

New Sharon Church

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:

May 5 at 4:30 p.m. the SPRC committee will meet in the upstairs classroom.

May 14 at 11:00 a.m. the New Sharon Women will meet in the fellowship hall. Bring your lunch (and a friend) and join us for devotion and fellowship.

May 19 at 4:00 p.m. the Administrative Council will meet in the fellowship hall.

MONTHLY FINANCE REPORT

Thank you for your tithes and offerings!

Monthly Budget Needs \$16,350.00

March Expenses- \$10,313.24

March Credits- \$14,138.66

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.

Fifth Sunday of Easter
April 28, 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

Ministers of the Gospel: Every member of New Sharon!

Fifth Sunday of Easter / April 28, 2024

*Please stand, as able

Welcome and Announcements

Chris

Prelude: "Jesus Paid It All"

Mila

John T. Grape, arr. by Cathy DeRousse

***Call to Worship and Opening Prayer**

L: Beloved, let us love one another, because love is from God;

P: Everyone who loves is born of God and knows God.

L: The Lord Jesus Christ is the true vine who gives us growth as branches in Him.

P: We produce fruit by remaining in Him.

L: Let us pray that we may abide in Christ.

P: Loving heavenly Father, thank you for giving us new life through your Son. Make us fruitful branches of the true vine. Help us to keep trusting in him and to show your love by loving other people. Lead us to live in harmony with one another and to help others in need. Amen.

***Greeting God in Song:** "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" #89

***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

* "Come Christians Join to Sing"

SoP #2

"Peace Be Still"

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

Psalms 22:25-31

#753

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: "Fairest Lord Jesus"

Mila

Silesian Folk Melody, arr. Melody Bober

***Doxology:** (*Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*) #95

***Hymn:** "Abide with Me" #700

The Proclamation of The Word

Daniel Knapp

Abide in Me John 15:1-8

***Prayer of Confession**

Daniel Knapp

Let us pray for a teachable spirit, that when we experience the pruning of the Lord, we may remember that God loves us. Hebrews 12:11 tells us, "For the moment all discipline seems painful rather than pleasant, but later it yields the peaceful fruit of righteousness to those who have been trained by it.

(Silently make your confessions to God.)

Almighty God, who alone can order the unruly wills and affections of sinful humanity; grant to your people, that they may love the thing which you command, and desire that which you promise; that so, among the various experiences we face and the many changes of the world, our hearts may surely be fixed upon you, where true joys may be found; through our Savior Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, on God, world without end. 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 Need Thee Every Hour" #397

***Sending Forth and Benediction**

Daniel Knapp

Our worship continues as we are sent into the world!

***Postlude:** "Holy, Holy, Holy" with "Holy is the Lord"

Mila

arr. by Anna Laura Page

God loves you and you are not alone!