

CENTENARY CHURCH

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WELCOME



Generosity Campaign

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Everyone Is Welcome

We are glad that you are here and invite you to fill out the Connect Card that is in your bulletin. Please note the prayer requests and connections opportunities on the back of the card. Completed Connect Cards may be placed in the offering plate as you leave today.

Join us for coffee and donuts after the service.

Centenary United Methodist Church is a member of the Reconciling Ministries Network. Centenary has made a commitment to intersectional LGBTQ justice, and affirms that everyone is beloved and celebrated in our ministry.

Announcements

Film Viewing and Discussion, November 7th

For They Know Not What They Do, explores the intersection of religion, sexual orientation, and gender identity through the stories of four families of faith. Join us on Sunday, November 7th at 6:00 p.m., as we explore this important issue within our denomination and country. A brief 30-minute discussion will follow the 90-minute film. Masks are required to attend.

Connections Shelter Week November 22nd - 28th

Volunteer to share your blessings with our neighbors at the shelter. There are needs for evening meal serving, providing food for dinner, morning greeters and monetary donations for supplies for our week. Signing up is done using electronic links seen here:
Meals: <https://tinyurl.com/5jyc447r>
Morning greeters: <https://tinyurl.com/2w43dnwf2>
Donations can be mailed or dropped off at the church office marked "Connections Supplies."
Questions please call Carla Frederick at 507-381-4159 or email at carlafred925@gmail.com

Adult Class with Pastor Michelle

Join Pastor Michelle and others on Wednesday nights at 6:30 p.m. via zoom for a class called "Embodied: Scriptural and Theological Perspectives on the Bodies of Humans and of the Earth." Sign up by contacting Pastor Michelle at Michelle@MankatoCentenary.org or Join the Zoom Meeting at <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85914353655>
Meeting ID: 859 1435 3655
Or call: (312) 626-6799, 85914353655#

Sunday Faith Formation returns this morning! Kids pre-K through 6th grade will be invited to join us each Sunday morning for Faith Formation. Kids will be excused from the sanctuary after Children's Time and will meet until about 10:45 a.m. for activities, songs, Bible stories and so much more! Email Lydia, Lydia@MankatoCentenary.org with questions.

Order of Service

Ask an usher for assistance with hearing devices and large print bulletins.

Prelude

Kristy Gilberts

Welcome & Announcements

Handbell Processional

Prayers of the People & Dedication of Memorial Gifts

Opening Song

Pedal Point

by Hal H. Hopson

Children's Time

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.

Unison Prayer

O God, for generations we have heard the stories of your presence among us. For thousands of years we, your people, have told of your wonderful deeds and your great love. And yet, O God, we forget. We forget in the bustle of our lives that you created us. We forget in our desire to be secure that you are the one who calls us. We forget in our anxiety that you are the one who always loves us. Forgive us our forgetfulness, O God, and remind us of what we have been told and long to hear again. Help us to remember, and to tell our story of you, to those who come after us. Amen.

Generosity Moment

Special Music

Come Alive (Dry Bones)

by Farren and Daigle

A Reading From Psalm 71:1-9, 17-21

Sermon

A Future With Hope

Rev. Michelle Hargrave

Special Music

For All The Saints

Arr. Lindberg

Communion

Lighting of All Saints Candles



Order of Service *(continued)*

Closing Hymn	I Was There to Hear Your Borneing Cry	<i>by John Ylvisaker</i>
Benediction		
Postlude & Congregational Candle Lighting	I Am A Pilgrim	<i>Traditional</i>

More Information

See A Detailed Calendar

We always have a variety of things happening, for all ages.

[www.MankatoCentenary.org/
events](http://www.MankatoCentenary.org/events)

Service Video Archive

We have services archived on our website.

[www.MankatoCentenary.org/
watch](http://www.MankatoCentenary.org/watch)

Email Newsletter Signup

Our email newsletter is sent out once a week on Fridays. Sign up!

www.MankatoCentenary.org

Kid & Youth Involvement

Get your children involved with Centenary. To be notified of happenings, email Lydia.

Lydia@MankatoCentenary.org

Donate Online

Your gifts make ministry possible.

You can support Centenary's ministry through our webpage.

www.MankatoCentenary.org

Connect With Pastor

If you have a pastoral care concern or are interested in joining Centenary, contact Pastor Michelle.

Michelle@MankatoCentenary.org

Serving in Worship

Lead Pastor.....	Rev. Michelle Hargrave
Director of Children, Youth, & Family Ministries.....	Lydia Jagodzinski
Liturgist	Brenda Allen
Worship Tech Coordinator.....	Eric Koser
Tech Booth	Pawel Buda
Music Coordinator.....	Doug Faust
Grace and Power Handbell Choir Director.....	Martha Lindberg
Musicians	Lisa Christman, Kristy Gilberts, Shirley Miller
Friends & Family Band.....	Nate Beran, Mark Braun, Kelly Coyle, Doug Faust, Lori Faust, Pam Soper, Craig Timmerman
Greeters.....	Marlys Sturm
Ushers	Brian Frederick
Servers	Carla Frederick, Mike Laven, Amy Willette