



FIRST

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
MANHATTAN, KANSAS



OCTOBER 24, 2021

22nd Sunday after Pentecost

WORSHIP | 8:30 A.M.

SUNDAY SCHOOL | 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 Jim and Linda Schottler. Next week's ushers will be Donna Davis and Susan Schoneweis.

Flowers are given by Jim & Linda Schottler to celebrate all of the Faithful Volunteers at our Church. 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!

The Food Pantry is in need of flour, sugar, rice, and dried beans. Please place your donated items in the container marked "Food Pantry" in the narthex or contact Barbara Gatewood. If you are interested in serving as a food pantry volunteer on Friday mornings, 8:45-11:30 a.m., contact Frank Laubhan.

We are saddened to announce the passing of Jim Gathers, brother of Chris and Cathy Gathers. Please keep the Gathers family in your prayers.

Our Communications Coordinator, Stacy Markley is currently on maternity leave! Stacey Montgomery will be filling in the meantime. If you need to contact Stacey or the office, you can still send an email to stacy@firstpresmanhattan.com or to deirdre@firstpresmanhattan.com

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!

WAYS TO SERVE & GIVE

Community Outreach Dinner Volunteers

Tuesday, October 26th will be Team #8

Main Dish | *Susan Schoneweis, Kim Smith, Marilyn Galle, Bobbi Schesser,
Need Additional Volunteer

Side Dish & Bread | Patty McCrary, Jo Lyle

Dessert | Sharon Snyder

Servers | Judy Weaver, Susan Schoneweis, Kim Smith, Sandy Stevenson,
Lucas Shivers, Nancy & David Parker

Community Outreach Breakfast Volunteers

Wednesday, October 27th will be Team #1: Voos

Egg Bake | Lana & Tom Arpin, Peg Lyons & Jan Gibbs

Set Up, Fruit, etc. | June Wilson, Virginia Joyce, Claudia & Terry Voos

Clean Up | Gene Klingler & Jeannie Davis

Brown Bag Lunch | Emily Mark

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

CALENDER FOR OCTOBER 24TH-29TH

Sunday, October 24

8:30am | Worship

9:15am | Sunday School

10:30am | Worship

6:00pm | Community Meals

6:30pm | Session

Monday, October 25

10:00am | Nominating Committee

5:30pm | Deacon's

6:30pm | Boy Scouts Troop 74

Wednesday, October 27

7:30am | Community Breakfast

10:00am | Women's Bible Study

6:00pm | Handbell Choir Practice

Tuesday, October 26

8:30am | World Friendship

5:00pm | Community Showers

Thursday, October 28

12:00pm | Hope & Healing Grief Group

Friday, October 29

9:00am | Food Pantry

ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR THE LORD'S DAY

We Gather Around The Word

Prelude | Mitchell Jerko, Organist

Idyl by Rex Koury

All Things Bright and Beautiful by David Paxton

Introit | Choir

Our Song Shall Rise to Thee by Joseph M. Martin

Welcome and Announcements | Steven Graham

Call to Worship | Psalm 91 | Steven Graham

The Lord has filled our mouths with laughter and our tongues with shouts of joy.

The Lord has done great things for us, and we are glad indeed.

Come, and let us worship God!

***†Hymn #385 | “All People That on Earth Do Dwell”**

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

O God, you know us better than we know ourselves. And you know the harm we do to others and the world you have created. Forgive us for ignoring the cries of our neighbors, for failing to listen to what is most nourishing even for ourselves. Heal us of our blindness, and open our eyes to the beauty of your grace.

(* 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.

Proclaiming The Word

Prayer for Illumination | Steven Graham

God of light, let your Holy Spirit come into our darkness and open our hearts, that your word may show us the blessings you intend for all creation. Amen.

First Scripture Lesson | Jeremiah 31:7-9 | Steven Graham

Anthem | Choir

Sing to the Lord A New Song by Mark Hayes

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 10:46-52

Sermon | “Don’t Hold Back” | Rev. Jason Pittman

*Hymn #451 | "Open My Eyes, That I May See"

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.

Moment for Music | Reg Pittman

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. 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.

Bearing The Word Into The World

*Hymn #450 | "Be Thou My Vision"

*Benediction

Postlude | Mitchell Jerko, Organist

Grand Choeur by G.F. Handel



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



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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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