



May 12, 2024

10:00 Worship Service

**Welcome to NEUMC!**

We're glad you're here! Thank You for joining us today!

**Our Mission is to Know Jesus and Make Him Known**

# A SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE

## Seventh Sunday of Easter

**HYMN, 312**

*“Hail the Day that Sees Him Rise”*  
Verses 1-3

Processional

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, For ever and ever. Amen.

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE, 157**

*“Jesus Shall Reign”*  
Verses 1-3

#### CHILDREN’S MOMENT

*“Lamb’s Corner”*

#### OLD AND NEW TESTAMENT READINGS

Psalm 1:1-6  
Acts 1:15-17

#### SONG

*“Sanctuary”*

Sing Twice

Lord prepare me to be a sanctuary  
Pure and holy, tried and true  
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living  
Sanctuary for You

*“Sanctuary”* by John W. Thompson & Randy Scruggs  
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#### SERMON AND INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

Pastor Antoinette

*“The Ways of the World”*  
John 17:6-19

#### CALL FOR OFFERING

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There are 4 ways to give. See back of bulletin.

#### \*DOXOLOGY, 95

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
praise him, all creatures here below;  
praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise  
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

#### HOLY COMMUNION

Wine and grape juice are used for communion. The chalices have wine.  
Grape juice and gluten free bread are available in the center.

## CONFESSION AND PARDON

**Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart.**

**We have failed to be an obedient church.**

**We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy.**

**Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

*All pray in silence.*

Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners, that proves God's love toward us.

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

**In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven! Glory to God. Amen.**

## GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you,

Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you,

Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ.

By the baptism of his suffering, death, and resurrection you gave birth to your church, delivered us from slavery to sin and death, and made with us a new covenant by water and the Spirit.

On the night in which he gave himself up for us he took bread, gave thanks to you, broke the bread, gave it to his disciples, and said: "Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

When the supper was over, he took the cup, gave thanks to you, gave it to his disciples, and said: "Drink from this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, poured out for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

**Christ has died;**

**Christ is risen;**

**Christ will come again.**

By your Spirit make us one with Christ, one with each other, and one in ministry to all the world, until Christ comes in final victory, and we feast at his heavenly banquet.

Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy church, all honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**\*CHARGE**

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*HYMN**

“Living Hope”

Recessional

**Verse 1**

How great the chasm that lay between us  
How high the mountain I could not climb  
In desperation I turned to heaven  
And spoke Your name into the night  
Then through the darkness Your loving-kindness  
Tore through the shadows of my soul  
The work is finished the end is written  
Jesus Christ my living hope

**Verse 2**

Who could imagine so great a mercy  
What heart could fathom such boundless grace  
The God of ages stepped down from glory  
To wear my sin and bear my shame  
The cross has spoken I am forgiven  
The King of kings calls me His own  
Beautiful Savior I'm Yours forever  
Jesus Christ my living hope

**Chorus**

Hallelujah praise the One who set me free  
Hallelujah death has lost its grip on me  
You have broken every chain  
There's salvation in Your name  
Jesus Christ my living hope

**Verse 3**

Then came the morning that sealed the promise  
Your buried body began to breathe  
Out of the silence the Roaring Lion  
Declared the grave has no claim on me  
(REPEAT)  
Jesus Yours is the victory whoa

**Ending**

Jesus Christ my living hope  
Oh God You are my living hope

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\* Please stand as you are able.



We are delighted that you have joined us in worship!  
We hope your experience at NEUMC was enjoyable and encouraging.  
Please join us for *Cookie Time* fellowship following the service.



*.HAPPY.  
Mother's  
Day*

**...DO NOT FORSAKE**  
*your mother's teaching.*

*Bind them*  
**ALWAYS**  
*on your heart...*

*When you walk, they will*  
**GUIDE YOU.**

Proverbs 6:20-22



## UNITED METHODIST MEN

The United Methodist Church

Monday, May 13, 2024

6:30 PM

Logan's Upper Crust Wood Fired Pizza  
843 Polo Road #4, Columbia

All men of the church are invited to join us.



Let's learn and grow together!

# *Sunday* **SCHOOL**

**TIME: 9:00 AM**

**EDUCATION BUILDING**

4000 HARD SCRABBLE ROAD  
COLUMBIA, SC 29223

MORE INFORMATION 803.736.6386



### **Overcomers (Room 212)**

Instructor: Brooks Shealy  
The Parables of Jesus

### **Pairs & Spares (Room 214)**

Instructor: Tammie Sloop  
Joshua: Winning the Worry Battle

### **Iron Sharpens Iron (Room 208)**

Reading & Discussing the New Testament

### **Older Kids & Youth**

Instructors: Heather Cook & Bianca Brazell  
Lessons in the Bible

### **Preschool & Young Kids**

Instructors: Pat Hoesly, Mary Anne Lockard  
& Sharon Shealy

## MINISTRY AND PRAYER NEEDS

- **Debbie Wainwright**, Buck Brazell’s mom. Pray for her health and recovery.
- **Marion Crowell**, Stephen Crowell’s mother, for continued strength and recovery.
- **Teddy Szilagyi**, who is waiting for a heart transplant.
- **Those going through cancer treatment: John Lockard, Lee Chandler, Tracie Glumm, Scott Schuch, Mark Seeley, Courtney Cox-Manser, Julie Smith, Lee Safley, Elizabeth Hebert & Mac Kinnett**
- **The family of Hazel Lockard** for strength and guidance.
- **Mattia Hilmer**, pray for her overall health.
- **Larry Markham & Owen Markham (grandson of Larry & Dianne)**, for continued strength and recovery.
- **Ernst Cousin**, brother of Fred Cousin, for continued strength and recovery.
- **Our military and first responders.**
- **Our missionaries:**
  - Matt & Jenny Williams:** Athletes in Action Cru
  - Steve & Stephanie Bredesen:** Nakalanda, Uganda
  - Ben & Jenny Reyes**

## BLESSING BOX PRAYER REQUESTS

- **Stefka and Antonio**, in the midst of divorce with a 7 year-old child. Better job for food and bills.

## HOMEBOUND AND ELDERLY

We are a family and we encourage anyone who feels led by God to visit those who are sick or homebound. Following are our homebound: Lee Chandler George Eberhardt Sandra Miller Sabra Stewart

## PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

The Prayer Shawl Ministry Team create shawls and other items for you to share with those who need encouragement. When you give a shawl away, you are sharing the love and prayers of NEUMC. The prayer shawls are kept in the Prayer Center if one is needed. Prayer Shawl Ministry Team

## PRAYER REQUEST

*I urge, then, first of all, that petitions, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for all people.*

*1 Timothy 2:1*

Please write your request(s) here and place this card in the offering plate.

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- Pastor Only
- Prayer Chain
- Bulletin
- I would like someone to contact me to pray over a more confidential matter.



Want to receive our emails or update your mailing choices? Please take a moment to fill out this form with your choices. Place the form in the offering plate or turn it in at the Church Office.

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**(NAME)**

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**(EMAIL ADDRESS)**

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**EMAILS**

- Prayer Concerns  
 (these go out as needs arise - several each week)
- General information and appeals from NEUMC  
 (a few each month)
- Sunday Bulletin

**ACOLYTE**

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TODAY	NEXT WEEK
<b>LAY LEADER</b> Stephen Crowell	<b>LAY LEADER</b> Jane Scott
<b>COMMUNION PREPARER</b> Elizabeth Chamblee	<b>COMMUNION PREPARER</b> Dianne Markham
<b>COMMUNION SERVERS</b> Elizabeth Chamblee, Weston Cheatham & Chloe Moss	<b>COMMUNION SERVERS</b> Larry & Danna Griner & Melanie Hafner
<b>SCRIPTURE READER</b> Debbie Hoesly	<b>SCRIPTURE READER</b> Bob Shaffner
<b>DESIGNATED FRIENDS</b> Dianne Markham & Mary Anne Lockard	<b>DESIGNATED FRIENDS</b> Heather Cook & Pat Hoesly
<b>GREETERS</b> Danna Griner & Elizabeth Chamblee	<b>GREETERS</b> Jane DeCristofaro & Chastity Cherubin
<b>PRAYER WARRIOR</b> Gil Johnson	<b>PRAYER WARRIOR</b> Charlie Henry
<b>OFFERING COUNTERS</b> Duane Scott & Dan Christmus	<b>OFFERING COUNTERS</b> Jane DeCristofaro & Charlie Henry

**There are 4 ways to give:**

- (1) as offering is collect
- (2) mail a check to the church
- (3) setup recurring giving online:  
[neumc.com/give](http://neumc.com/give)
- (4) use the QR Code to give online

Scan to Give Online



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**OFFICE HOURS**

8:30 AM - 4:00 PM: MONDAY - FRIDAY





CLASS OF  
**2024**

# GRADUATE SUNDAY

MAY 19, 2024

On Sunday, May 19, we will recognize and celebrate our high school, college, and doctorate graduates. If you have someone graduating from high school or college this year, please send the following information to [northeast@neumc.com](mailto:northeast@neumc.com) no later than Sunday, May 12, 2024:

- Student's full name
- School graduating from
- Plans after graduation (college, major, military, job)
- Achievement (ex. Bachelor of Arts)
- 2-3 photos for a slide presentation

**MAY 16 | 6:00PM**

**LIZARD'S THICKET**

**10170**

**TWO NOTCH ROAD**





Join Pastor Antoinette and other members of our congregation as they lead a morning devotion and prayer beginning on Wednesday, May 22, via conference call. Please encourage friends, family, and others in our community to join this time of devotion and prayer.

**When:** Wednesday, May 22 - Wednesday, November 20

**Time:** 6:00 a.m. (duration 15-20 minutes)

**Dial-in Number:** (605) 313-5873

**Access Code:** 2888884#

Please note, the dial-in number is a conference call line designated for our time of prayer.

"Whether we think of; or speak to, God, whether we act or suffer for him all is prayer, when we have no other object than his love, and the desire of pleasing him. All that a Christian does, even in eating and sleeping, is prayer, when it is done in simplicity, according to the order of God, without either adding to or diminishing from it by his own choice." - John Wesley