



October 29, 2023

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

## Twenty-Second Sunday After Pentecost Reformation Sunday

**HYMN, 117**

*“O God, Our Help in Ages Past”*  
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, 399**

*“Take My Life, and Let It Be”*

#### CHILDREN'S MOMENT

*“Lamb's Corner”*

#### OLD AND NEW TESTAMENT READINGS

Psalm 90:1-6  
1 Thessalonians 2:1-8

#### 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

*“Grateful in Every Situation”*  
Matthew 22:34-46

#### CALL FOR OFFERING

#### OFFERING

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

#### SONG

*“Thank You Lord”*

Thank You, Lord  
Thank You, Lord  
Thank You, Lord  
I just want  
To thank You, Lord

*“Thank You, Lord”* by William Farley Smith  
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#### 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.**

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here, and on these gifts of bread and wine.

Make them be for us the body and blood of Christ, that we may be for the world the body of Christ, redeemed by his blood.

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**

“Me On Your Mind”

Recessional

**Verse 1**

I've read the words in red  
How You leave the ninety-nine  
To find the one missing  
Feels like that was written  
With me on Your mind

**Verse 2**

And the prodigal son who ran  
Leaving his home behind  
The part where the father came  
Running to meet him  
Did You say that with me on Your mind

**Chorus**

Who am I that the king of the world  
Would give one single thought about my broken heart  
Who am I that the God of all grace  
Wipes the tears from my face  
And says come as you are  
You paid the price  
You took the cross  
You gave Your life  
And You did it all  
With me on Your mind

**Tag**

Me on Your mind

**Verse 3**

Just knowing You're mindful of me  
Just knowing You call me Your child  
It's flooding my soul  
With unspeakable hope  
Thank you Lord that it's me on Your mind

**Tag**

It was me on Your mind  
Oh thank You Jesus  
Lord it was me on Your mind

**Verse 4**

I've read the words in red  
Of a heavenly home on high  
You're preparing a place where the sorrow's erased  
And when I stand before You I'll find  
All along it was me on Your mind

**Tag**

With me on Your mind oh  
It was me on Your mind

“Me On Your Mind”

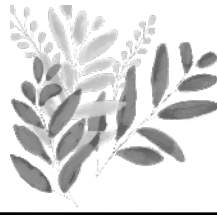
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\* Please stand as you are able.



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.

# Sermon NOTES



## Grateful in Every Situation

Matthew 22:34-46

34 Hearing that Jesus had silenced the Sadducees, the Pharisees got together.

35 One of them, an expert in the law, tested him with this question:

36 “Teacher, which is the greatest commandment in the Law?”

37 Jesus replied: “Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.’

38 This is the first and greatest commandment.

39 And the second is like it: ‘Love your neighbor as yourself.’

40 All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments.”  
Whose Son Is the Messiah?

41 While the Pharisees were gathered together, Jesus asked them,

42 “What do you think about the Messiah? Whose son is he?”  
“The son of David,” they replied.

43 He said to them, “How is it then that David, speaking by the Spirit, calls him ‘Lord’? For he says,

44 “The Lord said to my Lord:  
“Sit at my right hand  
until I put your enemies  
under your feet.””

45 If then David calls him ‘Lord,’ how can he be his son?”

46 No one could say a word in reply, and from that day on no one dared to ask him any more questions.

Lectionary Devotional Readings  
for the week of October 29

Deuteronomy 34:1-12

Psalms 90:1-6, 13-17

1 Thessalonians 2:1-8

Matthew 22:34-46

Did  
you  
know?

Did you know that your employer might  
match your gift to the church?  
Check with your human resources staff!

The United Methodist Men would like to invite all the men of NEUMC to join us for dinner with the Pastor. The dinner and discussion will be held on Monday, November 13, 2023 at 6:30 PM at Lizards Thicket, 10170 Two Notch Road, Columbia.

In order to reserve the proper room, I would appreciate it if you could R.S.V.P. Ira at [cafe\\_dad@yahoo.com](mailto:cafe_dad@yahoo.com) as soon as possible.



Let's learn and grow together!

Sunday  
SCHOOL

**TIME 9:00AM**

**EDUCATION BUILDING**

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MORE INFORMATION 803.736.6386

A COMMUNITY OF HOPE  
**NORTHEAST**  
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
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**Overcomers (Room 212)**

Instructor: Brooks Shealy

Life of David

First & Second Samuel

**Pairs & Spares (Room 214)**

Instructor: Tammie Sloop

Bible Stories for Grown-Ups by Josh Scott

**Proverbs 17 (Room 208)**

**Older Kids & Youth**

Instructors: Heather Cook & Bianca Brazell

Lessons in the Bible

**Preschool & Young Kids**

Instructors: Pat Hoesly, Mary Anne Lockard & Sharon Shealy

Lessons in the Bible

## MINISTRY AND PRAYER NEEDS

- **Chris Coxson, in Pennsylvania**, who is paralyzed from the waist down as a result of a surgical procedure.
- **Catherine, Suzy and Charlie**, who are in difficult circumstances.
- **Pat Stevenson**, friend of Pat Christiansen, who has a mass on her brain.
- **Teddy Szilagyi**, who suffered another heart attack and is currently waiting for a transplant.
- **Those going through cancer treatment: Tracie Glumm, Scott Schuch, Mark Seeley, Courtney Cox-Manser & Julie Smith**
- **Lee Chandler**, who is experiencing health issues.
- **The family of Hazel Lockard** for strength and guidance.
- **Owen Markham**, grandson of Larry & Dianne Markham, recovering from a skiing accident in Colorado.
- **Mattia Hilmer**, pray for her overall health.
- **Anita Cook**, Mike Cook's mother, who needs prayer.
- **Larry Markham**, for continued strength and recovery.
- **Johnathan Moss**, for continued strength and recovery.
- **John Lockard**, for continued strength and recovery.
- **Ernst Cousin**, brother of Fred Cousin, for continued strength and recovery.
- **Our military and first responders.**
- **Our missionaries:**
  - Tom & Emma Henry:** Appalachian Mountain Leadership
  - Matt & Jenny Williams:** Athletes in Action Cru
  - Steve & Stephanie Bre desen:** Nakalanda, Uganda
  - Ben & Jenny Reyes**

## BLESSING BOX PRAYER REQUESTS

- **Latory, Donovan, and Latory's children**
- **Damaryan Hunter**, a sailor going to Israel.
- **Stefka and Antonio**, in the midst of divorce with a 7 year-old child. Better job for food and bills.

## THANK YOU

Speaking of gratitude - Larry and I want to express our gratitude to our church family. We have been blessed through these months of uncertain health issues by your love and prayers. Owen's progress is nothing short of a miracle and we see God's hand at work everyday.  
Larry & Dianne Markham

## 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)**

**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**

Youth

**COMMUNION PREPARER TODAY**

Danna Griner

**COMMUNION PREPARER NEXT WEEK**

Elizabeth Chamblee

**COMMUNION SERVERS TODAY**

Larry & Danna Griner & Melanie Hafner

**COMMUNION SERVERS NEXT WEEK**

Dan & Gaye Christmus & Emma Wargel

**SCRIPTURE READER TODAY**

Charlie Henry

**SCRIPTURE READER NEXT WEEK**

Stephen Crowell

**PRAYER WARRIOR TODAY**

Gil Johnson

**PRAYER WARRIOR NEXT WEEK**

Ann 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





## Trick or Treat in the Patch

Tonight

6:00 - 7:00 PM

Get an early start on trick or treating.  
Wear your costume to the Patch for treats and fun.

## SINGERS & MUSICIANS NEEDED

Do you like to sing or play a musical instrument?  
We would love for you to join our Worship Team.  
Contact the Church Office at (803) 736-6386 or  
[northeast@neumc.com](mailto:northeast@neumc.com) if interested.

Join us for our Annual

# CHILI Cook-Off

Sunday, November 5  
11:30 AM

Bring your best chili!

Winner will be crowned "2023 Chili Master"



# FALL BACK

## SUNDAY NOVEMBER 5

# TURN YOUR CLOCKS BACK ONE HOUR

Explore – Connect – Join ☒

As Jesus walked from place to place, he had one simple invitation, “Follow me.” That invitation is still there for us today. Jesus’ life, death and resurrection changes the world, and His mission still continues through those who follow Him empowered by His Holy Spirit.

We are excited that God led you to Northeast United Methodist Church where our mission is “To Know Jesus and Make Him Known.” Whether you are new to church membership or transferring from another church community, the decision to join a church family is a step in your faith journey and we’d love for you to become part of the Northeast family.

The NEUMC's new member pathway consists of three classes designed to connect you with others, discuss areas related to the Christian faith and the United Methodist Church, and discover ways that you can serve and be served in the church community.



### Upcoming Prospective Member Classes

- o Session 1: Sunday, November 19, 9:00-9:50 AM
- o Session 2: Sunday, November 26, 9:00-9:50 AM
- o Session 3: Sunday, December 3, 9:00-9:50 AM

Membership Vows & Celebration during the  
10:00 AM worship service

*A Continental Breakfast and childcare provided each Sunday*

For more information, or to let us know you will be attending, please register using the QR Code, the link below, visit our website or contact the Church Office at [northeast@neumc.com](mailto:northeast@neumc.com).



**Scan to register**