

Manhattan

CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

7950 CHURCHILL RD

Welcome

— JULY 3, 2022 —

Coffee, punch, and cookies are served after the morning service!

VISITING TODAY?

Nursery is located on the lower level for all children up to the age of 3.

Tot Church for children from 3-5 years. After the children's message we head to the lower level where parents can pick up their children after the AM service.

Hearing Impaired Assistance

Stop by the Tech Booth

Today's Message

Available via CD at the Tech Booth, or online at manhattancrc.org



Check out MCRC on **Facebook**



On the web at manhattancrc.org

AM WORSHIP

10:00 AM

A Time of Worship Preparation
Revelation Song

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

Words of Welcome
Announcements
Call to Worship
*God Greet His People
*We Greet One Another

WE GIVE GOD OUR PRAISE

**The Lord is My Salvation*
**Great Are You Lord*

BAPTISM

Baptism of Brooks Braaksma

WE OFFER PRAYERS AND GIFTS

Morning Prayer
Children's Message - Roz Danof
(Tot Church Dismissed For Ages 3-5)
Offering - Christian Education Fund
Tell Your Children - PH #588:1-3

GOD SPEAKS TO HIS PEOPLE

Text: Psalm 127 (pg. 651)
Message: **Psalm 127**
Prayer

WE CONCLUDE IN PRAISE

*God Blesses His People as They Depart
**No Longer Slaves*
Postlude

**please stand if you are able*

Tim Kuperus
preaching

Deb Smit
piano

Maddie Visser
keys

Cavan Visser, Mark Eekhoff, Ben Smit
musicians

PM WORSHIP

6:00 PM

A Time of Worship Preparation

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WE GIVE GOD OUR PRAISE

**Standing on the Promises* - CH #410:1,2,5
**Redeemed* - CH #356:1,2,4

TESTIMONY AND PREPARATION

Introduction to Section
There is Power in the Blood-CH #329:1,3,4
He Hideth My Soul - CH #611:1,2
Till the Storm Passes By - CH #543:1,2
Love Lifted Me - CH #508:1,2

INVITATION

Introduction to Section
Softly and Tenderly - CH #479:1,2,4
Just As I Am - CH #488:1,2,4

CELEBRATION

Introduction to Section
A New Name in Glory - CH #521:1,3
Blessed Assurance - CH #572:1,2,3
And Can It Be - CH #347:1,2,4
*Just A Closer Walk With Thee*CH #564:1-3
I Will Sing of My Redeemer - CH #309:1,3

GLORY

Introduction to Section
Shall We Gather at the River
I'll Fly Away - CH #779:1-3
When the Roll is Called - CH #774:1-3
*When We All Get To Heaven*CH#772:1,2,4

CLOSING

Introduction to Section
America the Beautiful - CH #799:1,2,4
*Battle Hymn of the Republic*CH#804:1,2,4
God Blesses His People
How Great Thou Art - CH #147:1-4
Postlude

**please stand if you are able*
Tim Kuperus
preaching

Deb Smit & Bonnie Potts
organ & piano

Hanna Van Dyk, Jim Potts, Logan Heidema,
Nate Adams *brass*

SERVING THIS WEEK

JULY 3

NURSERY

AM Kathryn Chausse',
Beth Straatman, Emily Straatman

TOT CHURCH

3's & 4's Julie Kincaid
Simeon O'Hara
Samuel O'Hara

Substitute Libby Triemstra

USHERS

Walt Sales, Karsen Kredit

GREETERS

John De Boer, Tom De Boer
Jon & Kathryn Chausse'

COFFEE SERVERS

Chris & Connie Hahn
Leland & Lisa Heidema

COOKIES (4 dz) Karen Dykman,
Connie Hahn, Kelsey Heidema

LIBRARY

Closed

WORSHIP AT CRH

AM Rick & Heidi Braaksma
PM Rick & Heidi Braaksma

SERVING NEXT WEEK

JULY 10

NURSERY

AM Kendra Heidema, Angela Kamp,
Hudson Kamp

TOT CHURCH

3's & 4's Heidi Braaksma
Lydia Visser
Trena Vander Laan

Substitute Julie Witte

*Please pick up your material in the
Resource room after the AM service*

USHERS

Mike Kamp, Dallas Van Gelder

GREETERS

David & Judy Douglas
Patrick & Holly Luther

COFFEE SERVERS

Don & Cecilia Vaniman
Brad & Renee Kamerman

COOKIES (4 dz) Donna Ypma,
Cecilia Vaniman, Renee Kamerman

LIBRARY

Erica Van Dyk, Rose Brouwer

WORSHIP AT CRH

AM Al & Joan Bos
PM Al & Joan Bos

MCRC ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUMMER OUTDOOR SERVICES

This summer there will be 2 outside morning services: Sunday, July 17 and August 21. All evening services will be held outside, weather permitting. You are welcome to bring your own chair.

BAPTISM

Brooks Vance Braaksma, son of Darren and Kacie Braaksma, will be welcomed into the covenantal family by the sacrament of baptism during this morning's service

FELLOWSHIP

Please join us after the morning service in the park for cookies, punch or coffee, and a time to get to know each other! There is also a table set up in the Fellowship Hall for sitting. If inclement weather, we will serve from the Fellowship Hall.

GOSPEL HYMN SING

Plan on joining us at the Gospel Hymn Sing tonight, inside our sanctuary, along with Bethel church at 6:00. Refreshments will be served afterwards in the church park!

COMMUNION

Next Sunday, July 10, in the morning service we will be celebrating the sacrament of Communion.

NOMINATIONS

Nominations for Elder and Deacon are currently being considered by the Council. If you would like to make a nomination, please contact any Elder or Deacon. You can also submit nominations by email to wes@paradigm406.com. All nominees must be a member in good standing of Manhattan CRC.

COUNCIL MEETING

The council is scheduled to meet on Tuesday, July 5, at 7:00 p.m.

CATALYST MEETING

The catalysts are scheduled to meet on Tuesday, July 5, at 7:00 pm.

WORSHIP COORDINATOR

Deb Flikkema and Jana Van Dam our long time, faithful Worship Coordinators have decided to retire! The Consistory and Worship Committee want to express our thanks for all the work they do every week planning our worship services. The Executive Committee will be looking for someone to replace them. If you are interested in this position, please contact Wes Asher to obtain a Worship Coordinator job description. We will be taking applications and interviewing through the month of July.

DEACONS' REQUEST

Jim and April Selles need our support as all of Jim's tools for work, his truck, and April's parents belonging were stolen. Please prayerfully consider how you may be able to support them. You can write a check to Manhattan CRC with Jim and April in the memo line or make a donation in Breeze. Thank you!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Per our agreement with Manhattan Christian School, we are working together to patch and reseal our parking lots. We are in need of volunteers to help Scott Kimm in this process. The work will not involve heavy lifting, but will involve some time outside doing various tasks. You will be needed mostly in the mornings over the next month. This is saving our church valuable \$\$\$. If you are able to help, please stop in the office to see Kathy, or call her at 406-580-1835 so she can coordinate our volunteers.

CHURCH ACCESS

There will be no access to the West side of the church for this coming week due to re-roofing. For your safety, please do not enter the West side parking lot either walking or driving. Watch for caution tape and orange cones. There will be signs on doors that are safe for entrance. Thank you for understanding.

NEW ROOF

Work has started on the new roof for the church! We are still about \$60,000 short of our \$240,000 goal. The project will include shakes as well as gutters, paint, flashing, heat tape, etc. Have a look up and see what is changing. You can give by using the designated Capital Improvement envelopes in the back of church or by designating on your check for Capital Improvement. If you have questions about the Capital improvement fund or about the roofing project please contact Mike Kamp 539-1195.

PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE

The Publications Committee is looking for someone who is willing to lead their efforts, particularly the production of a brochure which will help new members and those in the community around us to understand who Manhattan CRC is. If you are interested in leading this committee, please contact Jon VanDer Laan at (406) 282-1035 or jcirrus@yahoo.com.

COUPLES' BIBLE STUDY

This week is diaper collection week.

4TH OF JULY PICNIC

The picnic has been canceled for this year.

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Would you enjoy worshipping with our members who reside in the retirement home? They love to have us worship with them. The services are live streamed and you will be able to watch with others in the West community room. If this is something you would like to do, please call Kathy at the office (406-282-7442) or sign up on the sheets placed by the fellowship hall! Thanks so much for considering!

OPEN HOUSE

Gil and Janice Kamps invite you to a 50th Wedding Anniversary Open House at Bethel CRC from 1 PM-3 PM on Saturday July 9.

TWICE TREASURED INFORMATION

Important Info from Twice Treasured: CLEAN * WORKING* SELLABLE Donations are accepted MONDAY - SATURDAY 10 - 2 PM. If you have a large amount of items or furniture pieces we ask that you give us a call before you come to make sure we have the staff and space to process those donations. **WE ACCEPT YOUR PRAYERS everyday of the week!** We come in contact with well over 100 people everyday. Many with a story to share. Pray that we can find the time to listen and have the words that Jesus would like us to share.

MIRIAM: WORSHIP LEADER

Check out the new kids' devotion at www.kidscorner.net. Music must have been an important part of worship in Israel. The Israelite women had timbrels (like tambourines) with them on the journey. They had left Egypt in a hurry but still packed musical instruments! Listen now at kidscorner.net

PRAYER REQUESTS

We trust God our Father who is always in control, even when life may sometimes feel tenuous and uncertain. We praise God for many good gifts He gives us each and every day.

CHURCH FAMILY

Stan Dyk visited the hand doctor this week and they could find no severed tendons! He is able to use his hand. Praise the Lord!

Robin Swanson started her chemo treatments this week. She is doing okay but does have some pain. Please pray that this pain will go away and that the treatments will be very effective. Continue to pray for peace to surround Mike and Robin.

Keep baby **Andi Brouwer** in your prayers. Pray that the remaining tests she needs to have will come back without issues. Pray also for **Neil, Hannah, and Bria**.

Keep **Jim, April, and baby Eloise** in your prayers. Pray for them as they care for this new baby. Keep the situation with Jim's work truck in your prayers.

Praise God with **John and Joyce Kamp** that the treatments are working. Pray for strength for John on the days that he feels weak and tired. Pray for God's peace for both of them.

Edith Vander Molen is feeling better and her back pain is lessening. Pray for peace and strength for her.

Rob and Julie Hager thank you for your prayers. Keep their family in your prayers as they deal with the effects of Huntington's disease.

Pray for peace and strength in times of loneliness and sadness for **all the families who have recently lost loved** ones.

Keep **Cathy Dawe** in your prayers that she will have complete healing.

Jen Sofie thanks everyone for their prayers. She is taking time to heal from surgery and to rest up and prepare for radiation. Pray for strength and courage.

Pray for our **council members**.

Pray for our **school children** as they are on summer break. Pray for safety, fun times and relaxation from their school activities.

Remember to pray for all our senior church members living in various retirement homes: **Jerita Andriesen, Betty Dyk, Ethel Dykstra, Grace Douma, Eloise Ligtenberg, Edith Vander Molen and Darlene Moss** (in Personal Care at the Churchill Retirement Home).

Keep **Pastor Tim and Heidi** in your prayers as they minister with us. We are so grateful for their ministry to us.

Keep **Josh and Lacey and their boys** in your prayers as they minister to us and to our youth. We are so grateful that the Lord led this young family to our church. We are so thankful God brought a healthy **McKenna** into their family.

Please pray for our part-time staff: **Deb Flikkema, Jana Van Dam, Kathy Eekhoff, Lisa Heidema, Jim & Bonnie Potts, and Bob Poelman**.

Please pray as **Patti Herbrandson** has developed some heart issues. Pray for doctors as they assess treatment and patience for Patti.

Pray for **our military and their families** in these turbulent times. Pray for courage and safety and that they will know how grateful we are for their service.

Pray for **expectant moms and dads**. Pray for healthy babies and moms as they await their precious little ones.

EXTENDED CHURCH FAMILY & COMMUNITY

Connie Hays, wife of our former interim pastor Vance Hays, was diagnosed with a benign pancreatic mass in May. With a complex and serious surgery Connie can be completely healed. The plans are for surgery to take place in late July. It has also been discovered that she has a very small mass in her bladder which is totally unrelated to the pancreatic mass. She plans to have surgery to remove this growth (which is probably cancerous) this Wednesday. They will biopsy the tissue and then proceed to more treatments, as necessary. Connie feels completely normal but she is concerned. Pray for peace to surround Connie and Pastor Vance as they look at these upcoming surgeries, and that the surgeries and healing process will all go well. Also pray that this bladder growth would be benign or very low grade.

Kris Van Gelder had back surgery in Denver recently. He is doing well and back in Montana now, but is unable to work for 2 months.

Give thanks to God that the liver transplant for **Kathy, Edith Vander Molen's daughter-in-law**, went very well. Keep Kathy, Tim, and Becky in your prayers as Kathy heals.

Pray for **Tim Dyksterhouse** as he deals with melanoma. Pray for him as he gets treatment and pray for healing.

Pray for strength and healing for **Larry Emmelkamp**. They appreciate the prayers.

Pray for **Bob Duffin** as he struggles with cancer which has been found in several areas of his body; most recently in his liver. He has started chemo and is very tired and is not able to work. Pray for strength and courage for Bob, Linda, and their family. They are very thankful for our prayers.

Please keep **Kim Sinnema** in your prayers as she struggles with her health.

Pray for **Ginny Fischer** who is dealing with pancreatic cancer and weakness from her treatments. She says, "Mike and I are so grateful for the love and concern".

Continue to pray for **Vic Douma, Grace Douma's son**.

Pray for **Joel Bratt, son-in-law of Bern and Verna Alberda**. Continue to pray that Joel will have renewed strength, help with discouraged spirits, and complete healing.

Keep **Joyce and Clary Flikkema** in your prayers. Praising God for His love and care.

Continue to pray for Ren's sister, **Donna Larue**, as she cares for her husband **Bruce**. Pray for peace, strength, and courage. Thank you all so much for your prayers and concern.

SUPPORTED MISSIONARIES & THE GLOBAL CHURCH

Pray for **Sos and Kara Maletoungou** as they are in the U.S. for a one year home assignment. They ask for your prayers over the coming weeks as we will be doing a fair amount of traveling to visit and re-engage with various supporting churches, friends, and family starting in early July.

DO YOU HAVE AN UPDATE FOR THE PRAYER LIST?

Call the office at 282-7442, your district elder, or Ren Braaksma at 539-9203.

THIS WEEK

TODAY

10:00 AM Morning Worship Service
- Braaksma Baptism
6:00 PM Evening Worship Service
- Combined Hymn Sing

TUESDAY

7:00 PM Council Meeting
7:00 PM Catalyst Meeting

NEXT WEEK SUNDAY

10:00 AM Morning Worship Service
- Communion & SERVE Send Off
6:00 PM Evening Worship Service
- Outdoors weather permitting

LOOKING AHEAD

July 17 Matt & Missy Kamps
- Outdoors weather permitting
- All Church Potluck

OUR GIFTS

(Giving as of 5/31/2022)

	<u>Month</u>	<u>Year</u> ending 8/31/22
GENERAL FUND		
Goal	\$30,970	\$371,635
Rec'd	<u>\$21,119</u>	<u>\$256,713</u>
Over (Short)	(\$9,851)	(\$114,922)
CHRISTIAN EDUCATION FUND		
Goal	\$24,762	\$297,138
Rec'd	<u>\$9,887</u>	<u>\$267,858</u>
Over (Short)	(\$14,875)	(\$29,280)
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT		
Goal	\$2,000	\$24,000
Rec'd	<u>\$6,921</u>	<u>\$41,399</u>
Over (Short)	\$4,921	\$17,399

OFFERINGS

UPCOMING

TODAY

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION FUND

This offering is for the Christian Education Fund which is used to cover the tuition costs of families who are participating in the Christian Education Fund. It is for the exclusive benefit of students whose families belong to Manhattan CRC.

JULY 10	GENERAL FUND
JULY 10 #2	CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND
JULY 17	GENERAL FUND
JULY 17 #2	SPECIAL MISSIONS
JULY 24	GENERAL FUND
JULY 24 #2	DENOMINATIONAL MINISTRY SHARES
JULY 31	GENERAL FUND
JULY 31 #2	ZOECARE SHARES

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