



MANHATTAN CHURCH OF CHRIST

March 5, 2023

WORSHIP & FELLOWSHIP

- Senior Minister & Elder Dr. Thomas L. Robinson
- 10.30a – Worship, Sanctuary & Online
 Sermon Series – *Meeting God in Everyday Life*
 Sermon, week 6 – Dr. Thomas Robinson
The Paradox of Temple & Kingdom
 2 Samuel 7:1-29
- 11.30a – Youth Church, Chapel (basement) & 3rd Floor
 Led by Jason Isbell
- 12.00p – 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 Elsa Cañizares
 Library (alternate weeks)

MINISTRY & MEETINGS

Meetings held weekly and online unless otherwise noted

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| Sunday 9.30a | – Bible Study – <i>How We Read the Bible</i> – meets at MCOC | 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 MCOC (3 rd Sunday) | Carl Garrison and Jason Isbell |
| Monday 12.00p | – Book Discussion – <i>Low Anthropology</i> , book by David Zahl | Matt Henegar |
| Tuesday 6.30p | – Bible Study – <i>Tuesday Word & Worship: Christ Plays in 10,000 Places</i> | Dr. Thomas Robinson |
| Tuesday 6.30p | – Small Group Fellowship – Rolling NYC locations (alternate weeks) | Emily Cahnmann |
| Tuesday 7.00p | – Small Group Fellowship – Fashion, Arts & Media – midtown (alternate weeks) | Leadership Team |
| Wednesday 6.00p | – Bible Study – Café Wednesday meets at MCOC – <i>Gospel of Matthew</i> | Leadership Team |
| Wednesday 7.00p | – Care & Prayer (3 rd Wednesday) | Leadership Team |
| Thursday 6.30p | – Scripture Meditation – <i>Christian Mindfulness</i> | Spencer Wan |
| Friday 6.00p | – Divorce Care – meets at MCOC | Dr. Mary Joseph, co-leader Luis Gonzalez |
| Saturday 9.00a | – Women’s Prayer Hour | Denise Cherenfant |
| Saturday 10.00a | – Community of Hope – Volunteers serve a hot lunch at MCOC | 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

- Mar 5 Fellowship Luncheon & Chorus rehearsal (see Announcements)
Mar 7 Small Group, Rolling City (see Announcements)
Mar 7 Small Group; Fashion, Arts & Media (see Announcements)
Mar 12 *Orbit* – Brunch for high school grads & college students
Mar 15 Care & Prayer
Mar 19 Faith, Race, Gender & Justice
Apr 2 Palm Sunday, marks the beginning of Holy Week
Apr 6 Passover Seder & Last Supper Celebration
Apr 7 Good Friday Worship, 6:30 p.m.
Apr 9 Easter Sunday
Retreat 2023 Save the date for the weekend of Sep 8-10

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

- 6 Bonnie B
11 Camilla G
11 JeinDelMar G

PRAYER

- † Elsa Lozano's Family: Her sister Aida is beginning chemotherapy; pray for her mother Virginia's health and well being
† Burton Family: Dennis is recovering from a knee injury; Alva's brother Alvin, pray for his health and well being
† Camila (age 3) is recovering well from kidney surgery and is undergoing a weekly follow up treatment
† Justina Rodriguez is slowly recovering from heart surgery and was transferred back to the hospital for monitoring
† Health: Danielle, Denise, Lynette, Melanie H, Melanie M, Myriam, Phyllis, Qin, and Joanna's father Jim

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday, March 5: After a looong pause due to Covid, we are happy to announce the return of our Fellowship Luncheon immediately after service (4th floor). Afterwards, rehearsals begin for MCOC's Easter Chorus. Contact Emily Cahnmann

Easter Season: Holy Week is April 2-9. Palm Sunday marks the beginning of Jesus's last week of ministry. We will share a Passover Seder meal together (4th floor), commemorate Good Friday, and celebrate anew on Easter Sunday

Bible Study: *How We Read the Bible*. As we read, study, and follow the Bible, there are challenging questions that often are not discussed or the questions even asked. This class is a safe place to do just that. Various topics will be considered and explored. Possible topics: Science and faith, inclusion and exclusion, the uses of violence, the Law and the Gospel, slavery and exploitation, racial and ethnic identity and inclusion, kingship empire and government, patriarchy and women, the meaning and importance of human life, marriage and divorce, and issues of LGBTQ identity and inclusion. We want everyone to grow spiritually and for the spiritual gifts of everyone to be fully developed. All are invited and welcomed; meets Sundays 9:30a, 4th floor. Led by Dr. Thomas Robinson

Rolling City Small Group: Tuesday, March 7, 6.30p. "RCSG," a Bible study and fellowship group, meets alternate Tuesdays. Thanks to the Cahnmanns for hosting this week's gathering (Midtown West). Contact Emily Cahnmann

Small Group: Fashion, Arts & Media: Tuesday, March 7, 7.00p. This Bible discussion and fellowship group meets alternate Tuesdays at the Francois-Pijuan's building in midtown. Contact the Church Office/Nancy

Orbit: March 12, This is a monthly brunch for high school grads and college students. Join Jason Isbell after church the second Sunday of each month then head to a nearby restaurant

Worship through Giving: Thank you for remembering our many ministries when making plans for giving. Donations may be made through our website, e-banking, or mail a check to the church