



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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May 20, 2018

THIS WEEK AT NEUMC

SUNDAY

- 12:15 AM Board of Trustees Meeting (Room 102)
- 3:00 PM Conference Training Seminar (Trinity UMC)
- 5:00 PM Church Council Meeting (Room 102)
- 5:00 PM Disciple IV (Education Building, Room 212)
- 6:00 PM Children's Choir (Sanctuary)
- 6:00 PM Youth Group
(Education Building, Youth Rooms)

MONDAY

- 6:00 PM Finance Ministry Team Meeting (Library)

TUESDAY

- 6:00 PM Girl Scout Program (Sanctuary)
- 6:30 PM Cub Scouts (Education Building, Room 205)

WEDNESDAY

- 7:15 AM Men's Prayer Group (Contact Dan Christmus)
- 10:00 AM Pew Sisters Bible Study (Library)
- 4:00 PM Deadline for Bulletin Announcements
- 6:30 PM Youth Small Group
(Education Building, Youth Rooms)
- 7:00 PM Chancel Choir Practice (Sanctuary)

THURSDAY

- 9:00 AM Brunch Bunch (Lizard's Thicket)
- 7:00 PM Rooted in Christ Prayer Group (Library)
- 7:00 PM Crossing Guard Practice (Sanctuary)





VBS

**Sunday, July 8 -
Friday, July 13, 2018
6:00 - 8:15 PM**

It's almost time for VBS!

This is our largest outreach program for the year with over 100 kids and a great way to connect with the community and others in the church. Several helpers are required. To help us plan, please fill out the form below and let us know if you plan or willing to help at VBS.



Name(s)



Email

Areas of Interest

- Small Group Assistant

Specialized Areas

- Science Crafts
 Registration Decorating
 Games and More Snacks
 Wherever Needed

Rising 6th graders are welcome to help out. You don't have to be experienced or knowledgeable to help, just willing to have fun for God!

— Bonnie Riley
Director of Children & Youth Ministries

9:00 TRADITIONAL SERVICE

ACOLYTE
Piper Wargel

CHILDREN'S CHURCH HELPER
Piper Wargel

PRAYER ROOM
Dianne Markham

PRAYER ROOM NEXT WEEK
Larry Wargel

COMMUNION PREPARER
Patty Munn

COMMUNION PREPARER NEXT WEEK
Judy Nutter

COMMUNION SERVERS
Mike & Patty Munn
Stephen Crowell & Nikki Shaffner

COMMUNION SERVERS NEXT WEEK
Justin & Judy Nutter
Charlie & Ann Henry

11:00 CONTEMPORARY SERVICE

ACOLYTE
Jesse Shealy

CHILDREN'S CHURCH
Ryon Miro
CHILDREN'S CHURCH HELPER
Bennett Cheatham

PRAYER ROOM
Justin Nutter

PRAYER ROOM NEXT WEEK
Charlie Henry

OFFERING

OFFERING COUNTERS
Bob Ellrott, Spencer Miller &
Dee Dee Milakovich

**OFFERING COUNTERS
NEXT WEEK**
Nikki Shaffner & Todd Wigley

TRUSTEE LOCKUP

TODAY
Tom Malcom

NEXT WEEK
Pat Hoesly

9:00 TRADITIONAL SERVICE

A SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE

Day of Pentecost

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

As the Prelude begins, please prayerfully prepare for worship.

PRELUDE (*Acolyte*)

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP, 334 *"Sweet, Sweet Spirit"* SWEET, SWEET SPIRIT
Words and Music: Doris Akers

***HYMN OF PRAISE, 64** *"Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty"* NICAEA

***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 *"Holy Spirit, Come and Fill Us"* Chancel Choir
Words and Music: Joseph M. Martin

CHILDREN'S MOMENTS *"Pentecost"*

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

HYMN, 408 *"The Gift of Love"* GIFT OF LOVE

SCRIPTURE LESSON, Acts 2:1-13, 24-26 (NIV)

SERMON *"I Believe in the Holy Spirit"* Pastor Kinnett

HOLY COMMUNION

(Wine and grape juice are used for communion. The first chalice is grape juice and the second
chalice is wine. Gluten free bread are available between the bread and grape juice.)

INVITATION AND PRAYER OF CONFESSION

When we don't know how or what to pray,
the Spirit knows.

When all we can muster are sighs and groans,
the Spirit knows those also.

When we feel that we aren't even worthy to approach God,
the Spirit goes before us and with us
and God welcomes us with arms open.

Let us confess our sins together, saying . . .

Almighty God,

**you poured out your Spirit upon gathered disciples
creating bold tongues, open ears, and a new community of faith.**

We confess that we hold back the force of your Spirit among us.

**When we do not listen for your word of grace,
speak the good news of your love,
or live as a people made one in Christ;
have mercy on us, O God.**

**Transform our timid lives by the power of your Spirit
and fill us with a flaming desire to be your faithful people,
doing your will for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.**

Silent prayers for personal confession.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Those who are in Christ are a new creation:
everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new!

All this is from God

with whom we have been reconciled through Christ.

Thanks be to God!

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.

The pastor gives thanks appropriate to the occasion, remembering God’s acts of salvation, and concludes

And so, we gladly thank you, with angels and archangels and

all the company of heaven, singing the hymn of your unending praise.

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.

The pastor continues the thanksgiving. The institution of the Lord’s Supper is recalled. The pastor concludes

And so in this sacrament we celebrate and proclaim the mystery of our faith.

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

The pastor invokes the present work of the Holy Spirit and then praises the Trinity, concluding:

Father, Son and Holy Spirit, ever one God. **Amen.**

***HYMN OF COMMITMENT, 332 (Acolyte) “Spirit of Faith, Come Down” BEALOTH**

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.**

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***OPENING SONGS**

*“Holy Spirit”
“Wholly Tours”
“Beautiful Things”*

OFFERING

CHILDREN’S MOMENTS

“Pentecost”

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SERMON

“I Believe in the Holy Spirit”

Pastor Kinnett

GREAT THANKSGIVING AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

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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.)

COMMUNION SONG

“Oh My Soul”

CLOSING SONG

“Overwhelmed”

***DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING AND GRACE**

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



Annual Conference

We go to Annual Conference in less than a month. It's in Greenville again this year. As I look forward to Annual Conference I anticipate with joy, thoughts of seeing friends and colleagues, challenging Bible studies and inspiring worship. Observing our great church at work may sometimes be tedious, yet it is encouraging to remember our long and strong traditions. To attend and participate in Annual Conference is to remember who we are as Methodists.

We Methodists strive to keep a healthy balance between tradition and innovation. I laugh at myself as I remember with amusement some of the attempts to be relevant in my teenage age years – long hair, embarrassingly flamboyant attire mixed with embarrassingly sloppy attire. Our church youth group did some really “out there” kinds of things like going to see the movie “Oh God,” and listening to the soundtrack from “Jesus Christ Superstar.” The Youth Choir even sang a few of those on Sunday mornings at the early service. The congregation was very tolerant with our youthful rebellion.

I am grateful to be a part of church with enough confidence to allow “expression” without giving in to every new idea and throwing away tradition and identity. I believe that one of our greatest challenges is to continue to be who are in a culture that calls us to be someone else. Our culture seeks to be ever changing and constantly “on the edge.” While there is certainly a need to be relevant, it is the stability of our beliefs and traditions that can be our anchor in the storms of life. I am particularly grateful to gather in Greenville with a large body of those who are glad we are who we are. I prayer that we continue to be open to new ideas and expressions and hold fast to those things which make us who we are. And remember, God loves you and so do I!

Mac

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.

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

MINISTRY AND PRAYER NEEDS

- **Joy Fink**, for continued healing.
- **Kay Leitner**, recovering from total hip replacement surgery.
- Comfort for the **family of Grayson Keck**, 15 year old who lost his battle with depression and anxiety.
- **Jan**, friend of Jen and Chuck Rogers, who has a tumor growing and has a history of cancer. Prayers are requested for healing and for helping her to keep the faith.
- **Allison Shultz**, co-worker of Robin Jones, who has stage 4 cancer in her adrenal gland and lesions on her brain, but is still very optimistic about the future. She just went through having part of her lung removed because of a mass and thought she was on the road to recovery when this happened.
- **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 Eagle'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:** Valerie Alexander, Ms. Pierson, Ms. Jesse and Ms. Coates
- **Our pastor and staff members.**

PRAYER FOR OUR FAMILIES OF THE WEEK

Monday	May 21	Deanna Davis & son Logan
Tuesday	May 22	Tom & Jane DeCristofaro
Wednesday	May 23	Van & Lina Delacruz
Thursday	May 24	Mark & Bonnie Dutton
Friday	May 25	George & Karen Eberhardt

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

Board of Trustees Meeting

The Board of Trustees will meet today at 12:15 PM in Room 102.

Church Council Meeting

The Church Council will meet this afternoon at 5:00 PM in Room 102.

Finance Ministry Team Meeting

The Finance Ministry Team will meet tomorrow evening at 6:00 PM in the library.

Brunch Bunch

The Brunch Bunch will meet this Thursday at 9:00 AM at the Lizards Thicket Restaurant, 10170 Two Notch Road, Columbia in the Target Center. Everyone is invited to join us. Mary Furse, 699-6557.

God's Storehouse

God's Storehouse monthly food item for May is rice. 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 29223, (803) 691-1622.

Mark Your Calendar

- South Carolina Annual Conference, June 3-6
- Promotion Sunday, June 3, 10:10 AM
- Graduate Sunday, June 3 at both services
- Bishopville Salkehatchie Camp, June 23-30
- Salkehatchie Sunday, July 1
- Vacation Bible School, July 8-13