



MANCHESTER CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

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Welcome to Manchester Church of the Nazarene! We are delighted to have you with us today, as we seek to worship God, pray for one another and our world, and listen intently to whatever the Holy Spirit might say to us. Relax! Consider yourself among friends!

Sunday, October 6, 2019

Call to Worship and Welcome

Praise Through Singing

Prayer & Response

Announcements

Worship Through Giving

Children Dismissed to Children's Church

God's Word for Today

Romans 12:1&2

Response & Blessing

This Week

Today

Sunday School	9:30 AM
Coffee & Conversation	10:30 AM
Morning Worship	10:45 AM
Prayer @ Salvation Army	6:00 PM

Monday

Women's Bible Study	6:45 PM
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Wednesday

MCN Student Ministries	6:30 PM
Prayer Meeting	7:00 PM

Thursday

Celebrate Recovery	6:00 PM
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(Please see **Weekly Meetings**
for specific information.)

Saturday

CR Step Studies	9:00 AM
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Looking Ahead

Oct 6	Community Prayer @ Salvation Army
Oct 15	MCN Board Meeting
Oct 18-20	Men's Retreat
Oct 24	CR 4-Year Celebration
Oct 25	Teen Corn Maze
Oct 29	CCS Board Meeting
Nov 2	Men's Prayer Breakfast
Nov 6	Weds. With The Wise
Nov 12	MCN Board Meeting
Dec 4	Weds. With The Wise
Dec 7	Advent Banquet

Weekly Meetings

MCN Student Ministries—Wednesday Nights!

MCN Student Ministries meets every **Wednesday night at 6:30pm!** All students in grades 7-12 are invited to join us to hang out, play games, and grow in our relationship to Jesus! For more info speak to Pastor Garry or contact the church office at (860)646-8599.

Celebrate Recovery—Thursday Nights!

Find a safe place to share your struggles and to experience spiritual growth in the McLain building (lower level) 236 Main Street!

6:00 pm Supper

7:00 pm **Testimony Meeting—Guest!**

8:00 pm Open Share Groups

Please sign up for **Step Studies** with Dave in the foyer (**STILL OPEN!**) or contact him at profdave8@cox.net or (860)432-8251

MANCHESTER CELEBRATE RECOVERY

FOUR-YEAR CELEBRATION OF THE WORK OF GOD AMONG US!

Thursday, October 24 6-9 PM @ 236 Main St.

- Fellowship
- Food
- Worship
- Asst. State Rep. Randy Tapp
- Hosanna Poetry (by CD)
- Rick Warren (by CD)

COME SEE WHAT'S HAPPENING!

Activity Highlights

Pre-Teen Activity: Grades 4-6—TODAY!

What to bring: Pack a bag lunch, warm clothes and comfortable shoes.

Activity: Eat the lunch you bring (drink provided); Hayride; Short hike. Leaving the church after the morning worship service.

Parents: Pick-up your pre-teen at 98 Country Club Rd. Bolton, CT at 3:30pm

Contact: Bob & Phyllis Cornell (860) 878-8642

4 Week Women's Study starting TOMORROW!—Living Life Together

Our MCN Women's Ministry is sponsoring a 4 week video driven series starting tomorrow, **Monday, October 7th at 6:45pm** in the Fellowship Hall. The series is called "Living Life Together" by Shauna Niequist. There will be no homework involved... you will show up, watch a brief video, then have time for discussion and prayer. We will meet on the following dates:

- **Monday, October 7th - True Rest**
- **Monday, October 14th - Drenched in Grace**
- **Monday October 21st - Connected**
- **Monday, October 28th - Living Life Together**



You are welcome to join us for each Monday night or even just for one night if that is all your schedule permits.

Flashlight Corn Maze—Friday, October 25 at 6:30 pm

All students from grades 7-12 are invited to join us **Friday night, Oct. 25** at Foster Family Farm at 90 Foster STREET (not road) in South Windsor for their "Flashlight Corn Mazes." Drop off at the farm is at 6:30-6:45pm and Pick-up is at 9:00pm. The cost is \$10 per person. If you have any questions speak to Pastor Garry or contact the church office.

Announcements

Waddell Elementary "Snacks Pantry"

We are looking for donations to supply the Waddell Elementary "Snacks Pantry." Individually wrapped granola bars, animal crackers, pretzels, or fruit snacks are excellent choices (nothing with peanuts, please!!). You can bring in donations on Sunday mornings or anytime during the week and leave them in the church office. Thank you!

Hand Bell Ensemble—Practice begins October 27

We would like to have another hand bell special during the Christmas Season. If you would be interested in being part of this ensemble, please contact Tonia Light or note your interest in the Black Communication Pad. **Practices will begin on October 27.**

Ministry Available!!—Sound and Media

We are currently in need of workers in our SOUND and MEDIA ministries. Training and support are provided. If you would like to gain further information about these service opportunities, contact Tonia Light at tonia.light@mcnaz.com, 860-646-8599, or note your interest in the Black Communication Pads.

These are the days of Children's Church!

Parents—Each year we work hard to help every child find a place of service within our Children's Christmas presentation. Some kids work behind the scenes, others are on stage. But YOU need to know that the time when those plans are being made is now! Yes, it seems early, but practice takes time, and you can only practice once you have a plan. And the plan is being formed right now.

Simply, now is not the time for your kids to miss children's church!

Now is when parts are being assigned and plans are being made. If your child decides they want to have a part in the musical, they have to be a part of the practices. It is too difficult to join at the last minute and the parts will have been assigned by then. So parents – if your child has friends you have been meaning to invite – do it now, not later. Later will be too late. And if your child wants a part in the musical, talk about it now. December 15 will be here before you know it!



Mission Corner

Thank you all for your recent support for buildings through the Alabaster Offering. By the way—if you forgot last week—it is not too late to give. Just earmark your offering for Alabaster. Here is a call to prayer for our missions outreach around the world: there are **7035 people groups** in the world identified as unreached. This means there are no mature believers with adequate resources to evangelize their population. Pray we continue to go to these places to share Christ.

Weekly Giving		
	Offerings	Missions
Received	\$10,932	\$867
Needed	\$9,050	\$545
Received YTD	\$251,172	\$15,351
Needed YTD	\$235,300	\$14,170
+ or (-)	\$15,872	\$1,181

Debt Reduction Goal: \$300,000	
Last Week	\$720
Total	\$262,050
Interest Saved	\$41,689

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