

EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY, MAY 18 - GRADUATE SUNDAY

9:30am | HS Seniors Breakfast (PH)
8:30am | Worship (S)
9:45am | Sunday School
11:00am | Worship (S)

MONDAY, MAY 19

10:00am | Martha Circle (PH)
6:00pm | Finance Mtg (AC)
7:00pm | Mission Guatemala Mtg (GR)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 21

9:30am | Women's Bible Study (M203)
10:00am | Dementia Support (AC)
12:00pm | Breaking Bread (R)
5:00pm | Vespers (CH)
5:00-6:15pm | WNF (PH)
6:30pm | Women's Bible Study (AH)
6:45pm | Chancel Choir (CR)

SUNDAY, MAY 25

8:30am | Worship (S)
9:45am | Sunday School
11:00am | Worship (S)

MONDAY, MAY 26

Church Office Closed

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28

12:00pm | Breaking Bread (GR)
5:00pm | Choir Tour Rehearsal (CR)

SATURDAY, MAY 31-JUNE 7

Youth Choir Tour

SUNDAY, JUNE 1

8:30am | Worship (S)
9:45am | Sunday School
11:00am | Worship (S)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4

12:00pm | Breaking Bread (GR)
5:00-6:15pm | WNF BINGO Night (PH)

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

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WORSHIP SERVING OPPORTUNITY

Sundays | 8:30 & 11:00am (S)
*Sign up to read scripture during worship
and/or to serve communion, using the QR
code below.*

WEDNESDAY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP

May 21 | 5:00-6:15pm (PH)
*Menu: Pork Chops, Scalloped Potatoes,
Salad, Dessert. Kids: Chicken Nuggets.
RSVP by 5/20 using the QR code below.*

WEDNESDAY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP

June 4 | 5:00-6:15pm (PH)
*Menu: Ham, Green Beans, Noodles,
Coleslaw, Salad, Dessert. RSVP by 6/3
using the QR code below.*

UTH DOWNTOWN DEVOS

June 11 | 11:00am (YL)
*Weekly meetings where the youth will
dive into the Bible before heading to a
restaurant downtown for lunch.*

UTH ADVENTURE

June 16 | 9:00am-2:00pm (Callaway Gardens)
*A day at Aqua Island, where they have
inflatables on the water. Register by 6/9
using the QR code below.*

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

June 23-26 | 9:00am-12:30pm
*Rising preK-4 to 6th Graders are invited for
a week of SCUBA: Diving into friendship
with God. Kids AND VOLUNTEERS can sign
up at the QR code below.*

5TH SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP

June 29 | 9:45am (PH)
*The entire church is invited to a potluck-
style breakfast during the Sunday School
hour.*

UTH ADVENTURE

July 7 | 10:00am (The Fun Spot)
*Roller coasters, go-karts, carnival games,
arcades, and more! Register by 6/30 using
the QR code below.*



Scan QR code to sign up
for above events & more.
[NewnanFUMC.org/events](https://www.newnanfumc.org/events)



WONDERS REVEALED

Newnan First UMC
Youth Choir Tour
May 31 - June 8, 2025

St. Simons Island • Savannah • Charleston
Goldsboro • Outer Banks • Charlotte

ABOUT THE COVER

Hole, W. Mark 10:13-16. He blesseth little children and chideth those who would keep
them from Him., None. [Between 1950 and 1977] [Photograph] Retrieved from the Library
of Congress, <https://www.loc.gov/item/2019705795/>.

GIVING & ATTENDANCE

YEAR-TO-DATE FINANCE - Week 19

Total Tithes/Income: \$506,782
Total Expenses: \$574,013
Over/(Under): (\$67,231)
TOTAL BUDGET: \$1,677,277

ATTENDANCE - May 11

8:30 Worship: 92
11:00 Worship: 252
Children/Nursery: 9
YouTube Live Stream: 95
TOTAL ATTENDANCE: 448

SUPPORT OUR MINISTRIES & MISSIONS

We thank you for your gracious gifts!



www.newnanfumc.org/give
Text "NFUMC" to 73256

Place cash or checks in the offering
plate, or follow above options to pay
with credit card. You can also set up
automatically-recurring gifts through
your bank.

Contact Owen Lambert for assistance.
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5th Sunday of Easter
May 18, 2025



WORSHIP

GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING OF THE PEACE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Jesus welcomed the children, blessing them with open arms.
We come with gratitude, ready to receive God’s grace.
Today we honor our graduates, stepping forward in faith.
May they go with Christ’s love, bold and unafraid. AMEN.

OPENING VOLUNTARY “Canon #7 from École d’Orgue” Jacques Lemmens

†OPENING HYMN “How Can We Name a Love” No. 111

†AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 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.

MORNING PRAYER & 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.

**(11:00) Following The Lord’s 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.*

GIVING OF GOD’S TITHE & OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY “Somebody’s Knocking at Your Door” Thomas Keesecker

†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

ANTHEM “Praise His Holy Name” Keith Hampton
Youth Choir & Celebration Singers
David Kinrade, piano

†SCRIPTURE Mark 10:13-16
The Word of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE “A Place at the Table” Paul Mosley

RECOGNITION OF HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

May God’s bright flame from the lamp of knowledge guide you.
May God’s warm glow off the pages of scripture comfort you.
May the cool baptismal waters of God continue to refresh you in your endings and new beginnings.
May your Soul always be fed at Christ’s table,
may your Heart always be open in the presence of the Holy Spirit,
and may your Mind be transformed in the mighty presence of the Great “I Am.”
God is with you. God is with us. Go with God. Amen.

INVITATION

†HYMN “God of Grace and God of Glory” No. 577

†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 L. Bourgeois/ F. Bock
“Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”

†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.

CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Andrew Chappell, Senior Pastor	Rev. Connor Bell, Associate Pastor
Rev. Lisa Dempsey, Interim Pastor	
Aileen Burnett, Missions & Sr Adult Coordinator	Bonnie Krider, Asst. Director of Music
Seth Crile, Facilities Manager	Owen Lambert, Finance & Business Director
Dr. Caitlyn Dixon, Minister of Music	Dr. Dawn McCord, Organist
Janet Marie Gunnels, Communications Director	Susan Mitchell, Preschool Director
Patty Hall, Kitchen Hostess	Paul Mosley, Youth Minister
Tiffany Hanson, Church Sexton	Julie Perkins, Accompanist
Carol Hartenbower, Administrative Assistant	Kim Stokes, Finance Secretary
Jodi Horne, Nursery Coordinator	Andrea Stuart, Director of Children’s Ministries
Carrie Horsley, Church Sexton	Melody Webb, Discipleship Director

THANK YOU FOR JOINING US

Please fill out a Connect Card if you’re a guest, need to update your contact information, or have a prayer request.

The Soothing Room for mothers is upstairs next to the Sanctuary balcony.

The Nursery is open 8:25am-12:15pm for children 3 and younger. Please see an usher for guidance.

Kids Busy Bags are in the Narthex and are filled with activities to keep little ones occupied during the service. Please return the bags with contents to the basket after.

Adults interested in joining a Sunday School Class (our small groups) can find info brochures in the Narthex.

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.

CONGRATULATIONS, GRADUATES!

Olivia Ayers, Univ. of Georgia
David Browning, Jr., Univ. of Georgia
Dr. Caitie Dixon, The Univ. of S. Mississippi
Benjamin Griffith, Newnan High School
Hudson Huey, Newnan High School
Anna Johnston, Georgia Tech
Cade Johnston, Newnan High School
Cam Lovett, Newnan High School
William Lovett, U.S. Air Force Academy
Jones Paulk, Univ. of North Georgia
Amie Phelps, Newnan High School
Caitlyn Phillips, Univ.of Florida

Grayson Porras, Univ. of North Georgia
Caroline Rice, Newnan High School
Gabrielle Rine, Newnan High School
William Robertson, Newnan High School
Chloe Smith, East Coweta High School
Henry Smith, Newnan High School
Katherine Smith, Newnan High School
Jackson Stuart, Northgate High School
Katelyn Sullivan, Newnan High School
Matthew Vukovich, Newnan High School
Lloyd Weaver, Newnan High School
Abigail Williams, Univ. of Georgia

NOTES

USHERS

Jim Wicker-Head Usher (8:30am),
Matt Rossey-Head Usher (11am),
Andy Rice, Billy Arnall, Don Conoly,
Gary Welden, James Welden,
Kay Luzaich, Steve Sharp,
Walter Arnall, Weston Arnall

Wed. Night Fellowship: May 21

Name _____

Adults _____

Kids _____