

The Trumpeter



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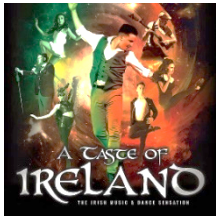
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Mission Statement:

To be of service and enhance the lives of the Manchester Area Seniors and the surrounding communities.



A TASTE OF IRELAND

Musical

Wednesday, October 22, 2025

7:30 p.m.

Potter Center, Jackson

Former World Irish dance champions and featuring dancers from Lord of the Dance and Riverdance, A Taste of Ireland transports the audience through the story of Ireland's tumultuous history delivered with a pint of Irish wit. Watch performers blend melodic folk mash-ups, live jaw-dropping acapella tap battles and heartwarming story telling.

The Manchester Area Senior Citizens, Inc. will provide bus transportation. Seating on the bus is limited. ~ Each person is responsible for paying for their own ticket.

Ticket prices: \$38, \$48, \$58, \$68.

With a group of 10 or more we receive a \$5.00 per ticket discount. You determine which ticket you want, MASCC will make the reservations.

To make a reservation contact: Patti McCabe 734-645-9722 ~ Pattimccabe1@hotmail.com

Reservations and payment MUST BE RECEIVED by July 15, 2025, to ensure availability of seating.

The MASCC Board wishes to thank everyone who attended the new Center Ribbon Cutting Ceremony at the new Senior Community Center. It still has some finishing touches to complete, but it is a magnificent place for gatherings of many types of occasions.

We will be announcing the center hours as we proceed to organize activities and events. Monday night Euchre has been moved to the center.



The 42th Annual Manchester Men's Club

2025 Fireworks & Beer Tent

July 3 at Carr Park.

The rain delay date is July 4th

~ **Fireworks** display will begin after dusk (about 10:15pm) *** Come early and enjoy the park, having a cookout or picnic or using the park game areas. ~ **Beer Tent** opens at 7pm and seating will be available for watching the fireworks. The rock band Blackstone Steel will be playing at the beer tent.

~ **With onsite Food Vendors & ATM**

~ There is **no charge** for the fireworks display, however, the Men's Club will be bringing around buckets for donations or paying ahead of time.

Whatever is collected goes directly to paying for next year's fireworks and depends upon the generosity of visitors.

All Donations go toward next year's Fireworks display. Donations can also be mailed to:

**MANCHESTER MEN'S CLUB,
P.O. Box 171
Manchester, MI 48158**

M.A.S.C.C. Inc, Board

Officers ~ President: Patti McCabe, Vice President: Jacque Steele,

Treasurer: Charlene Provey, Secretary: Betty Cummings Trustees: Mary Jane Luckhardt, Pat Vaillencourt, Mary Vigilanti, Andrea Dowhal, Joyce Sroufe, Dave Tamagne



What's New?

The next MASCC, Inc. Board Meeting is Wednesday, July 9, 2025, at 9:30 am in the Senior Room, 912 City Rd, City Hall Bldg. in lower level. The meeting is an open forum Everyone is welcome to attend and contribute.

Annual Membership Dues

January 1, thru December 31, 2025

Single \$15.00 or Couple \$25.00

Membership forms are available in the office, at Monday Night Euchre and the luncheons and the center. You may also request one online or have it sent by US mail.

Membership Information is for signing up or updating the Mailing / E-mail lists. Please fill out the membership form or send us the following info. even if you have been our lists to confirm we have the right information.

All info. is kept confidential.

Name(s):	City or which Township:
Birthday(s)	Favorite Group Outing
Phone #(s)	Fav. Meal(s): Dine out
Address:	Activity suggestions:

Information can be: Emailed to trumpeter@manchesterareaseniors.com Dues and (updated) information can be Mail to: MASCC, Inc | PO Box 31, Manchester, MI 48158 or brought to our luncheons or Euchre night. Dues help pay for items needed to print and mail the Trumpeter and operate the program. Everyone who works with this program are volunteers but the program does have it's costs. **Dues are GREATLY APPRECIATED!**

For transportation you needs contact

The WAVE. Rides include to and from: medical appointments, luncheons, shopping, etc. To request a ride, contact:

The WAVE at: 734-475-9494

The July Menu is not yet available, however, there will still be Tue / Thu luncheons. The menu will be posted when it becomes available.

Meals contact:

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The deadline for the August Trumpeter articles for, is July 15th 2024

Manchester 2025 Chicken Broil

72nd Year

Saturday, July 19th

From 4:00pm – 7:30pm

Alumni Memorial Field

Corner of Vernon St & Wolverine St

- Char-Broiled Chicken Dinner ~ Cole Slaw, Dinner Roll, Potato Chips, Radishes, Beverage.
- Live Musical Entertainment



Eat-In or Drive-Thru

Tickets are \$13.00 if purchased in advance at these various merchants and offices, and \$15.00 if purchased at the gate on the day of the Chicken Broil. Online tickets are \$15.00.

www.manchesterchickenbroil.org

Bridgewater – Bridgewater Country Market

Chelsea – Chelsea State Bank-North, Chelsea State

Bank-South, Gary's Barber Shop, Manchester

Area – American 1 Credit Union, Chuck's Auto

Repair, Fredonia Grocery, Hidden Lakes RV Resort,

Hungry Wolf Restaurant, Linda's Diner, Manchester

Market, Manchester Ace Hardware, River Raisin

Distillery, United Producers, Wacker's BP

Manchester Downtown – Frank's Place Restaurant,

Keith's Barber Shop, Manchester City Offices,

Marti's Salon, Millie's Coffee House, Old National

Bank, Over the Edge Sports Bar, River Raisin

Antiques and Mercantile, Steelegrafix, Sutton


Agency, Village Tap, Worth Repeating

Napoleon – Napoleon Lawn & Leisure



Brooklyn - Bank Michigan



July
Activities & Events

GOING ALONE  ~ Monday Night Euchre ~ Senior Center | 912 City Rd, Behind City Hall
6:00pm | \$2.00 per person and donations for the senior program are greatly appreciated. Everyone is Welcome!

FREE BINGO  **Free BINGO With prizes**
Sponsored by: MASCC
July 17th ~ 1:00pm
912 City St. | Senior Center | Behind City Hall

Baseball Card Game  
Hosted by:
Jan Steinhauer and Lynn Stewart
Manchester United Methodist Church 501 Ann Arbor St.
Tuesdays and Thursdays *Except 3rd Thursday of the month (Bingo Day)*
1pm after luncheon meals.
Everyone is welcome No experience is necessary.

Free Gazebo Concerts 
Thursdays 7:00pm
Wuster Park, 215 W. Main St
July 3rd ~ no concert
July 10th ~ Rust Belt Revival
July 17th ~ John Lewis and the Rose City Troubadours
July 24 ~ Reaction Shell
July 31 ~ Jean Wilson and Friends
Bring your Family and Friends a comfortable lawn chair or blanket.
Bring a picnic dinner or just enjoy the Music.
Donation for the performances would be appreciated



July Birthdays

2 nd	Ethelyn Rhess	24 th	Lela Watford
7 th	Peggy Allen	26 th	Vickie Garrett
13 th	Tammy Melcher	27 th	Judy Mann
19 th	Bev Varney	28 th	Al Williams
19 th	Karen Mattson	29 th	Virginia Fielder
22 nd	Donna Johnson	31 st	Brenda Maisano

Manchester District Library
912 City Rd. Manchester, MI 48158
July 2025 Events

Thursdays 12:00pm
Tech Help Desk ~ By appointment only

Thu 3rd 6:30 – 7:30pm ~ Free Bingo!
All Ages Welcome Teen Spot

Thurs 3rd ~ 10th ~ 17th ~ 24th ~ 31st 3:30 – 4:30pm ~
Cartooning 101 Upstairs Lounge


Independence Day

Thu 10th / 7 – 8pm ~ Board of Trustees Meeting Council Chambers ~Open to the Public.

Wed 16th / 12n– 2pm ~ Paper Quilling City Rm
~ Turn ordinary strips of paper into extraordinary works of art. Ages 7+, beginner-friendly /

6 - 7pm ~ Adult Book Club / Summer Join in discussions of whatever you're reading this summer and nominate books for next season. Usually meet in the History room. Updates or changes on the [MDL Facebook page](#) a few days before the meeting

Tue 22nd / 2- 4pm ~ Bob Ross Paint-A-Long
"There are no mistakes, only happy accidents. Join us for more advice, and to create a happy little landscape painting of your own! Recommended for ages 7+. **Advance registration is requested.** Sign up at the circulation desk, by phone at (734)428-8045, or using our [online registration form](#).

Thu 24th / 6-7p ~ Ice Cream Workshop
With Chef Keegan Learn about all different types of ice cream, how it's made, and even make some at the same time! Ages 16+ welcome. **Advance registration is requested.** Sign up at the circulation desk, by phone at (734)428-8045, or using our [online registration form](#).

**Bethel United Church of Christ
Annual Ice Cream Social**

Thursday, July 10, 2025.

Serving will begin at 4:30 p.m.

Menu: Sloppy Joes, Hot Dogs, German and American Potato salad, Baked Beans, Macaroni & Cheese

And of course, cake and ice cream.

Please join us and bring your friends.



Executive Director: Carol Wotring

Admin. Volunteer Coordinator:

Melissa Licavoli

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Manchester, MI 48158**

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Food Pantry Hours
Tuesdays 12n - 7pm
Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 9am – 4pm
Closed Friday – Saturday – Sunday

Currently open for phone-in food orders
~ Scheduled grocery pick-up
~ deliveries (now include the city and 4 Townships: Manchester, Sharon, Freedom, Bridgewater), or in person shopping (**by appt only**).



Manchester Farmers Market

**Adrian St Between Main & Adrian
Thursdays now thru October 16th**

**Located: Adrian between Main St & Duncan.
3:00pm–6:00pm**

Great vendors with booths filled with tons of fresh fruits, vegetables, eggs, honey, flowers and baked goods. Products for great self-shopping or gifts for loved ones and friends.



Senior Day

Thursday, July 10th from 3pm-6pm

The goal of this event is to connect local seniors with support & enrichment programs in the community, while enjoying the market! My list includes the Senior Center, CRC, Senior Housing Bureau, and we'll have a second Senior Market Bucks distribution (assuming there are still funds).



Wooden Nickels are Back!



**In partnership with 5 Healthy Towns and the Farmers Market at Adrian St.
Call for more information 734-428-7722**

Wooden Nickels can only be used to purchase:
- Vegetables - Fruits - Herbs - Honey - Eggs
- Produce/Herb Plant Starts, and Seeds

Note: Foods not mentioned above, and non-food items are not eligible for purchase.

- Seniors with mobility or transportation challenges within city limits are eligible for delivery. Please call to arrange this service.

Wooden Nickels are issued by the **CRC** to supplement fresh produce options for food pantry customers. Wooden nickels are nontransferable, and have no cash value. Change is not given for



Memory Café At Bethel

Bethel UCC

10425 Bethel Church Rd Manchester, MI

4th Wednesday of each month 1 to 3 pm

now thru October 22, 2025

A social oppourtunity for people with dementia or memory difficulties and their caregiver (this is not a drop off event, caregivers must stay). There are activities and programs and light refreshments in a low-key safe atmosphere with easy parking access and minimal obstecals.

This is a community activity and everyone is welcome. We ALL wear name tags and make friends and have a good time. The get togethers are Free, thanks to generous sponsors and donations.

For more information: leave a message at the church office 734.429-8530

purchases made with **Wooden Nickels**.