

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER REQUEST LINK: Send celebrations and concerns to:
prayer@newsharonchurchnc.org

CARDS: To have card sent from church, contact Faye Cleaton
fbcleaton@gmail.com

SUNDAY SCHOOL at 9 a.m. with Rob on Zoom

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WORSHIP on Sundays at 11 a.m. in Sanctuary or live stream

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COMING UP:

January 21 at 4:00 p.m.- Regular Council Meeting in the back classroom

February 13 at 11:00 a.m.- New Sharon Women meeting

MONTHLY FINANCE REPORT

Thank you for your tithes and offerings!

Monthly Budget Needs \$16,350.00

December Expenses- \$6,570.34

December Credits- \$41,199.25

MISSION GIVING OPPORTUNITIES

BACKPACK BUDDIES: This outreach needs single serving, ready-to-eat/easy-to-prepare for breakfast and lunch, especially needed are: single servings of fruit, snacks and vegetables, juice boxes and cocoa packets.

OCIM (Orange Congregations in Mission) There is a list of staples needed at the sanctuary entrances.

SOUPER BOWL- A special donation of canned soup will be collected for OCIM as football fans anticipate this year's Super Bowl. Between January 7 and February 11 we hope to collect 100 cans of family sized soups!

The Second Sunday After Epiphany

January 14, 2024

11:00 a.m.



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Interim Pastor: Daniel Knapp

859-640-8795/<mailto:danielandjeanie@gmail.com>

Music Director: Mila Karamushka

Lay Leader: Chris Sykes

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January 14, 2024

*Please stand, as able

Welcome and Announcements

Chris

Prelude: "A Gothic Prelude" Gordon Young

Mila

*Call to Worship and Opening Prayer (From John 1:43-51)

L: Jesus found Philip and said to him;

P: Follow me!

L: Philip found Nathaniel and said to him:

P: Come and See!

L: Nathanael asked him, "Where did you get to know me?"

P: Jesus answered, "I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you."

L: Let us pray to the God who called us and sees us;

P: Jesus Christ, Son of God, we thank you for calling us to be your disciples. Open our eyes to recognize you as the promised Messiah, and draw us to follow you wherever you lead. For you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit one God, now and forever. Amen.

*Greeting God in Song: "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" #139

*Sharing of Christ's Peace

Chris

Christ welcomes us all to the house of the Lord. Take this moment to welcome each other in the name of Christ's grace, peace, and welcoming mercy.

*The Nicene Creed

#880

*Special Music

"We Will Glorify"

SOP #9

"Holy Spirit"

Praise Band

Community Prayers & Pastoral Prayer

Daniel Knapp

Concluding with 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.

The Word of the Lord

Psalm 139:1-6; 13-18

#854

L: The Word of God for the people of God.

P: Thanks be to God!

Tithes and Offering

Daniel Knapp

Offerings may be mailed/brought to church or given online at <https://secure.myvanco.com/YNW6/home> Thank you!

Offertory: "Draw Me Close" Kelly Carpenter

Mila

***Doxology:** (Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow)

#95

***Hymn:** "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

#384

The Proclamation of The Word

Daniel Knapp

Can Anything Good Come out of Nazareth? – John 1:43-51

Prayer of Confession

Daniel Knapp

The Psalmist encourages us to lift our eyes, but the weight of our sin keeps our gaze upon the ground. Let us confess our sins that we may be freed of the burden that only Christ can release.

(Silently make your confessions to God.)

(From Psalm 139:23-24 - NLT)

Search me, O God, and know my heart;

test me and know my anxious thoughts.

Point out anything in me that offends you,

and lead me along the path of everlasting life. Amen.

Words of Assurance

Brothers and Sisters in Christ, hear now the good news of the Gospel: through the life, death, and resurrection of our Lord, Jesus Christ, our sins are forgiven. **Alleluia! Amen.**

***Closing Hymn:** "I Am Thine, O Lord"

#419

*Sending Forth and Benediction

Daniel Knapp

Our worship continues as we are sent into the world!

***Postlude:** "On Christ the Solid Rock I Stand"

Mila

Adam Mason, based on SOLID ROCK, arr. William B. Bradbury

God loves you and you are not alone!