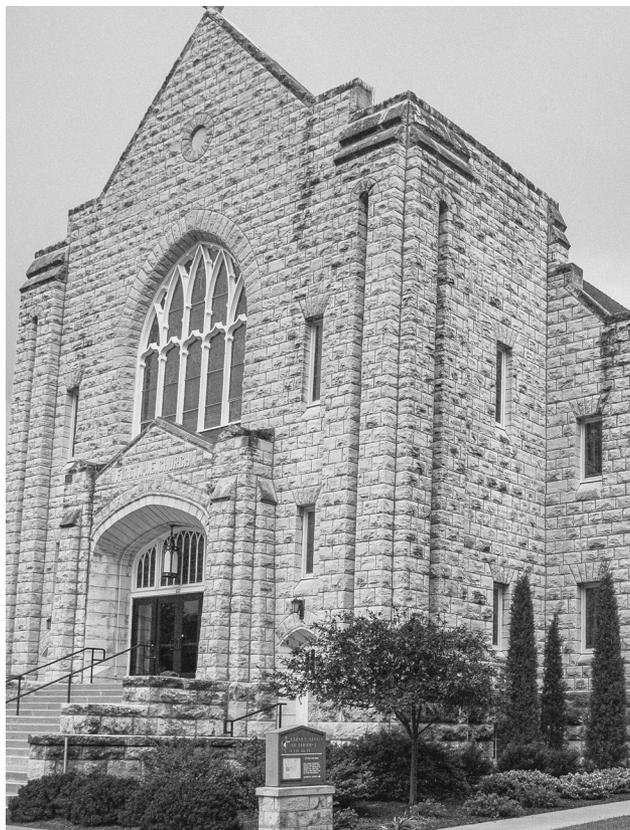




First United Methodist Church

Manhattan, Kansas

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



March 8, 2026 - 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

Glorious Day
Kristian Stanfill and Sean Curran

Welcome

Courtney Fellers, Associate Pastor

*Songs of Praise

House Of The Lord
Jonathan Smith and Phil Wickham

Holy Spirit
Bryan Torwalt and Katie Torwalt

*Collect

Almighty God, your steadfast love never ceases and your mercy is endless. Each day your mercy is fresh and your faithfulness is everlasting. With deep gratitude, we open our hearts to you acknowledging the gift of your son Jesus Christ, our Redeemer. You are our hope and our salvation. Amen.

Passing the Peace of Christ

Children's Time

Misti LeMoine, Children's Director

Offering

Online giving is available on our website in just a couple easy steps. Scan this QR code to get started or Text FUMCMHK to 73256



Pastoral Prayer

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**

John 4:5-30, 39-42, NT 89

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

People: Thanks be to God

Message

“Come and See”

Courtney Fellers, Associate Pastor

***Closing Song**

I Speak Jesus

Abby Benton and Carlene Prince

Blessing



In Loving Memory of Carolyn Beth Kesinger (December 22, 2025)

Saturday, March 14 - Memorial 10:30 am, Sanctuary

FUMC EASTER SCHEDULE



**Sunday,
March 29**

Palm Sunday

Children and youth are invited to participate in the palm parade before both services

**Thursday,
April 2**

Maunday Thursday

7:00 pm, Worship in the Sanctuary

**Friday,
April 3**

Good Friday

7:00 pm, Worship in the Sanctuary

**Sunday,
April 5**

Easter Sunday

8:45 am, Contemporary Worship

9:45 am, Fellowship Time

Join us in the Courtyard for a special Easter Sunday coffee and snack

10:00 am, Easter Egg Hunt

The hunt will be held in the Courtyard on Poyntz Ave
All Children are invited to participate in the hunt.
Please bring your own Easter Basket

10:30 am, Festive Music Prelude

A special time of uplifting music celebrating the joy and hope of the Resurrection. Come early to quiet your heart, reflect, and prepare for worship.

11:00 am, Traditional Service





Thursday, March 12, 6:45 AM
FELLOWSHIP HALL

GUEST SPEAKER
**BRADY
KAPPEL**



**KSU STUDENT BODY
PRESIDENT**

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Food Pantry



Our Food Pantry continues to serve neighbors in our community by offering a welcoming place to shop for needed groceries, with church volunteers helping stock shelves and assisting guests each week. During the month of March, we are collecting SpaghettiOs and Ramen noodles to help keep these popular items on hand. Donations may be placed in the bin marked “Food Pantry” located in the Connecting Link. Thank you for helping us care for our community in this simple and meaningful way.

You're invited to Join a United Women in Faith Circle

- **Koinonia Circle** - 4th Wednesday at 6:30 pm, various locations
Contact *Amy Bipes*, amybipes19@gmail.com
- **Current Issues** - 3rd Tuesday at 9:15 am in the Church Library
Contact *Linda Beech*, lbeech@ksu.edu
or *Diana Cunningham*, keithdi@sbcglobal.net
- **Naomi Circle** - 2nd Wednesday at 10 am at Meadowlark Hills
Contact *Shirley Van Der Stelt*, 785-539-7220
- **Simply Circle** - TBD Young Professionals
Contact *Jill Sherman*, 620-786-9360

Or contact us at uwf@fumcmanhattan.com

11:00 Worship - Traditional Service

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Prelude

Jesus Calls Us O'er the Tumult
William Jude

The Old Rugged Cross
George Bennard

And All Was Well
Ryan Meeboer

Ave Maria
Anton Bruckner
The KSU Brass Quintet
Brett Wyckoff, Owen Genreux, Maddie Renner,
Jared Eck, and Isaac Allmon

Welcome

Courtney Fellers, Associate Pastor

*Call to Worship

Leader: Come, let's sing to the Lord.

People: Let's shout with joy to the rock of our salvation.

Leader: Let's come to him with grateful hearts.

People: Let's praise him with song and celebration.

Leader: He holds the deepest parts of the earth in his hands.

People: The highest mountains belong to him.

Leader: He is our God.

People: And we are his people.

ALL: Let's sing to the Lord.

*Hymn of Praise

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah
UMH 127

*Collect

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Passing the Peace of Christ

Young Disciples

Misti LeMoine, Children's Director

New Member Recognition

John and Jean Brazell

Offering

Be Still
Sibelius arr by Cathy Moklebust
Rhapsody Ringers - Nancy Monical, director



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*Doxology

UMH 95

Pastoral Prayer

Anthem

Prayer of St. Francis
Allen Pote
The Chancel Choir
Dr. Mark Lucas, director

*Gospel Reading

John 4:5-30, 39-42, NT 89

*Hymn of Preparation

As the Deer (sing twice)
TFWS 2025

Message

“Come and See”
Courtney Fellers, Associate Pastor

*Hymn of Dedication

The Old Rugged Cross
UMH 504

*Benediction

Postlude

Allegro
G. P. Telemann
The KSU Brass Quintet with Devon Autry, percussion



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WEEKLY OFFERINGS

Sunday, March 8

- 8:45 am Contemporary Worship, Sanctuary
- 9:00 am Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room
- 10:00 am Faithlinks Adult Discipleship, Library
- 10:00 am Open Door Adult Discipleship, Classroom 1/2
- 10:00 am Seekers Adult Discipleship, 3rd Floor Education Center
- 10:00 am Jesus and Me, 3rd Floor Education Center
- 11:00 am Traditional Worship, Sanctuary

Tuesday, March 10

- 9:00 am Geezer Work Time, Church Campus
- 10:00 am Fitness Fusion Exercise Class, Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, March 11

- 10:00 am Food Pantry, Alan Lee Center
- 3:30 pm Youth Hangout, 3rd Floor Ed. Ctr.
- 5:15 pm Student Ministry Bells, Sanctuary
- 5:30 pm Midweek Renewal Meal, Fellowship Hall
- 6:30 pm Midweek Renewal Classes
- 6:30 pm Young United Methodist (YUM), 3rd Floor Ed. Ctr.

Thursday, March 12

- 6:45 am United Methodist Men Breakfast, Fellowship Hall
- 10:00 am Fitness Fusion Exercise Class, Fellowship Hall

Saturday, March 14

- 10:00 am Memorial for Carolyn Beth Kesinger, Sanctuary

Childcare is available in the nursery for children ranging from birth to 3 years old. The nursery is located on the first floor of the Education Center.

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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Sunday, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

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