



Join us for snacks and coffee across from the sanctuary following the worship service. Thank you to Wanda Cantrell for hosting.

SERMONS ONLINE



Going to miss church next week? Wish you could remember the important points in last week's message? Know someone who needs to hear this week's message? You can find sermons at mansfield1st.com/sermons

Find us online at mansfield1st.com



Operation Christmas Child

Boxes are available today for pick-up in the hall outside the church office. Please take only ONE PLASTIC BOX, and as many cardboard boxes as you want. Sign up to let us know how many boxes you are taking. Follow packing instructions found in the "How to Pack a Shoebox" pamphlet.

Pay particular attention to the "what not to pack" instructions.

Remember to enclose one check made out to Mansfield 1st EPC and place it inside your shoebox. Your check should cover a \$9 fee for each box you pack.

Return your box to the church no later than Sunday, Nov. 4. Place them in the clothes baskets under the table in the hall outside the church office.

PRAY FOR THE RECIPIENT OF YOUR BOX. Happy Shopping!!



We are providing "cereal" for Harmony House in November. "Cereal Sundays" will be November 11th and 18th. Please contribute to this worthy



Kids age 3-5th grade are invited to participate in Kids Own Worship following the Children's Message in the 10 am

This Week at Mansfield 1st

Sunday, October 14
10 am
Worship Service

Thursday, October 18
9:30 am
Mansfield 1st Prayer Meeting



Mansfield 1st EPC
Love. Grow. Serve.



"A Fools Wisdom"
1 Cor. 2:6-8

October 14, 2018

OFFICE HOURS are as follows:
M-W-F from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm

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Order of Worship

October 14, 2018

Announcements

Moment for Mission—Discipleship Team

***Greet One Another with the Peace of Christ**

Call To Worship (Psalm 24:7-10)

Leader: Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.

People: Who is this King of glory? The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD, mighty in battle!

Leader: Lift up your heads, O gates! And lift them up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.

People: Who is this King of glory? The LORD of hosts, he is the King of glory!

***Hymn of Praise:**

#375 Jesus Shall Reign

Prayer of Confession & Assurance of Pardon

7 But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin. 8 If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. 9 If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." (1John 1:7-9)

***Hymn of Praise:**

#548 As the Deer

Tithes, Offerings, Offertory, and Prayer Requests

***Song of Response #815 Doxology**

Children's Message

Children are dismissed for Kids' Own Worship

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 2:6-8

Sermon: "A Fools Wisdom"

Song of Response:

#539 My Faith Looks Up to Thee

Prayers of God's People (Hebrews 4:14-16)

14 Since then we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession. 15 For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who in every respect has been tempted as we are, yet without sin. 16 Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need."

Lord's Prayer:

Our Father who is in heaven, holy is Your Name. Your kingdom come, Your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one. For thine is the Kingdom and the Power and the Glory forever. Amen!

Please come forward if you would like to receive prayer.

***Closing Hymn:**

#444 I Love to Tell the Story

Benediction

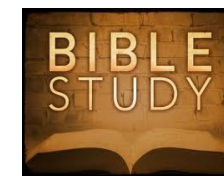
Postlude

Please stand if possible

Announcements!

WE WANT TO PRAY FOR YOU

If you have an immediate prayer need and would like prayer during service today, please fill out the pew card and place it in the offering plate. Prayer requests will be read and prayers will be after the sermon. Be as thorough as possible so we can most effectively pray for you, and/or get back with you if more information is needed.



ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Class with Dan Davis

Romans: Becoming New in Christ

(Class is held in the Westminster Room-lower level of church)



Session minutes are available in the Narthex following their approval.



ALL GOD'S CHILDREN: Mission and Outreach needs volunteers! All God's Children Hunger Ministry will take place on Oct. 23. Two teams are needed: Cook Team (4-5 people) and Serve team (4-6 people). Cooking begins at 3:30 pm and we will leave from Mansfield 1st at 5 pm. Servers may meet us at First Methodist on the square by 5:15 pm. PLEASE SIGN UP!



Once again our Fall Rummage Sale was a huge success as we cleared \$2,755.00. The Women in Ministry would like to thank all who helped in this endeavor. We're now ready to start filling our shelves again with