

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 via our church webpage at About Us/Ministries/[Sunday School](#)

WORSHIP on Sundays at 11 a.m. in Sanctuary or live stream via our church webpage at All Sermons/[Live Sermon](#)

COMING UP:

March 17 at 4:00 p.m. the Administrative Council will meet in the fellowship hall.

March 28 at 7:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday service

March 29 at 7:00 p.m. Good Friday service

March 31 at 7:30 a.m. Easter Sunrise service followed by breakfast

MONTHLY FINANCE REPORT

Thank you for your tithes and offerings!

Monthly Budget Needs \$16,350.00

February Expenses- \$5,145.78

February Credits- \$12,275.60

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.

ORANGE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOL LIBRARIANS

The New Sharon Women invite you to celebrate National Librarian Day this April and say thanks to the 12 awesome school librarians in Orange County. They are dedicated professionals who develop library programs that support the curriculum with both print and non-print materials, manage the media center as a flexible, multi-task learning environment for the students and provide instructional leadership for teachers.

Monetary donations (checks made out to New Sharon Women) will be collected at each door, after the service, until April 7 and Cindy D will purchase the supplies.

New Sharon Church

Fifth Sunday in Lent

March 17, 2024

11:00 a.m.



1601 New Sharon Church Rd. Hillsborough NC 27278

<https://www.newsharonchurchnc.org/>

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Interim Pastor: Daniel Knapp

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

Music Director: Mila Karamushka

Lay Leader: Chris Sykes

Ministers of the Gospel: Every member of New Sharon!

Fifth Sunday in Lent / March 17, 2024

*Please stand, as able

Welcome and Announcements

Chris

Prelude: "If Thou But Suffer God" Paul Manz

Mila

***Call to Worship and Opening Prayer** (from Jeremiah 31:31)

L: The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah.

P: In this covenant, through his death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, people will find new life.

L: Let us pray that by faith in Christ we may share in his victory.

P: Most merciful God, you saved humankind by the death and resurrection of your Son, Jesus Christ. Strengthen our faith in him who suffered on the cross, so that we may triumph in the power of his victory. For he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

***Greeting God in Song:** "Here I Am, Lord"

#593

***Sharing of Christ's Peace**

Chris

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

***The Apostles' Creed**

#881

***Special Music**

* "Give Us Clean Hands"

SoP #16

"Evidence"

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

Paul Jones

Psalm 51:1-12

#785

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 through our church webpage at [Giving](#) Thank you!

Offertory: "The Wonderful Cross"

Mila

Isaac Watts, Jesse Reeves, Christ Tomlin and J.D Walt

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

#95

***Hymn:** "Hallelujah! What a Savior"

#165

The Proclamation of The Word

Daniel Knapp

Written on the Heart - Jeremiah 31:31-34; John 12:20-33

***Prayer of Confession**

Daniel Knapp

As we make our confessions to God, may we humbly and contritely ask the Holy Spirit to search our hearts, may we confess with the assurance that the God of all grace will, through the Holy Spirit, empower us to do justly, love mercy, and walk humbly with God.

(Silently make your confessions to God.)

O Almighty God, who alone can order the unruly wills and affections of sinful people: Grant unto your people that we may love the thing which you command, and desire that which you promise; that so, among the sundry and manifold changes of the world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. 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:** "Breathe on Me, Breath of God"

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***Sending Forth and Benediction**

Daniel Knapp

Our worship continues as we are sent into the world!

***Postlude:** "Toccata in E Minor" Johann Pachelbel

Mila

God loves you and you are not alone!