



## **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 – NOVEMBER 19, 2023**

Call to Worship and Welcome  
Children Dismissed To Children's Church

Worship Through Singing & Scripture

Prayer & Response

Announcements

Worship Through Giving

God's Word for Today  
Rev. Dan Whitney

Response & Blessing

## THIS WEEK

### TODAY

Sunday School	9:30 AM
Prayer in Sanctuary	10:00 AM
Morning Worship	10:45 AM
NED NYI Zone Huddle	3:45 PM

### Thursday

### THANKSGIVING

Celebrate Recovery	6:00 PM
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### Saturday

CR Men's Step Study	8:00 AM
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## LOOKING AHEAD

<b>Nov 25</b>	Augustine Bridal Shower
<b>Nov 26</b>	Hanging of The Greens
<b>Nov 29</b>	Teens - "Friendsgiving"
<b>Dec 2</b>	Advent Banquet
<b>Dec 3</b>	Faith Promise
<b>Dec 3</b>	Community Prayer
<b>Dec 9</b>	Teens - Nomads Adv.
<b>Dec 12</b>	MCN Board Meeting
<b>Dec 20</b>	Teens - Christmas Party

## WEEKLY ACTIVITIES



### Wednesday Nights!

MCN Student Ministries meets most **Wednesday nights at 6:30PM**. All students in grades 6-12 are invited to join us to hang out, play games, and grow in our relationship with Jesus! For more info: connect with Pastor Chima or the church office at (860)646-8599.

## Celebrate Recovery

### Thursday Nights!

Come Celebrate YOUR Recovery and spiritual growth. Celebrate Recovery is a discipleship program for holiness and healing through confidential groups and the Christ-centered 12-Step framework. We meet every Thursday night from 7-9PM at 218 Main St, Manchester. It is a place where you can experience real growth - encouragement without condemnation.

7:00 pm **Teaching Meeting:**

**Gratitude with Jonny Baker!**

8:00 pm Women's or Men's Open

For more information, call/email (860) 432-8251 or [profdave8@cox.net](mailto:profdave8@cox.net)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **Bridal Shower for Emma Augustine—Saturday, Nov. 25 11AM-1PM**

Don't miss this delightful time of fellowship, food, and the chance to reconnect with or get to know our own sweet Emma. Gifts are not necessary, but if you would like to support Emma and Dylan Cook, they are registered at Amazon.com. Additionally you may bring a favorite recipe to include in a book that Cindy is compiling for them.

### **“Hanging of the Greens” Decorating—Sunday, November 26**

Come celebrate Advent and Christmas with us! Help decorate our church sanctuary and foyer on Sunday, November 26, right after the service. We'll order some pizzas for lunch. All are welcome! We look forward to seeing you there!

### **Advent Banquet—Saturday, December 2**

You are cordially invited to our annual Advent Banquet on December 2nd starting at 5:30 PM. Join us for a night of delightful fellowship, delicious food, and joyful celebration as we embark on the Advent season together. The church will provide the protein and beverages. Please sign up in the lobby to bring sides and desserts.



### **Faith Promise—Sunday, December 3**

Faith Promise Sunday is coming up in a few short weeks. Faith Promise is our way of raising funds to support the spread of the Gospel around the world. This year we welcome **Linda Russell**, a global missionary for the Church of the Nazarene in **Moscow, Russia**. She has served in Moscow since 1995. Come and learn about how our Faith Promise dollars have a lasting impact on communities around the globe.

### **Caring Families—Donations Needed**

Caring Families provides pregnancy testing, ultrasounds, and education on options beyond abortion to women and men in Connecticut. See the display in the foyer for more info on how you can donate items they need to continue their ministry effectively, help mothers, and encourage mothers to be!

# SERMON NOTES

Weekly Giving		
	Tithes & Offerings	Faith Promise
Received	\$12,429	\$641
Needed	\$7,500	\$450
Received YTD	\$224,822	\$12,266
Needed YTD	\$240,000	\$14,400
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