

YOUR FAMILY BELONGS HERE!

Children are a gift, please don't worry about wiggles or noise as they are signs of life and joy in our midst.

Quiet Space for Infants - A dedicated nursing and soothing room is available upstairs for parents and babies.

Busy Bags - Located in the narthex (foyer) & filled with quiet activities.

Nursery Care - Our nursery (0-4yrs) is open 8:25am-12:15pm. Please ask an usher if you need help finding it.

Children's Church - Pick up in the Children's Wing after the service. Take the stairs to the left of the Sanctuary doors, then turn left at the top.

We are delighted to have your entire family worship with us!

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER: 5:30-6:30PM

\$5/Child <12, \$8/Adult
\$25/Family (2 Adults, 2 Kids <12)

September 16
Beef Tacos, Beans, & Rice

September 23 | Annex Hall
Popeyes Chicken Sandwiches

There is no Wed. Supper on Sept. 30

October 7 | Faith & Blue
BBQ Pork Sandwiches, Beans, Rice

October 14 | Preschool Fall Festival
Chili, Baked Potatoes, Hot Dogs

RSVP by noon the Tuesday before supper, or email phall@newnanfumc.org.

EVENTS THIS WEEK & ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

8:30am | Worship (S)
9:45am | Sunday School
9:45am | Confirmation (YL)
11:00am | Worship (S)
4:30pm | Youth Ensemble (CR)
5:00pm | Youth Choir (CR)
6:00pm | UTH* (YL)
**Supper: Beef spaghetti & garlic bread*

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

4:30pm | Joybells (BR)
5:45pm | Inspirations (CR)

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

8:30am | Men's Prayer Breakfast (GR)
9:30am | Celebration Singers (CR)

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

7:00am | UTH Biscuits & Bibles (OS)
9:30am | Women's Bible Study (AH)
10:00am | Dementia Support Mtg (AC)
12:00pm | Breaking Bread (GR)
4:30pm | Bellissimo (BR)
5:00pm | Cherub Choir (M202)
5:00pm | Carol Choir (CR)
5:05pm | Evening Prayer Service (CH)
5:30pm | Wednesday Night Supper (PH)
6:30pm | Women's Bible Study (AH)
6:45pm | Chancel Choir (CR)

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

7:00pm | John S. Dixon Recital (S)

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

8:30am | Worship (S)
9:45am | Sunday School
9:45am | Confirmation (AC)
11:00am | Worship (S)
12:15pm | New Members Class (AH)
4:30pm | Youth Ensemble (CR)
5:00pm | Youth Choir (CR)
6:00pm | UTH* (YL)
6:00pm | ROOT345* (CW)
**Supper: Chicken fried rice & veggie roles*

S: Sanctuary | PH: Parish Hall | PS: Preschool
CR: Choir Room | YL: Youth Lounge | OS: Offsite
BR: Bell Room | CH: Chapel | WR: Work Room
AP: Annex Parking | GR: Gathering Room
CW: Children's Wing | M#: Main Room
A#: Annex Room | AC: Annex Conference
A3F: Annex 3rd Floor | AH: Annex Hall

*If you need assistance registering for events, contact the Church Office!
770.253.7400 or
ChurchOffice@Newnanfumc.org.*



Scan the QR code for full calendar details & signups
NewnanFUMC.org/events

JOHN S. DIXON RECITAL

September 18 | 7:00pm (Sanctuary)
Featuring his 2026 composition "Hope," premiering on 9/11 in Salt Lake City for soprano and organ. Free recital with opportunity for love offering.

NEW MEMBERS CLASS - REGISTER BY 9.17

September 20 | Noon-2:00pm (Annex Hall)
Those interested in becoming a member and recently joined members are invited to pizza with the pastors as you learn more about UMC beliefs and our church.

FLU SHOT CLINIC - FORM ON WEBSITE

September 27 | 9am-12:15pm (Parish Hall)
Palmetto Pharmacy can bring other immunizations if you fill out the form ahead of time. Please bring prescription card or Medicare Part B card. We need children's pediatrician info in advance.

RELIGION IN THE ARTS

October 11 | 3:00pm (Sanctuary)
Celebrating the creative collaboration of local musicians, artists, poets, and dancers. Reception to follow to meet the artists and viewing the Art Ministry Outreach (AMO) Gallery.

FUN 'N FROLIC TO MERCIER ORCHARDS

October 13 | 8:00am-4:00pm
\$10 for travel. Bring extra for purchases and lunch at Bigun's BBQ. Signup sheet outside Main Building Room 203, or contact jeriburnette@yahoo.com. Deadline is October 9.

UTH FALL RETREAT - REGISTER BY 9.13

October 16-18 | Great Wolf Lodge
A weekend of fellowship & fun! Cost covers lodging, transportation, meals, and the water park. Registration ends TODAY!

STEWARDSHIP 2027

As we enter our annual stewardship season, we invite you to prayerfully consider your next faithful step in generosity. More details to come as we begin our 4-week series on October 5.

Then join us for the Commitment Sunday Celebration Luncheon after worship on October 25.

CHURCH T-SHIRT ORDERS

T-shirt orders are IN! As of this printing, we haven't received a delivery update. BUT Stirling Promotions is working hard to get everything processed and we will hopefully know more by the end of the week. Thank you for your patience!

SEPTEMBER ONE ROOF DONATIONS

Sunday, September 20
Bring to Altar or Work Room

Canned meats such as SPAM, tuna, chicken, or sardines, etc, soups (any), canned tomatoes & tomato sauce, mixed beans & baked beans, canned veggies, mac & cheese, fruit cups, oatmeal, grits, peanut butter, jelly, pasta, Ramen noodles, and evaporated milk

Wednesday Night Supper: September 16

Name _____

Adults _____

Kids _____

Tear this off and place in the offering plate, or drop in the Church Office!



Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost
September 13, 2026



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Order of Worship



GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING OF THE PEACE

RECONSECRATION OF THE SANCTUARY Trustees Committee
The Lord be with you
And also with you.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION & THE 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, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

OPENING VOLUNTARY “Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven” Donald P. Hustad

†OPENING HYMN “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing” No. 400

†AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (8:30) No. 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.

†GLORIA PATRI (8:30)
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
World without end. Amen. Amen.

BAPTISM (11:00) Josephine Janette Portante
Daughter of Peyton and Tony Portante

BAPTISMAL RESPONSE (11:00) No. 611
“Child of Blessing, Child of Promise”

BAPTISMAL RESPONSE (11:00)
Members of the household of faith, I commend to your love and care Josephine Janette, whom we this day recognize as a member of the family of God. Will you endeavor so to live that she may grow in the knowledge and love of God, through our Savior Jesus Christ?
With God’s help, we will so order our lives after the example of Christ, that Josephine Janette, surrounded by steadfast love, may be established in the faith and confirmed and strengthened in the way that leads to life eternal.

GIVING OF GOD’S TITHE & OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY “We Praise Thee, O God, Redeemer, Creator” Healey Willan

†DOXOLOGY “Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow” No. 94
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below; Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

†PRAYER OF DEDICATION
Following the prayer, 4-year-olds through 2nd graders may meet volunteers at the back of the sanctuary for Children’s Church. They can be picked up after the service in Room 211.

ANTHEM “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling” arr. Mack Wilberg
Chancel Choir
Dawn McCord, organ

MORNING PRAYER

SCRIPTURE Exodus 14:15-31
The Word of God for the people of God
Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE “The Red Sea Part” Rev. Andrew Chappell

INVITATION

†HYMN “Lead On, O King Eternal” No. 580

†BENEDICTION AND BLESSING

†RESPONSE “Spirit Song” No. 347
O let the Son of God enfold you with his Spirit and his love.
Let him fill your heart and satisfy your soul.
O let him have the things that hold you, and his Spirit like a dove will descend upon your life and make you whole.
Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill your lambs.
Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill your lambs.

†POSTLUDE “‘Praise, My Soul’ Reprise” Donald P. Hustad



The flowers in the sanctuary today are given for the Glory of God and in honor of the Lambeck’s 45th wedding anniversary. The flowers in the Narthex are giving to the Glory of God and in memory of Regina Burrell.



†Please stand as you are able. All music used with permission: CCLI# 1494932
Please silence all cell phones during worship. No food/drinks in the Sanctuary.

RECEIVING NEW MEMBERS

Members of the household of God, I commend these persons to your love and care. Do all in your power to increase their faith, confirm their hope, and perfect them in love.

We give thanks for all that God has already given you, and we welcome you in Christian love. As members together with you in the body of Christ and in this congregation of The United Methodist Church, we renew our covenant faithfully to participate in the ministries of this church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness, that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.

NOTES

UPCOMING SERMONS & SCRIPTURE

September 20 | Drawn Out: Bread in the Wilderness | Rachel Yorgey
Exodus 16:2-15

September 27 | Drawn Out: General Rules for Freedom | Rev. Andrew Chappell
Exodus 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-2

October 4 | Connected to God: Everything Is a Gift | Rev. Andrew Chappell
Deuteronomy 8:11-18; John 15:1-8

October 11 | Connected to Others: Everyone Matters & Belongs | Rev. Lisa Dempsey
Isaiah 58:6-12; 1 Corinthians 12:12-27

CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Andrew Chappell, Senior Pastor	Rev. Connor Bell, Associate Pastor
Bonnie Chahal, Asst. Director of Music	Owen Lambert, Finance & Business Director
Seth Crile, Facilities Manager	Dr. Dawn McCord, Organist
Dr. Caitlyn Dixon, Minister of Music	Susan Mitchell, Preschool Director
Janet Marie Gunnels, Communications Director	Paul Mosley, Youth Minister
Patty Hall, Kitchen Hostess	Julie Perkins, Accompanist
Tiffany Hanson, Church Sexton	Kim Stokes, Finance Secretary
Carol Hartenbower, Administrative Assistant	Andrea Stuart, Director of Children’s Ministries
Jodi Horne, Nursery Coordinator	Rachel Yorgey, Pastoral Resident