



WELCOME

A COMMUNITY OF HOPE **NORTHEAST**

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

WE ARE **GLAD** YOU ARE HERE

WORSHIP

- 9:00 AM Traditional
- 10:10 AM Sunday School
- 11:00 AM Contemporary

STAFF

- Mac Kinnett
Pastor
- Bonnie Riley
Director of Children and Youth Ministries
- Svetlana Royal
Chancel Choir Director
- Sean Riley
Crossing Guard Leader
- Annie Rose Tindall-Gibson
Pianist
- Dale A. Purvis
Office Manager
- Laura Lee
Nursery Coordinator

OFFICE HOURS

8:30 AM - 4:00 PM
Monday - Friday

GIVING

Set up one-time or automatic giving for your tithes and offerings at www.neumc.com or download the app at joyfully2umc.org.

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July 8, 2018

THIS WEEK AT NEUMC

SUNDAY

6:00 - 8:15 PM Vacation Bible School

MONDAY

6:00 - 8:15 PM Vacation Bible School

TUESDAY

6:00 - 8:15 PM Vacation Bible School

WEDNESDAY

7:15 AM Men's Prayer Group
(Contact Dan Christmus)

4:00 PM Deadline for Bulletin Announcements

6:00 PM Short Stories by Jesus Study
(Library)

6:00 - 8:15 PM Vacation Bible School

THURSDAY

6:00 - 8:15 PM Vacation Bible School

FRIDAY

6:00 - 8:15 PM Vacation Bible School Family Night



IMAGINE A BIBLE STUDY YOU CAN FIT INTO YOUR LIFE.

If your life is busy

Just come when you can

If you've got a bit of time to dig deeper

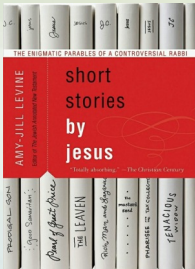
*Get the participant book and come
when you can*

If you've got the time and curiosity to dig really deep

*Get the Amazon Best Selling book
on which the study is based and come
when you can.*

Jesus was a skilled storyteller and perceptive teacher who used parables from everyday life to effectively convey his message and meaning. Life in first-century Palestine was very different from our world today, thus a clearer understanding of that world brings new life to Jesus' stories.

In "Short Stories by Jesus," a wise, entertaining, and educational book, Amy-Jill Levine,



takes readers back in time to understand how the original Jewish audience understood Jesus' parables. Levine reveals the parables' connections to first-century economic and agricultural life, social customs and morality, Jewish scriptures

and Roman culture. With this revitalized understanding, she interprets these moving stories for the contemporary reader, showing how the parables are not just about Jesus, but are also about us--and when read rightly, still challenge and provoke us two thousand years later.

Six one-hour sessions with a 10-12 minute video segment and discussion and reflection.

Wednesday sessions starting July 11 at 6:00 PM.

Sunday sessions starting July 29 at 6:00 PM.

SHORT STORIES BY JESUS SMALL GROUP STUDY

NAME

EMAIL

I will attend the study on the following
day of the week:

Wednesdays

Sundays

RECORD OF OUR FAITHFULNESS OUR SERVICE

9:00 AM	Traditional Service	79
10:10 AM	Sunday School	77
11:00 AM	Contemporary Service	69
	General Budget:	\$7,030.00
	Online Giving:	\$506.61
	Other Designated Gifts:	\$100.00

9:00 TRADITIONAL SERVICE

ACOLYTE

Lauren Nutter

CHILDREN'S CHURCH HELPER

Caroline Nutter

PRAYER ROOM

Bianca Brazell

PRAYER ROOM NEXT WEEK

Jane DeCristofaro

COMMUNION PREPARER

No Communion

COMMUNION PREPARER NEXT WEEK

Dianne Markham

COMMUNION SERVERS

No Communion

COMMUNION SERVERS NEXT WEEK

Larry & Dianne Markham

Charlie & Ann Henry

11:00 CONTEMPORARY SERVICE

ACOLYTE

Bennett Cheatham

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Rachel White

CHILDREN'S CHURCH HELPER

Ben Riley

PRAYER ROOM

Inez McLaurin

PRAYER ROOM NEXT WEEK

Charlie Henry

OFFERING

OFFERING COUNTERS

John Milakovich & Kay Wigley

OFFERING COUNTERS

NEXT WEEK

Bob Ellrott, Spencer Miller
& Dee Dee Milakovich

TRUSTEE LOCKUP

TODAY

Inez McLaurin

NEXT WEEK

Tom Malcom

9:00 TRADITIONAL SERVICE
A SERVICE OF WORD AND PRAISE
Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

As the Prelude begins, please prayerfully prepare for worship.

PRELUDE (*Acolyte*)

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP, 140 *“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”* **FAITHFULNESS**
Words: Thomas O. Chisholm
Music: William M. Runyan

***HYMN OF PRAISE, 697** *“America”* **AMERICA**
(My Country, ‘Tis of Thee)

***THE APOSTLES CREED, 881**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;
and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born
of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried,
the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the
right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the
quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the
forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

***DOXOLOGY, 95** *“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”* **OLD 100TH**

ANTHEM *“On Eagles Wings”* Svetlana Royal, soloist
Words and Music: Michael Joncas
Arranged: Mark Hayes

CHILDREN’S MOMENTS

Children in kindergarten through 2nd grade are dismissed for Children’s Worship.
Please pass the attendance register at this time.

HYMN, 437 *“This Is My Song”* **FINLANDIA**

SCRIPTURE LESSON, Nehemiah 1:2-7 (NIV)

SERMON *“What Pulls Your Heart”* Tammie Sloop

***HYMN OF COMMITMENT, 585 (Acolyte)** *“This Little Light of Mine”* **LATTIMER**
You are invited to the altar during the singing of this hymn.
Kneel... commune with God... return to your chair when ready.

***BENEDICTION AND CHARGE**

POSTLUDE



*** Please stand as you are able.**

11:00 CONTEMPORARY SERVICE

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*OPENING SONGS

“Great Are You Lord”
“Your Grace Finds Me”
“Lord I Need You”

OFFERING

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SERMON

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INVITATION AND CALL TO CONFESSION

(No matter who you are, no matter where you came from this morning, no matter what you bring with you... you are welcome, here, at this table and in this community.)

CLOSING SONG

“All My Hope”
“This Little Light of Mine”

*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING AND GRACE

* Please stand as you are able.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

God’s Storehouse monthly food item for July is canned and bottled juice. God’s Storehouse is a faith-based outreach program that assists the needy throughout the greater Columbia, SC area. Staffed primarily by volunteers from area churches, God’s Storehouse provides food, clothing and household supplies to our neighbors in crisis at no cost to them. God’s Storehouse, 731 Risley Road, Columbia, SC, (803) 691-1622.



Sunday, July 8 - Friday, July 13
6:00 - 8:15 PM
STARTS TODAY!



This is our largest outreach program for the year and a great way to connect with the community and others in the church. We have around 100 kids that attend VBS each year and it requires several helpers. There is still time to register or volunteer for VBS online. Visit our website at www.neumc.com.

Cokesbury’s Rolling River Rampage invites children on a white-water rafting adventure to experience the ride of a lifetime with God! Along the river, children discover that life with God is an adventure full of wonder and surprise, and that they can trust God to be with them through anything. Relevant music, exciting science, creative crafts, fun recreation, and memorable Bible stories will help kids know that God is always with them as they ride the rapids of amazing grace!

— Bonnie Riley, Director of Children & Youth Ministries

MINISTRY AND PRAYER NEEDS

- **Mackenzie Dawson**, a member of our youth group, recovering from surgery on Thursday to straighten her spine.
- **Nikki Shaffner and family**, upon the death of her grandmother, Mary Lutz, in Michigan.
- **Sara Shealy**, recovering from surgery.
- **Bob Shaffner and family**, upon the death of his mother, Dorothy Shaffner from a long ordeal with cancer.
- **Carol Rytlewski**, Nikki Shaffner's mother, who is undergoing radiation treatment for stage 4 throat cancer.
- **Kay Leitner**, undergoing rehabilitation at Wildewood Downs, Room 17 following additional hip surgery.
- **Martha Coombs**, who is under hospice care.
- **Our military and first responders.**
- **Our missionaries:**

Tom & Emma Henry — Appalachian Mountain Leadership (AML), a ministry based in Boone, NC, which facilitates Christian outdoor adventure experiences.

Matt & Jenny Williams (Matt.Williams@athletesinaction.org and Jenny.Williams@athletesinaction.org) Matt and Jenny are missionaries with Athletes in Action which is a ministry of Cru (formerly Campus Crusade for Christ) in Indianapolis. They minister to college students at Butler University and IUPUI, an urban campus of Indiana University and Purdue University. Matt and Jenny and their son Caleb live in the Indianapolis metro area.

Steve & Stephanie Bredesen, in Nakalanda, Uganda, as directors of Eagle's Nest Clinic and Eaglet's Primary School.

Abbu, the Bredesen's neighbor, that he will either allow them to drill a well on his land or sell the land to them so that they will have a fresh water supply.

Ben & Jenny Reyes: Ben, born in Puerto Rico, and Jenny, born in Brazil, have ministered in Brazil and Paraguay since their marriage in 1989. They have two sons, Phillippe and Mathias. The Reyes work locally in discipleship, leading Inductive Bible Study seminars, and teaching on the subjects of church planting, mission to Muslims, mission in the local church, and effective short-term mission trips.

- **Salkehatchie families:** Wanda Johnson, Shelby Butler, Curtis Addison, Vicy Parrott, Virginia Hickman, Hattie Mac Peterson and Maggie Pearson
- **Our pastor and staff members.**

PRAYER FOR OUR FAMILIES OF THE WEEK

Monday	July 9	J. J. Milakovich
Tuesday	July 10	John & Dee Dee Milakovich
Wednesday	July 11	Sandra Miller
Thursday	July 12	Spencer Miller & Mary McMillan & sons Noah, Logan & Clayton
Friday	July 13	Ryon & Kristen & children Walker, C. J. & Robbie

HOMEBOUND AND ELDERLY

We are a family. As such we encourage anyone who feels led by God to visit those who are sick or homebound. We also encourage your visits to those who are new to this family of believers and to those whom or that have visited.

Bob Anderson

Lee Chandler

Bonnie McBurnett

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. Please remember to sign the journal. If you need assistance, please see a staff member.

The Prayer Shawl Ministry Team