



10:00 Worship Service

August 3, 2025



**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

## Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

\*HYMN, 126

*"Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above"*  
Verses 1-4

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, 102

*"Now Thank We All Our God"*  
Verses 1-3

#### CHILDREN'S MOMENT

*"Lamb's Corner"*

Weston Cheatham

#### OLD AND NEW TESTAMENT READINGS

Psalms 107:1-9  
Colossians 3:1-11

#### 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

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#### SERMON AND INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

Pastor Antoinette

*"Look Beyond Yourself"*  
Luke 12:13-21

#### THE WORLD METHODIST SOCIAL AFFIRMATION, 886

We believe in God, Creator of the world and of all people; and in Jesus Christ, incarnate among us, who died and rose again; and in the Holy Spirit, present with us to guide, strengthen, and comfort.

**We believe; God, help our unbelief.**

We rejoice in every sign of God's kingdom: in the upholding of human dignity and community; in every expression of love, justice and reconciliation; in each act of self-giving on behalf of others; in the abundance of God's gifts entrusted to us that all may have enough; in all responsible use of the earth's resources.

**Glory be to God on high; and on earth, be peace.**

We confess our sin, individual and collective, by silence or action: through the violation of human dignity based on race, class, age, sex, nation, or faith; through the exploitation of people because of greed and indifference through the misuse of power in personal, communal, national, and international life; through the search for security by those military and economic forces that threaten human existence; through the abuse of technology which endangers the earth and all life upon it.

**Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.**

We commit ourselves individually and as a community to the way of Christ: to take up the cross; to seek abundant life for all humanity; to struggle for peace with justice and freedom; to risk ourselves in faith, hope, and love, praying that God's kingdom may come.

**The kingdom come on earth as it is in heaven. Amen.**

#### CALL FOR OFFERING

## OFFERING

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 is available in the center. Gluten free bread is used for communion.

## 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.**

## THE PEACE

Sharing "peace" with one another is an ancient Christian tradition rooted in the teachings of Jesus and practices of the Christian community. It also serves as a way for members to reconcile before receiving Holy Communion. Let us offer one another signs of reconciliation and love. God's peace be with you.

## 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:

**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.**

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## **CHARGE**

### **\*BENEDICTION**

### **\*HYMN**

*“Shout to the North”*

#### **Verse 1**

Men of faith rise up and sing  
Of the great and glorious King  
You are strong when you feel weak  
In your brokenness complete

#### **Chorus**

Shout to the north and the south  
Sing to the east and the west  
Jesus is Savior to all  
Lord of heaven and earth

#### **Verse 2**

Rise up women of the truth  
Stand and sing to broken hearts  
Who can know the healing pow'r  
Of our awesome King of love

#### **Verse 3**

Rise up church with broken wings  
Fill this place with songs again  
Of our God who reigns on high  
By His grace again we'll fly

#### **Bridge**

We've been through fire  
We've been through rain  
We've been refined  
By the pow'r of His name  
We've fallen deeper  
In love with You  
You've burned  
The truth on our lips

#### **Ending**

Lord of heaven and earth  
Lord of heaven and earth  
Lord of heaven and earth

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## **POSTLUDE**

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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.

## Luke 12:13-21

21 “This is how it will be with whoever stores up things for themselves but is not rich toward God.”



Hosea 11:1-11  
Psalm 107:1-9  
Colossians 3:1-11  
Luke 12:13-21



United  
Women  
in Faith

Thursday, August 14  
7:00 PM  
Room 102

An invitation is extended to the women of the church.



## Blessing Box Sunday Today



Today, we are collecting non-perishable food and baby and toiletry items for the Blessing Box. Use of the Box by members of our community is high, but our supplies are low! Feel free to drop the items off at the church during the week, or make a donation to the Blessing Box designated fund.

Thank you for helping to support members of our community who are struggling.

Outreach/Witness Committee



The United Methodist Men's Ministry has decided to conduct a Bible study course during their monthly Monday evening meetings. We will meet on August 11, 2025, 6:30 to 7:30 PM at NEUMC.

**Proposal:** view 20 minute lessons from two CD's titled "Prophets and Kings" with six lessons and "Promised Land" with five lessons. One lesson would be viewed and discussed during each meeting, totaling 11 lessons over an 11 month period. We would require the use of one of the church class rooms with audio visual resources. This program is open to all men in the NEUMC parish.

**Food and refreshments;** Most popular suggestion is order pizza delivery and serve coffee or soft drinks at the church. Other food options are at the discretion of each member.

Thank You, Herb Hilmer, President UMM

## *the* UPPER ROOM

Join Pastor Antoinette and other members of our congregation as they lead a morning devotion and prayer each Wednesday morning. Please encourage friends, family, and others in our community to join this time of devotion and prayer.

**Time:** 6:00 AM (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.

Let's learn and  
grow together!

*Sunday*  
**SCHOOL**

**TIME: 9:00 AM**

**Overcomers (Room 212) | Wisdom of Proverbs**

**Pairs & Spares (Room 214) | Enough by Adam Hamilton**

**Iron Sharpens Iron (Room 208)**

**Older Kids & Youth (Room 213) | Lessons in the Bible**

**Preschool & Young Kids (Room 206) | Lessons in the Bible**



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Want to receive the church emails?  
Please scan the QR code to sign up.



## MINISTRY AND PRAYER NEEDS

**Prayer request cards are located in the card holders on the back of the chairs.**

- **Marion Crowell**, Stephen Crowell's mother, who experienced complications from her pacemaker lead.
- **The families and victims** of the Texas floods.
- **Doug Miro**, Ryon Miro's father, recovering from a stroke.
- **Jean**, co-worker of Karen Evans, who has been diagnosed with uterine serous carcinoma, a rare and aggressive cancer. Pray for her family and her doctors to determine the best treatment plan.
- **Ken Harling**, brother of Debbo Lackore, who has kidney failure. Also, pray for his daughter and caregiver, Alicia Harling.
- **The Phillips family**, upon the death of John Phillips.
- **Fred Cousin**, recovering from back surgery.
- **Bob Shaffner**, in his job search.
- **Franklin Holmes**, Mary Mason's son, for his overall health.
- **Brooks Shealy**, pray for his overall health.
- **Wendell Cherubin**, pray for his overall health.
- **Tammie Sloop**, pray for her overall health.
- **Bethany Shoup**, wife of Matthew Shoup, who has had a recurrence of cancer and is undergoing chemotherapy.
- **Liz Hetzler**, Forrest Horn's sister, who is suffering with dementia.
- **Gary Hartman**, treatment of peripheral neuropathy in both feet and chronic arthritis in both ankles.
- **Marion Crowell**, Stephen Crowell's mother, for continued strength and recovery.
- **Those going through cancer treatment: John Lockard, Jim Wheeler & Donna Purvis**
- **Mattia Hilmer**, pray for her overall health.
- **Our military and first responders.**
- **Our missionaries:**
  - Matt & Jenny Williams:** Athletes in Action Cru
  - Steve & Stephanie Bredesen:** Nakalanda, Uganda
  - Ben & Jenny Reyes**

## 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: 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

## ACOLYTE

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TODAY	NEXT WEEK
<b>LAY LEADER</b>	<b>LAY LEADER</b>
Stephen Crowell	Jane Scott
<b>COMMUNION PREPARER</b>	<b>COMMUNION PREPARER</b>
Danna Griner	Karen Evans
<b>COMMUNION SERVERS</b>	<b>COMMUNION SERVERS</b>
Danna Griner, Jennifer Wargel & Weston Cheatham	Charlie & Ann Henry & Karen Evans
<b>SCRIPTURE READER</b>	<b>SCRIPTURE READER</b>
Felix Ehuren	Charlie Henry
<b>DESIGNATED FRIENDS</b>	<b>DESIGNATED FRIENDS</b>
Dianne Markham & Mary Ann Lockard	Heather Cook & Pat Hoesly
<b>GREETERS</b>	<b>GREETERS</b>
Charlie & Ann Henry	Danna Griner & Elizabeth Chamblee
<b>PRAYER WARRIOR</b>	<b>PRAYER WARRIOR</b>
Tammie Sloop	Dianne Markham
<b>OFFERING COUNTERS</b>	<b>OFFERING COUNTERS</b>
Bill Hoesly & Buck Brazell	Duane Scott & Mary Mason

### There are 4 ways to give:

- (1) as offering is collected
- (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