

10:00 Worship Service February 9, 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

Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

HYMN, 64

"Holy, Holy, Holy,! Lord God Almighty"

Processional

Verses I-4

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**

"10,000 Reasons"

Chorus

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul Worship His holy name Sing like never before O my soul I'll worship Your holy name

Verse I

The sun comes up it's a new day dawning It's time to sing Your song again Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me Let me be singing when the evening comes

Verse 2

You're rich in love and You're slow to anger Your name is great and Your heart is kind For all Your goodness I will keep on singing Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find

Verse 3

And on that day when my strength is failing The end draws near and my time has come Still my soul will sing Your praise unending Ten thousand years and then forevermore

Tag

Worship Your holy name Lord I'll worship Your holy name

Ending

Sing like never before O my soul I'll worship Your holy name Worship Your holy name Worship Your holy name

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CHILDREN'S MOMENT

"Lamb's Corner"

OLD AND NEW TESTAMENT READINGS

SONG

"Sanctuary"

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

"The Good News is for Everyone" Acts 10:30-48 Pastor Antoinette

Isaiah 6:1-8 I Corinthians 15:1-11 Sing Twice

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 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.

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. Please extend peace to those closest to 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,** 593

POSTLUDE

"Here I AM, Lord" Verses 1-3

* Please stand as you are able.

- Extend an invitation to someone for an event or small group gathering.
- Instead of tossing your bulletin, consider passing it along to someone—your grocery clerk, teacher, physical therapist, friend, yard worker, nail tech, relative, hair stylist, food server, dentist, mail carrier, neighbor, etc.



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.

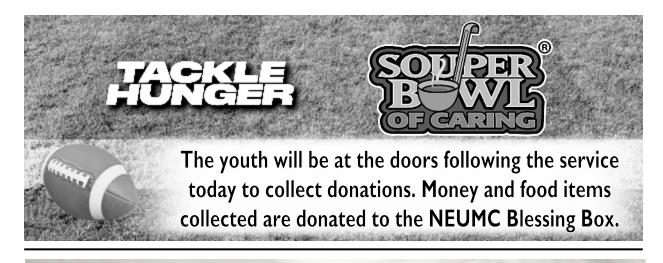


Lectionary Devotional Readings for the week of February 9.

Isaiah 6:1-8, 9-13 Psalm 138 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 Luke 5:1-11

The Good News is for Everyone Acts 10:30-48-20

30 Cornelius answered: "Three days ago I was in my house praying at this hour, at three in the afternoon. Suddenly a man in shining clothes stood before me 31 and said, 'Cornelius, God has heard your prayer and remembered your gifts to the poor. 32 Send to Joppa for Simon who is called Peter. He is a guest in the home of Simon the tanner, who lives by the sea.' 33 So I sent for you immediately, and it was good of you to come. Now we are all here in the presence of God to listen to everything the Lord has commanded you to tell us." 34 Then Peter began to speak: "I now realize how true it is that God does not show favoritism 35 but accepts from every nation the one who fears him and does what is right. 36 You know the message God sent to the people of Israel, announcing the good news of peace through lesus Christ, who is Lord of all. 37 You know what has happened throughout the province of ludea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John preached—38 how God anointed lesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and power, and how he went around doing good and healing all who were under the power of the devil, because God was with him. 39 "We are witnesses of everything he did in the country of the lews and in lerusalem. They killed him by hanging him on a cross, 40 but God raised him from the dead on the third day and caused him to be seen. 41 He was not seen by all the people, but by witnesses whom God had already chosen-by us who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. 42 He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one whom God appointed as judge of the living and the dead. 43 All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name." 44 While Peter was still speaking these words, the Holy Spirit came on all who heard the message, 45 The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astonished that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on Gentiles. 46 For they heard them speaking in tongues and praising God. Then Peter said, 47 "Surely no one can stand in the way of their being baptized with water. They have received the Holy Spirit just as we have." 48 So he ordered that they be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they asked Peter to stay with them for a few days.



UNITED METHODIST MEN

The United Methodist Church Monday, February 10, 2025 6:30 PM Schiano's 10120 Two Notch Road, Columbia All men of the church are invited to join us.



United Women in Faith

Thursday, February 13 6:30 PM Room 102

An invitation is extended to the women of the church.

Let's learn and grow together!



Overcomers (Room 212) | The Parables of Jesus Pairs & Spares (Room 214) | The Grace of God by Andy Stanley Iron Sharpens Iron (Room 208) | Reading & Discussing the Old Testament Older Kids & Youth (Room 213) | Lessons in the Bible

Preschool & Young Kids (Room 206)

MINISTRY AND PRAYER NEEDS

- Bethany Shoup, wife of Matthew Shoup, who has had a recurrence of cancer and is undergoing chemotherapy.
- The victims of the California wildfires.
- Larry, Lorie Beth Wissler's uncle, recovering from a stroke.
- Liz Hetzler, Forrest Horn's sister, who is suffering with dementia.
- Gary Hartman, recovering from knee replacement surgery.
- Joyce Noga, for improved health after a medical procedure to help control her diabetes.
- Faye Ellrott, who is recovering at home following a car accident.
- Marion Crowell, Stephen Crowell's mother, for continued strength and recovery.
- Those going through cancer treatment: John Lockard, Tracie Glumm, Mark Seeley, Julie Smith, Lee Safley, Elizabeth Hebert, Mac Kinnett, Jim Wheeler & John Phillips
- 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

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

PRAYER REQUEST

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



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.

(NAME)

(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

TODAY

ACOLYTE Youth

LAY LEADER

lane Scott

COMMUNION PREPARER

Elizabeth Chamblee

COMMUNION SERVERS

Dan & Gaye Christmus & Elizabeth Chamblee

SCRIPTURE READER

Elizabeth Chamblee

DESIGNATED FRIENDS

Charlie & Ann Henry

GREETERS

Don & Janice Starner

PRAYER WARRIOR

Gil Johnson

OFFERING COUNTERS

Tom DeCristofaro Dan Christmus

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
- (4) use the QR Code to give online

NEXT WEEK

LAY LEADER

Stephen Crowell

COMMUNION PREPARER

Dianne Markham

COMMUNION SERVERS

Dianne Markham, Debbo Lackore & Hannah Cook

SCRIPTURE READER

Elizabeth Chamblee

DESIGNATED FRIENDS

Dianne Markham Mary Anne Lockard

GREETERS

Don & Janice Starner

PRAYER WARRIOR

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

Small Group Studies

Word, Water, Wine and Bread: How Worship Has Changed Over the Years Author: William Willimon Led by Jane Scott Beginning Tuesday, March 4 at 10 AM

To provide perspective on current trends, theologian and preacher William Willimon traces the history of worship and our rich heritage of Word, water, wine and bread. Beginning with the early Jewish tabernacle rites, he details the development of Christian worship through its various phases:

- Early celebration of the Lord's supper and baptism
- Worship in the second through eighth centuries
- The dramatic development of the medieval period
- The far-reaching effects of the Reformation
- The revolutionary Protestant movements of the nineteenth century

The Women of the Bible Speak: The Wisdom of 16 Women and Their Lessons for Today Author: Shannon Bream To be lead by Diane Horn

Beginning Wednesday, March 5 at 10 AM

People unfamiliar with Scripture often assume that women play a small, secondary role in the Bible. But in fact, they were central figures in numerous Biblical tales. It was Queen Esther's bravery at a vital point in history which saved her entire people. The Bible contains warriors like Jael, judges like Deborah, and prophets like Miriam. The first person to witness Jesus' resurrection was Mary Magdalene, who promptly became the first Christian evangelist, eager to share the news which would change the world forever.

The Women of the Bible Speak outlines the lessons we can take from the valor of Esther, the hope of Hannah, the audacity of Rahab, and the faith of Mary. In broadening each woman's individual story, Shannon offers us a deeper understanding of each, and wisdom and insights that can transform our own lives today.

Sign-up sheets are located in the narthex.