



First United Methodist Church

Manhattan, Kansas

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



August 6, 2023 - 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 First UMC, or you have been attending since you were a baby, you are welcome in this community of faith.

8:45 Worship - Contemporary Service

* Asterisk indicates to rise in body or spirit.

Opening Song

This Is Amazing Grace
Jeremy Riddle, Josh Farro

Welcome

Donna VotEAU, Senior Pastor

*Songs of Praise

How Great Is Our God
Chris Tomlin and Ed Cash

Gratitude
Brandon Lake and Dante Bowe

*Greeting Time

Courtney Fellers, Pastor of Children and Family Life

Word for Young Disciples

Community Moment

Offering

Online giving is available on our website in just a couple easy steps. Scan this QR code to get started:



Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

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.

*Scripture

Genesis 32:22-31, pg. 28

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

People: Thanks be to God.

Message

“Wrestling with God”
Pastor Donna Voteau

Communion with the Great Thanksgiving

UMH 15

Words of Blessing

***Closing Songs**

It is Well With My Soul
Horatio Spafford
Little Apple Barbershop Chorus
Swing Low Sweet Chariot
Wallace Willis



The vase of flowers is in honor of Larry and Carol Parsons's 66th Wedding Anniversary.

Opportunities to Connect, Grow, and Serve

Come Sing With Us!

The FUMC Chancel Choir is always accepting new singers, and now is a perfect time to join! No audition and no prior experience required.

Chancel Choir rehearses each Sunday morning at 9:30 AM, downstairs in the choir room, and sings during the 11:00 service.

We invite anyone interested to join us at our Fall Retreat on Saturday, August 19, 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM or at one of our rehearsals, which start on September 3rd.

Contact Ari Thomas at ariejenkins@gmail.com for more information.

First Notice for Prayer

Pastor Courtney sends out an email for prayers when requested. Everyone is welcome to join this list. If you would like to be added to the email list, please email Courtney at cfellers@fumcmanhattan.com



**STUFF THE
BUS**

**First UMC is
Supporting the
USD 383 FIT Closet
with your help**

**First UMC has already donated over
500 pencil boxes!**

**Backpacks are still a need.
Boxes are set up in the Connecting Link and
both sanctuary doors for the donations.**

**Please consider donating financially for one or
more backpacks by writing a check to FUMC
and putting "backpacks" in the memo line.
Checks can be placed in the Sunday offering
plate or be mailed or dropped off at the church
office anytime.**

First UMC, Manhattan - The CommYOUity Church.

Pad the Pantry in August

We will be collecting items to help stock our FUMC Pantry with critical need items during our Welcome Back Sunday event (or in the Connecting Link the week before and after). Please consider taking a paper bag found at the doors to the sanctuary and filling it with what you are able. Every single donation helps, and together we hope our combined donations will make a real difference for those in the Manhattan community. The food pantry is asking for: Chunky Soup (like Progresso), Drink mixes (like coffee, tea, lemonade, Kool-Aid, etc., White Rice, Spaghetti Sauce, Juice, cake mixes, helper meals (like Hamburger or Tuna), canned tuna, canned chicken, pork and Beans.



Have Questions? Wonder who you need to contact?

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11:00 Worship - Traditional Service

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Prelude

*We are Marching
Halle, Halle, Hallelujah
Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ*
arr. by John Behnke
Dan Myers, organ; Steve Johannes; percussion

It is Well With My Soul
Horatio Spafford
Little Apple Barbershop Chorus

Swing Low Sweet Chariot
Wallace Willis

Welcome

Donna Voteau, Senior Pastor

*Call to Worship

Listen to what's right, Lord; pay attention to my cry! Listen closely to my prayer; It's spoken by lips that don't lie!

You have examined my heart, testing me at night.

My steps are set firmly on your paths; my feet haven't slipped.

I cry out to you because you answer me. So tilt your ears toward me now-listen to what I'm saying!

Manifest your faithful love in amazing ways because you are the one who saves those who take refuge in you, saving them from their attackers by your strong hand.

*Hymn of Praise

Here, O My Lord, I See Thee
UMH 623

*Greeting Time

Courtney Fellers, Pastor of Children and Family Life

Community Moment

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Offering

My Tower of Strength
Gene McDaniels
Charlie Sargent, guitar; Treavor Heenley, bass;
Keith Wright, vocalist;

***Doxology**

UMH 95

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession
The Lord's Prayer (all voices together)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
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And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
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***Scripture**

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Hymn of Preparation

Surely the Presence of the Lord
UMH 328 (sing twice)

Message

"Wrestling with God"
Pastor Donna Voteau

Communion with the Great Thanksgiving

UMH 15

Be Thou My Vision; Spirit Song; I Love You Lord
Nancy Monical, flute; Ken Reeve, piano; Charlie Sargent, guitar

***Hymn of Dedication**

How Can We Name a Love
UMH 111

Benediction

***Postlude**

Foggy Mountain Breakdown
Charlie Sargent, banjo; John Fellers, harmonica;
Adam Inman, guitar; Treavor Heeney, bass



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WEEKLY OFFERINGS

Sunday, August 6

- 8:45 am Contemporary Worship
- 10:00 am The Forum Sunday School presenting on the
Susana Wesley School in Anapra, Mexico
- 9:45 am Fellowship Time for all, Fellowship Hall
- 10:00 am Sunday School for all, See monitors for locations
- 11:00 am Traditional Worship
- 4:00 pm Junior High Youth Group, HAC 4:12 Rooms
- 4:00 pm Celebration of Life for Carl Kirkpatrick, Sanctuary
- 5:00 pm Funeral Dinner with the Kirkpatrick family, Fellowship Hall

- 6:00 pm High School Youth Group, HAC 4:12 Rooms

Tuesday, August 8

- 9:00 am Geezer work time, church campus

Wednesday, August 9

- 9:00 am FUMC Food Pantry
- 9:30 am Women's Bible Study, Library
- 6:00 pm Community Meal, Fellowship Hall

Friday, August 11

- 1:00 pm Bill Anders graveside Funeral, Kansas Veteran's Cemetery
- 2:00 pm Funeral Dinner with Anders family, Meadowlark Hills

Saturday, August 12

- 6:00 pm Community Meal, Fellowship Hall

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

With our services being streamed, you or your children may end up on video, especially during the "Word for Young Disciples." We do our very best to have no close-ups of the congregation.



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