

# October 13, 2024

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-First Sunday after Pentecost**

**HYMN,** 117

"O God, Our Help in Ages Past" 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, 400	"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"
	Verses I-3

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

#### **OLD AND NEW TESTAMENT READINGS**

#### SONG

"Sanctuary"

"I amb's Corner"

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

#### SERMON AND INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

"A Good Practice" Job 1:1; 2:1-10

#### **CALL FOR OFFERING**

#### OFFERING

#### \***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.

Pastor Antoinette

Psalm 22:1-11 Hebrews 4:12-16

Sing Twice

#### **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: 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.

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.** THE UNITED METHODIST HYMNAL, Book of United Methodist Worship, Copyright © The United Methodist Publishing House, Large Type Edition, 1990 All rights reserved

#### \*CHARGE

#### \*BENEDICTION

#### \*HYMN, 3042

#### Verse I

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

#### POSTLUDE

"Shout to the North"

Recessional

#### 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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\* 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.



### A Good Practice

Job 1:1; 2:1-10

I In the land of Uz there lived a man whose name was Job. This man was blameless and upright; he feared God and shunned evil.

2:1 On another day the angels came to present themselves before the Lord, and Satan also came with them to present himself before him.

2 And the Lord said to Satan, "Where have you come from?"

Satan answered the Lord, "From roaming throughout the earth, going back and forth on it."

3 Then the Lord said to Satan, "Have you considered my servant Job? There is no one on earth like him; he is blameless and upright, a man who fears God and shuns evil. And he still maintains his integrity, though you incited me against him to ruin him without any reason."

4 "Skin for skin!" Satan replied. "A man will give all he has for his own life.

5 But now stretch out your hand and strike his flesh and bones, and he will surely curse you to your face."

6 The Lord said to Satan, "Very well, then, he is in your hands; but you must spare his life."

7 So Satan went out from the presence of the Lord and afflicted Job with painful sores from the soles of his feet to the crown of his head.

8 Then Job took a piece of broken pottery and scraped himself with it as he sat among the ashes.

9 His wife said to him, "Are you still maintaining your integrity? Curse God and die!"

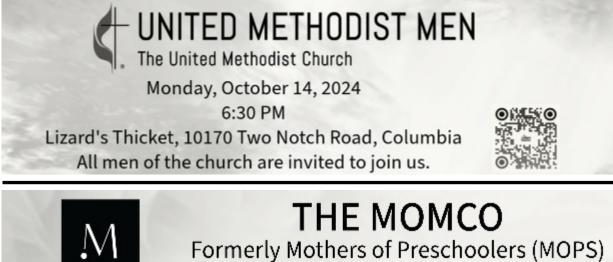
10 He replied, "You are talking like a foolish[b] woman. Shall we accept good from God, and not trouble?"

In all this, Job did not sin in what he said.

Lectionary Devotional Readings for the week of October 13.



Job 23:1-9, 16-17 Psalm 22:1-15 Hebrews 4:12-16 Mark 10:17-31



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9:30 - 11:30 AM Room 102





NEUMC Christmas Cantata



Rehearsals for the Christmas Cantata are the second Wednesday of each month from 7:00-8:30 PM.

The cantata that will be performed is "Candles & Carols" arranged by Mark Hayes. All are welcome, as narrators and choristers are needed to perform.

Let's learn and grow together! School TIME: 9:00 AM

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Overcomers (Room 212) | The Parables of Jesus Pairs & Spares (Room 214) | Acts - The Revolution of Faith 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

- Dawn Matthews, friend of Nikki Shaffner, waiting to be schedule for major heart bypass surgery.
- Carol Rytlewski, Nikki Shaffner's mother, who had eye surgery on Wednesday.
- Faye Ellrott, who is recovering at Encompass Health 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

LAY LEADER

Nikki Shaffner

**COMMUNION PREPARER** 

Dianne Markham

**COMMUNION SERVERS** 

Dianne Markham, Sharon Shealy & Ira Sansolo

SCRIPTURE READER

Raul Cruz

**DESIGNATED FRIENDS** 

Jane Scott & Debbie Hoesly

GREETERS

Danna Griner & Elizabeth Chamblee

PRAYER WARRIOR

Charlie Henry

OFFERING COUNTERS Bill Hoesly & Mary Mason WEDNESDAY

THE UPPER ROOM

Elizabeth Chamblee

#### 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

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NEXT WEEK

LAY LEADER

Stephen Crowell

**COMMUNION PREPARER** 

Karen Evans

#### **COMMUNION SERVERS**

Dan & Gaye Christmus & Karen Evans

SCRIPTURE READER

Leena Crentsil

**DESIGNATED FRIENDS** 

Melanie Hafner & Jane DeCristofaro

GREETERS

Jane DeCristofaro & Chastity Cherubin

**PRAYER WARRIOR** 

Ann Henry

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Duane Scott & Buck Brazell

NEXT WEDNESDAY

THE UPPER ROOM

Raul Cruz

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



# Blessing of the Animals

## Тобау 2:00-2:30 РМ

We invite you to join us for the Blessing of the Animals. The blessings will be held at the church's amphitheater by the Education Building.

For all the animals of the forest are mine, and I own the cattle on a thousand hills. I know every bird on the mountains, and all the animals of the field are mine. Psalm 50:10-11 NLT



#### PUMPKIN PATCH Open Through October 31, 2024 PATCH HOURS





Pumpkin Resupply Truck Arrives 12:00 PM | Today (Watch for Updates)

Sundays | 11:30 AM - 7:00 PM Monday - Friday | 3:00 - 7:00 PM Saturdays | 10:00 AM - 7:00 PM



All skill levels and ages welcome to help unload the pumpkins. Sign-up to work the Patch online or in the narthex.



# 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 a.m. (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.

# COOK-OFF

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> SUNDAY NOVEMBER 3, 2024 11:30 AM