlude | Mitchell Jerko, Organist

*Praises* by Dennis Eliot





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



## ADDRESS

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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.  
CLOSED noon to 1:00 p.m.

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