



MANHATTAN CHURCH OF CHRIST

January 1, 2023

WORSHIP & FELLOWSHIP

Senior Minister & Elder Dr. Thomas L. Robinson

11.30a – Worship, Sanctuary & Online
Happy New Year!
Sermon – Dr. Thomas L. Robinson
Don't Be Afraid
Matthew 6:25-34, Luke 12:22-34

- MCOCC Corporation meeting, Sanctuary
Led by Dr. Thomas L. Robinson
- Fellowship, Sanctuary

SPANISH MINISTRY

Spanish Minister & Elder

	Angel Reyes
Sunday 10.30a – Worship, Library	Angel Reyes
Monday 7.00p – Small Group, Zoom	Miguel Cañizares
Saturday 9.00a – Women's Prayer Group Library (alternate weeks)	Elsa Cañizares

MINISTRY & MEETINGS

Meetings held online unless otherwise noted

Sunday 9.30a	– Adult Class – Advent Study – meets at MCOCC	Led by Dr. Thomas Robinson
Sunday 12.00p	– Young Adult Ministry – <i>Orbit</i> (brunch, 2 nd Sunday each month)	Jason Isbell
Sunday 12.30p	– Faith, Race, Gender & Justice – meets at MCOCC (3 rd Sunday)	Carl Garrison
Monday 12.00p	– Book Discussion – <i>The Call to Discernment</i> , book by Dean Brackley	Matt Henegar
Tuesday 6.30p	– Bible Study – <i>Tuesday Word & Worship</i>	Dr. Thomas Robinson
Tuesday 6.30p	– Small Group Fellowship – Rolling NYC locations (alternate weeks)	Stephen Cahnmann
Tuesday 7.00p	– Small Group Fellowship – Fashion, Arts & Media – midtown (alternate weeks)	Leadership Team
Wednesday 6.00p	– Bible Study – Café Wednesday meets at MCOCC – <i>Gospel of Matthew</i>	Leadership Team
Wednesday 8.30p	– Teen Ministry – <i>Dwell</i>	Jason Isbell
Thursday 6.30p	– Scripture Meditation – <i>Christian Mindfulness</i>	Spencer Wan
Saturday 9.00a	– Women's Prayer Hour	Denise Cherenfant
Saturday 10.00a	– Community of Hope – Volunteers serve a hot lunch at MCOCC	Carl Garrison

WE SEEK TO WORSHIP AND GLORIFY GOD,
TO PROCLAIM THE MESSAGE OF JESUS CHRIST,
TO STUDY AND FOLLOW THE BIBLE,
TO CREATE A LOVING, DIVERSE COMMUNITY,
TO SERVE PEOPLE IN NEED.

CALENDAR

2023 Jan 1 *Happy New Year* – Worship at MCOC, 11.30a
Jan 1 MCOC Corporation meeting, 12p (see Announcements)
Jan 2-6 NO Meetings Monday-Friday, schedule resumes Jan 9
Jan 8 *Orbit* – Brunch for high school grads & college students
Jan 10 NEW! Study – *Tuesday Word & Worship* (see Announcements)
Jan 10 Small Group; Fashion, Arts & Media
Jan 15 Faith, Race, Gender & Justice
Jan 16 Community of Hope – Luncheon & National Day of Service
Jan 17 Small Group, Rolling City
Jan 27-29 Women’s Retreat (see Announcements)
Retreat 2023 Save the date for the weekend of Sep 8-10

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

1 Jed A
1 Kellen C
4 Linabella G

PRAYER

† Happy New Year: Blessings for a bright new year with God’s favor and without pandemics, war, and discord
† The Burton family as they care for Alva’s brother Alvin who is living with them since moving from NC
† Justina Rodriguez, a longtime member, prayer for her health, home, and order of protection
† Health: For those in our church family amidst testing and treatment, their medical care, medical team, and healing

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Grace-Upon-Grace: Our annual ministry provides Christmas gifts for our Community of Hope (COH). Thanks to all who responded to the need for warm clothes, donations to the Free Store, and the many volunteers who serve our COH

New Year: There are no meetings this week Monday to Friday, January 2-6. The weekly schedule resumes January 9. Enjoy the glow of Christmas and ringing in the New Year

MCOC Corporation: On January 1 immediately after worship we hold a brief annual meeting required by NY State law

Farewell: The Swann Family is moving to Colorado in January 2023 where Kyle will be the new Worship Minister at the Littleton Church of Christ near Denver. Kyle and wife Alexandra met at MCOC, were married in our Sanctuary, and grew to a family of four with Violet (age 7) and Rowan (age 4). They will be missed by the MCOC family and proud grandparents Sonja and Tom Robinson. Their last Sunday with MCOC is January 1

Sunday Schedule: On January 8 the schedule returns to 9.30a to continue the Advent Study, and worship is 10.30a

NEW! Study: *Tuesday Word & Word* begins a new topic on January 10. Together the group will read and discussion the book *Christ Plays in 10,000 Places* by Eugene Peterson. Meets online, Tuesdays at 6:30p. Led by Dr. Thomas Robinson

Women’s Retreat 2023, January 27-29: A time together for fellowship, reflection, Bible study, discussion. As we make plans with Warwick Retreat Center and set up transportation, let us know your interest by taking the online survey

Worship through Giving: Your offerings are very important for our church family and ministries. Giving options include our website, e-banking, or mail a check to the church