

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:

June 1- Homecoming- 257 years! We will have a fellowship dinner after our worship service.

June 10 at 11:00 a.m. the New Sharon Women will meet in the fellowship hall. Bring a friend and join us for devotion and fellowship.

June 21 from 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. New Sharon will host Vacation Bible School "Barnyard Bonanza"

July 13 at 4:00 p.m. the Administrative Council will meet in the fellowship hall.

July 20 at 4:30 p.m. the SPRC committee will meet in the upstairs classroom.

FINANCE REPORT

Thank you for your tithes and offerings!

Monthly Budget Needs \$16,703

April Expenses- \$14,360.40

April Credits- \$11,964.81

MISSION GIVING OPPORTUNITIES

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

BACKPACK BUDDIES: This outreach is completing a summer food drive today for these children and their families. All donations need to be at the church today. Pathways is very grateful for the year-long support we give them!

SAMARITAN'S PURSE/OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD:

New Sharon will be collecting items year-round to fulfill our goal of 50 shoeboxes this year. Different items will be collected each month. Many items are personal items toiletries-remember that they have to fit in a shoebox! You may also make a donation to the church, earmarked for Samaritan's Purse which will be used to buy the shoeboxes, pay for shipping and buy additional items.

 **New Sharon Church**
A Global Methodist Congregation

~ Est. 1768 ~

May 25, 2025

11:00 a.m.



Our logo is a faithful reproduction of "Christ in the Garden of Gethsemane" by Heinrich Hofmann

1601 New Sharon Church Rd. Hillsborough NC 27278

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

Church Office: 919-732-5144

Pastor: Rev. Dr. Insung Kim

Cell: 919-525-8200

pastorinsung@newsharonchurchnc.org

Pastor's Office Hours: 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Tuesday-Friday
by appointment

Pianist/Organist: Hannah Kim

Ministers of the Gospel: Every member of New Sharon!

May 25, 2025

*Please stand, as able

Welcome and Greeting

*Sharing of Christ's Peace

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

Call to Worship

Leader: Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.

People: Worship the Lord with gladness;

Leader: Come before Him with joyful songs.

People: Know that the Lord is God.

Leader: It is He who made us, and we are His;

People: We are His people, the sheep of His pasture.

Leader: Enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise;

People: Give thanks to Him and praise His name. AMEN

***Opening Hymn: "Nothing But the Blood of Jesus" #362**

Prayer of Confession

Lord, we come before you humbled, recognizing our dependence on your grace and your guidance. We confess that while striving to serve you and do your work, we have fallen short in various ways. We are sorry for the times we have stumbled, made mistakes, or failed to serve with the full measure of dedication and love you deserve. We are sorry for the wasted opportunities, the times our actions didn't reflect your will, and the moments where we let our own desires or fears overshadow your call. Forgive us, Lord, for these shortcomings. We place our trust in your boundless mercy and forgiveness. Strengthen us with your Holy Spirit, that we may continue to serve with renewed commitment, humility, and a deep appreciation for your grace. Grant us wisdom and discernment to discern your will and faithfully carry out your work, not just in our own efforts, but also through the assistance of your power. We ask this in Jesus' Holy name. Amen

Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer *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.

Ministry Through Music: "I Was Made For More" Praise Band

Scripture Reading: Philippians 3:12-16 Paul Jones

Sermon: A Call to Commitment David Neff

Offering

Offerings may be mailed/brought to church or given online through our church webpage at [Giving](#). Thank you!

Offertory "Be Thou My Vision" Mark Walker

***Closing Hymn: "Up From the Grave He Arose" #322**

*Benediction

Welcome to New Sharon Church which has been a house of worship in Hillsborough, NC since 1768. We strive to grow spiritually in Christian faith and to shine the light of Jesus Christ in our world. We joined the Global Methodist denomination in 2023. The Global Methodist Mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ who worship passionately, love extravagantly, witness boldly and grow intentionally.

We're delighted to have you join us today. If you are visiting, please fill out this information and drop it in the offering plate or give it to Pastor Insung as you leave. We hope you feel welcomed and inspired by our worship service. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to ask the pastor or an usher.

Name: _____

Contact information: (Phone number or email address):
