



# Community of Christ

**Bethel Congregation**  
**Midlands Mission Center**  
**Welcoming the online community**  
Kansas City, KS  
January 10, 2021 10:30AM CDT

## Wind Upon the Waters

**Presiding** Elder Kristine Shipley  
**Announcements**  
**Welcome**

**Gathering Hymn** “All Creatures of Our God and King” **CCS #98**

**Invitation to Worship** **Psalm 29:1-4** adapted  
Readers: Kyle Joyce, Joseph Rainey

Reader 1: Ascribe to the Lord,  
Reader 2: O heavenly beings,  
Reader 1: ascribe to the Lord  
Reader 2: glory and strength.  
Reader 1: Ascribe to the Lord  
Reader 2: the glory of God’s name;  
Reader 1: worship the Lord  
Reader 2: in holy splendor.  
Reader 1: The voice of the Lord  
Reader 2: is over the waters;  
Reader 1: the God of glory  
Reader 2: thunders;  
Reader 1: the Lord,  
Reader 2: over mighty waters.  
Reader 1: The voice of the Lord  
Reader 2: is powerful;  
Reader 1: the voice of the Lord  
Reader 2: is full of majesty.

**Hymn** “God Turned the Spirit Loose in Wind” **CCS #484**  
**Invocation** **Stan Troeh**

**Prayer for Peace** **Mikal Shedd**

**Scripture Reading** **Genesis 1:1-4** adapted

In the beginning when God began to create heaven and earth:  
the earth: a formless void  
darkness covered the face of the deep  
a wind from God swept over the face of the waters.  
God said, ‘Let there be light’; there was light.  
God saw that light was good;  
God separated light from darkness.  
God called light Day, darkness Night.  
There was evening, there was morning:  
the first day.

**Hymn** “Wind Upon the Waters” **CCS #49**

**Sermon** **Elder Rob de Zwart**

**Disciples’ Generous Response**

**Hymn** “Mighty God Who Called Creation” **CCS #641**

**Closing Prayer** **Joetta Klee**

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Pastor: Kristine Shipley  
Financial Officer: Bill Corrison  
Host: David Troeh

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## Announcements

- Our website, including weekly bulletin and Zoom links <http://bethel.forthrightsteams.com/>
- Permission to podcast/stream the music and text in this service obtained from One License with license A-727171.
- **Tuesday 1/12 7pm Together Tuesday**
- **Sunday, 1/17, 10:30 AM**  
**Here I Am!** speaking: **High Priest Stan Troeh**
- **Coming on Sunday, 1/24, we need 5 disciples** to read a scripture and share a testimony on "**How do you perceive God is calling you today?**" If willing, see next column.
- International Headquarters [Covid-19](#)
- Give through [eTithing](https://www.cofchrist.org/give) (https://www.cofchrist.org/give)  
Optionally, search for Bethel KS
- Video about using [eTithing](https://youtu.be/vOaogMcekbw) (https://youtu.be/vOaogMcekbw)

**Lectionary:** 3-year cycle engaging significant portions of our scripture  
This week, Jan. 10, 2021 [Wind Upon the Waters](#)

**GENESIS 1:1-5/3-8 IV** Psalm 29  
Mark 1:4-11 Acts 19:1-7  
Doctrine and Covenants 150:7, 164:3, 4c

Next week, Jan. 17, 2021 [Here I Am!](#)

**1 SAMUEL 3:1-20** Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18  
John 1:43-51 1 Corinthians 6:12-20  
Doctrine and Covenants 164:5

## Scripture choices for Bethel Worship Service January 24, 2021

Thank you for offering to be part of this worship service and offering your testimony. At the service, please read the scripture and then give us a brief thought of how God is calling you today. Please choose one scripture from one of the sections and let me know which scripture you have chosen. Only one person will read from each section. Pick your scripture and then contact me so there won't be duplicate readings. Altogether, there will be 5 scriptures and 5 testimonies. Thank you again.

Mark 1:14-20	1 Thessalonians 5:24
Mark 2: 14	2 Thessalonians 2:14
Matthew 4:18-22	Romans 8:28
Luke 5:1-11	1 Peter 1:15-16
Luke 9:23	1 Peter 2:21
Luke 9:57-60	1 Peter 3:9
Luke 14:25-27	2 Timothy 1:9
John 1:35-51	Ephesians 4:4
John 18:12	1 Corinthians 1:9
John 12:26	Amos 7:14-15
John 15:16	Isaiah 6:8
John 21:22	Jonah 3:1-4

**How do you perceive God is calling you today?**

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# Take Note

## SUMMER 2021

- Doniphan Reunion • June 11 – 15
- Middle School Camp • June 20 – 25
- Senior High Camp • June 20 – 25
- Junior Camp • June 27 – July 1
- Chihowa Reunion • July 11 – 16
- Youth Quest • July 22 – 24
- Spectacular • July 24 – 31



## JOB OPENINGS

**Social Media Specialist** (Part-time, approx. 20 hr/month)  
Posted 11 November April 2020 / Open until filled

**Youth Minister** (Part-time, approx. 20 hr/month)  
Posted 28 April 2020 / Open until filled

**Young Adult Minister** (Part-time, approx. 20 hr/month)  
Posted 28 April 2020 / Open until filled

Email letter of interest, resume, qualifications, and references to [Khnatyshyn@cofchrist.org](mailto:Khnatyshyn@cofchrist.org) or [allen.keehler@midlandsmc.org](mailto:allen.keehler@midlandsmc.org); or mail documents to: Midlands USA Mission Center  
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## COVID-19 UPDATES

World Church buildings and historic sites remain closed. Congregations can work with mission center leadership and field support ministers to decide when and how to reopen.

## CAMPGROUNDS

Chihowa and Doniphan have been hit hard by the pandemic and remain closed resulting in immense income loss. Please consider contributing to help support these worthwhile ministries. <https://bit.ly/donatemmc>.

Chihowa is looking for someone with **plumbing knowledge** to help trace underground lines and identify areas of improvement. We have some leaks and may need to replace and upgrade the systems. Please contact Board President Aaron Laughlin 816.454.2607

## AROUND THE MISSION CENTER

Mission: Learn – Saturday, March 27  
MMC Spring Conference – Sunday, March 28



## Online Classes: Beginning Jan 9

- Introduction to Priesthood Ministry (Temple School MP300) 8 weeks
- Ministry of the Deacon (Temple School MP302) 6 weeks
- Ministry of the High Priest (Temple School MP307) 8 weeks  
*Instructor David Anderson, Pres. Quorum of High Priests*
- Introduction to Pastor Ministry – 6 weeks
- NEW Generational Overview (mini-class) 3 weeks, \$18

\$25 registration begins December 14. To register, please visit [www.developmetrics.org](http://www.developmetrics.org) and click on “USA Registration”.

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## Midlands Weekly Worship Services

Bethel – 10:30 am Sunday – Meeting ID: 204 886 967 Password: 8510

Lenexa – 11:00 am Sunday – <https://zoom.us/j/326620236>

Mission Road

9:00 am Sunday: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8855297717>

7:00 pm Wednesday: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8855297717>

Olathe – 10:00 am Sunday

Subscribe to weekly email for link: [www.olathecofchrist.org](http://www.olathecofchrist.org)

The Highlands – 10:30 am Sunday & 6:30–7:15 pm Wednesday

<https://zoom.us/j/99900587892>

Topeka – 10:45 am Sunday, Join via FB: Topeka CofChrist Ministry Group

Shawnee Drive – 10:30 am Sunday – [www.shawneedrive.org](http://www.shawneedrive.org)

University – 10:00 am Sunday

Contact Jeff Mercer for the link: [jeffdmerc@gmail.com](mailto:jeffdmerc@gmail.com)

Webb Road – 10:00 am Sunday

Contact for the GoogleMeet link: [pastor@webbroadcoc.org](mailto:pastor@webbroadcoc.org)

Join Seventy Dave Hall and Mission Center Invitational Support Minister Craig Hidy for a worship service via **Zoom 7 – 8 pm 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays**. Watch the MMC Facebook page for a link each week!

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