



# First United Methodist Church

Manhattan, Kansas

CONNECTING *to Christ* | GROWING *in Community* | SERVING *the World*

## MAKING SENSE OF THE BIBLE

Rediscovering the Beauty and Power of Scripture



September 4, 2022 - 8:45 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Welcome to worship at First UMC; we are glad you are here. Our expectation is that worship will be a time where your spirit will connect with God's Holy Spirit and refresh your soul. Whether this is your first time at FUMC, or you have been attending since you were a baby, you are welcome in this community of faith.

## 8:45 Worship - Contemporary

\* Asterisk indicates to rise in body or spirit.

### Opening Song

*Blessed Be Your Name*  
Beth Redman and Matt Redman  
Praise Band

### Welcome

Melanie Nord, Executive Pastor

### \*Song of Praise

*Nothing But The Blood*  
Matt Redman

### \*Greeting Time

Jeff Cunningham, Youth Director

### Word for Young Disciples

### Baptism of Kiera Murdock

Parents, Christopher and  
Monette Murdock

### Community Church Moment

### Offering

*For All My Life*  
Hank Bentley and Jon Guerra

### \*Scripture

Isaiah: 11:2-5, OT pg. 602  
Luke 4:16-21, NT pg. 57

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

### Message

"A Humble Impact"  
Pastor Melanie Nord

### Communion

*Cornerstone*  
Edward Mote and Eric Liljero

## **The Lord's Prayer (all voices together)**

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 trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,  
and the glory forever. Amen.

## **\*Closing Song**

*Unstoppable God*  
Wade Joye and Chris Brown

## **Words of Blessing**

## **Personal Sermon Notes:**



The flowers are in memory of Gleora Strauss by the Warren Strauss Family.

The basket of flowers is in honor of the 74th wedding anniversary of Harry and Elaine Manges.

# Opportunities to Connect, Grow, and Serve

## **Disciple II Class**

Pastor Barry will teach Disciple II this year on Wednesday nights from 6:30-8:00 pm. Disciple II is a follow up to the Disciple I Bible Study and covers Genesis, Exodus, Luke and Acts. It is helpful to have taken Disciple I, but not required. An introductory class will be held on Wednesday, September 14 at 6:30 pm. The first class will be September 21. Register on the church website to reserve your seat or contact Cathlene Higgins in the church office ([chiggins@fumcmanhattan.com](mailto:chiggins@fumcmanhattan.com)) to ask questions or get help registering. Books will be offered in the church office prior to the class starting.

## **FUMC Campus Presentations**

Learn what the Campus Team has been working on this year and share your big dreams for the ministries and facilities of the FUMC. We have two opportunities for you to learn from our team.

Sunday, September 18 at 3 pm,  
Harris Activity Center Auditorium

Wednesday, September 28 at 6:30 pm,  
Harris Activity Center Auditorium

Each meeting time will include a tour, snacks and beverages and presentations to total two hours. Childcare is available by emailing [nursery@fumcmanhattan.com](mailto:nursery@fumcmanhattan.com). Volunteers will be available at the back of the building to help with the lift available to those in need.

We will also have visuals in the Connecting Link through the month of September and a special email presentation sent that will include a congregational survey September 30.

## **Adult Sunday School Meeting**

Are you interested in a Sunday School Class?? Come join us on Sunday, September 18 at 10:00 am in the Fellowship Hall. We will be sharing ideas, meeting folks that are interested in getting adult Sunday School classes going again, and starting new classes of varied interests. If you cannot attend but are interested, call the church office to get more information

## Bell Choirs

Love the handbells during worship? There's room in the bell loft for more ringers – no experience required. Contact Nancy Monical (monicalks@gmail.com) or Kathy Leonard (kantink@ksu.edu or kleonard@fumcmanhattan.com) for more information if you are interested.

## New Office Hours

The church office will be open Monday through Thursday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm and Friday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm. Please feel free to enter through the parking lot doors and check in at the Welcome Desk during these new hours. We look forward to seeing you.

## Save the Date!



C. Clyde 5K Fun Run and Midge's Mile Fun Walk is scheduled for Saturday, September 17, 2022. Join the FUMC team in helping raise funds for Shepherd's Crossing. Entry fee is \$25 for students, \$30 for non-students, \$10 for children under 16. The fee includes an event T-shirt. Register by visiting Manhattan Running Company or by following this link: <https://register.chronotrack.com/r/61935>

## Wesley House

Students, Faculty, Staff, Alums, and Supporters! Stay up to date with all the Wesley happenings. Just take a picture of the QR code and add your email address! Sign up now. THIS WEEK AT WESLEY: Weekly Devotion and Update



# 11:00 Worship - Traditional

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## \*Prelude

*God of Grace and God of Glory*  
Robert Hobby  
Dan Myers, Organ

## Welcome

Melanie Nord, Executive Pastor

## \*Call to Worship

Leader: God of the ages, we sing your praises in the vineyards of our lives.

**People: Tend the garden of our love.**

Leader: Where we have become ragged and wild, prune us in the way we should grow.

**People: Nurture the soil of our hope.**

Leader: Let your hand be upon us, leading us to Jesus, the perfecter of our faith. Heal the roots of our faith. Bring us rain in drought, shade in scorching heat, and protection in the wilderness.

**People: Protect the growth of our spirit. Amen**

## \*Hymn of Praise

*O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing*  
UMH 57, verses 1-3

## \*Grace and Greeting Time

Jeff Cunningham, Youth Director

## Word for Young Disciples

## Community Church Moment

## Offering

*I Can Only Imagine*  
Elijah Cunningham, Piano

## \*Doxology

UMH 95

## \*Scripture

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Luke 4:16-21, NT pg. 57

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## Anthem

*O Come and Worship the Lord*  
Patti Drennan  
Ari Thomas, Chancel Choir Director

**Message**

"A Humble Impact"  
Pastor Melanie Nord

**Communion**

*Communion Medley*  
Charlie Sargent, Classical Guitar

**The Lord's Prayer (all voices together)**

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And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,  
and the glory forever. Amen.

**\*Hymn of Dedication**

*Fill My Cup, Lord*  
UMH 641

**\*Benediction**

**Postlude**

*Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart*  
Robert Hobby

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# WEEKLY OFFERINGS

## **Sunday, September 4**

- 8:45 am - Contemporary Worship
- 10:00 am - Sunday School for all
- 11:00 am - Traditional Worship
- 2:00 pm - Sew Sisters
- 4:00 pm - Junior High Youth Group
- 6:00 pm - High School Youth Group

## **Monday, September 5**

The office is closed. Happy Labor Day!

## **Tuesday, September 6**

9:00 am - Geezer Work time, church campus

## **Wednesday, September 7**

- 3:30 to 5:30 pm - Youth Hang Out
- 6:00 pm - Community Meal in the Fellowship Hall

## **Thursday, September 8**

6:45 am - United Methodist Men Breakfast

## **Saturday, September 10**

6:00 pm - Community Meal in the Fellowship Hall

We have many other regular offerings throughout the week. Please pick up a newsletter or find out more on our church website.



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