First United Methodist Church

Manhattan, Kansas

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



Deuteronomy 8:7-18

A Most Unusual Day

November 22, 2026 - 8:45 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Welcome to worship at First United Methodist Church; 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 Service

Opening Song

"Thrive"

Welcome

***Songs of Praise**

"Reckless Love"
"Gratitude"

***Call to Worship**

Leader: The earth is the Lord's, and all that is in it.
People: All that we have, we have received.
Leader: As the day of Thanksgiving draws near, let us give thanks to the Lord.
People: All things come from you, O God, and of your own have we given you.
Leader: Come, then, with grateful hearts and open hands.
People: Let us worship God.

Sharing the Peace of Christ

Children's Time Misti LeMoine

Ministry Moment Jamie McAtee

Offering

New Member Recognition



Flowers in memory of our fathers, Jack Hartman and Harold Borck.
Lee and Jackie Borck.

Pastoral Prayer

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 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 Reading Deuteronomy 8:7-18 OT 159

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.
People: Thanks be to God.

Doxology

Message Mike Chamberlain

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***Closing Song**

"Where The River Runs"

Benediction

Pastor: Rev. Mike Chamberlain
Associate Pastor: Rev. Courtney Fellers
Children's Director: Misti LeMoine
Youth Director: Jeff Cunningham
Worship Leader: Robbie Phillips

*** Asterisk indicates to rise in body or spirit.**


UNITED WOMEN IN FAITH'S
TREASURES & SWEETS
NOVEMBER 22, 2026
CONNECTING LINK
8:30 AM - 12:30 PM
Join us to purchase treasures & sweets to help sweeten up your Thanksgiving gatherings or kick-off your Holiday Gift Giving!
(Cash, Check or Credit Card Accepted)


Deck the Halls
Help us get the church ready for Christmas!
SUNDAY
November 22
12:30 p.m.
Pizza provided
MONDAY
November 23
1:30 p.m.
Join us either day!


CHURCH CONFERENCE
Tuesday, December 1
6:30 PM, FELLOWSHIP HALL
Church Members Are Invited to Attend & Vote
Voting will take place on:
• Sale of the Parsonage
The District Superintendent will preside over the Conference.

November JAM Christmas Program Practice

JOIN US AS WE LEARN OUR CHRISTMAS PROGRAM SONGS & ACTIONS

Nov. 8, 15, 22 & 29th at 10 am during JAM in the Cool Lounge (3rd Floor Education Center)

December 5th from 10-10:45 am in the Sanctuary

December 6th from 10-10:45 am in the Sanctuary

Program is on December 6th during the 11:00 am Service

Come to the Stable

SUNDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 6

Share a little Christmas joy with your church family - bring your favorite nativity scene to display in Fellowship Hall. Heirloom, gift, or a favorite tradition - we would love to see it.

Please let us know you would like to display your nativity scene and we'll save a spot for it:

Questions? Contact Miriam at mirmabbott@gmail.com

Gingerbread BASH

Follow that Star

Join us NOV. 29th, 5:30-7:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall for a First Ever Family Gingerbread Nativity Bash!

Enjoy a pizza dinner from 5:30-6 pm, family fun, Christmas songs, games, and the story of Jesus, the true Star of Christmas. Register HERE

We can't wait to "bash" with you!

11:00 Worship - Traditional Service

Prelude

"Ashokan Farewell"	Ungar / Lombardo
"Autumn Flutes"	Vivaldi / Parthun
"For the Beauty of the Earth"	Kocher / Quigley
"Simple Gifts"	Brackett / Quigley

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***Hymn of Praise** UMH 139

"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

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Children's Moment Misti LeMoine

Baptism Grace Terrill
Parents: Kari and Trenton Terrill

Ministry Moment Jamie McAtee

Offering Stephenson

"Joyous Spirit"

***Doxology** UMH 95



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The Lord's Prayer

Anthem Moose
"We Give You Thanks"

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***Hymn of Preparation** UMH 694
"Come, Ye Thankful People, Come"

Message Mike Chamberlain
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***Hymn of Dedication** UMH 102
"Now Thank We All Our God"

***Benediction**

Postlude Lanier
"Thanksgiving Medley"

Tegan Emch, Kay W. Lloyd, Daniela Thrasher,
Anna Wimmer: Flute;
Gary Lloyd: Trumpet;
Jasmine Colle: Piano & Organ
Pastor: Rev. Mike Chamberlain
Associate Pastor: Rev. Courtney Fellers
Children's Director: Misti LeMoine
Youth Director: Jeff Cunningham
Director of Traditional Music: Dan Myers
Choir Director: Mark Lucas
Allegro Ringers Director: Nancy Monical

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WEEKLY OFFERINGS

Sunday, November 22

8:00 am Treasures and Sweets
8:45 am Contemporary Worship, Sanctuary
9:00 am Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room
9:30 am Fellowship Time, Fellowship Hall
10:00 am Open Door Adult Discipleship, Ed Center Room 104
Rooted Parents, Connecting Link
JAM Children's Program Practice, 3rd Floor Ed Center
Seekers Adult Discipleship, Ed Center Room 306
11:00 am Traditional Worship, Sanctuary
12:30 pm Christmas Decorating, Church Campus

Monday, November 23

1:30 pm Christmas Decorating, Church Campus

Tuesday, November 24

9:00 am Geezer Work Time, Fellowship Hall
10:00 am Shepherd's Crossing, Alan Lee Center
Fitness Fusion Exercise Class, Fellowship Hall
11:30 am Fusion Bible Study, Library

Wednesday, November 25 - Office Closed
Thursday, November 26 - Office Closed



For our full schedule of activities, please pick up a newsletter or visit our website.
Childcare is available in the nursery Education Center, first floor for children birth through age 3.
Please note: Services are streamed online, and you or your children may appear on video, particularly during Children's Time.

Ways To Give: Online Giving, Scan QR Code or Text FUMCMHK to 73256

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