



Holy Week and Easter Encounters!

Encounter the One who will save us from sin and death and offer us Resurrection life today and for all eternity! We look forward to connecting with you and your guests at these powerful Holy week and Easter Services!

Palm and Passion Sunday

April 14 ~ 9:30 a.m., and 11 a.m.

“Encountering Hell on Earth and a Quake from Above”

Last Supper Community Meal and Communion

Thursday, April 18 ~ 6:30 p.m. in the great room
Mt. Carmel UMC

“The Encounters That Brought Us to the Table”

The confirmands of Mt. Carmel are eager to offer you a seat at the table as we share a community meal and remember the Last Supper Jesus shared with his friends. All ages are welcome for this supper wrapped in scripture, drama, and music. The confirmation class and other youth will serve and lead along with Pastor Jenny and Pastor Ed. **Bring a covered dish to share.**



Good Friday

April 19 ~ 7 p.m. New Market UMC

Do not miss this special service. Pastor Scott's good friend, Fransisco de Araujo, will be directing the La Camerata Nuove Singers with special music offered between the Passion readings.

Fransisco and the Camerata Nuove Singers have performed Handel's Messiah at the Church of the Nativity in Jerusalem, performed for the King of Jordan's birthday, and at the celebration of the peace treaty signed between Jordan and Israel.

Easter Sunday – “Close Encounters with Saul/Paul”

Easter Sunrise 6 a.m. Fairview Chapel (6802 Boyers Mill Rd.)

9:30 and 11 a.m. Traditional Easter Services at New Market UMC

Lunch with Pastor Scott



Easton Michael Wantz



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Memorial Contributions received by NMUMC in honor or memory of a loved one are entrusted to the discretion of the Board of Trustees. The Trustees have decided that all monies received by memorial contributions will be applied to the Building Fund until all ministry-focused projects are complete. Each family will be contacted on how the memorial money for their loved one will be applied. Special designations, if desired, will be entertained at the Trustees discretion. We thank all those who have generously given in honor or memory of those we dearly love.

Building Fund, Memorial Gifts and the Projects They Supported

We tend to forget what progress has been made at NMUMC's facilities and ministries. In the last six years, through your generous contributions to the Building Fund and Memorial Gifts, the following upgrades were made possible.

2011-12 UMW fundraising and Memorials used for schoolhouse kitchen:

Candy Goebel Edith Hunter Dorothy (Dottie) Kuhrmann Donal Petersen Edna Poole
Harold Thompson

2013 UMW Fundraising and Memorials for schoolhouse handicap bathroom: Norman Geary

2013 Memorial for Choir Robes: Steve Oden

2013 Memorial for Chrismon tree: M.F. Deater

2013 Children's nativity and ornaments: Larry K. Brown

2014 Building Fund and Memorials accomplished the:

Painting of the Sanctuary \$15,992.00

Repair of the Parking Lot \$ 5,875.00

Loretta Kimmel Chris Matthews Gene Myers Coy Price Gene Shellenbarger Pat Zimmerman



2015 Building Fund and Memorials used for Ed Building to prepare for the operation of the Preschool:

Heating and cooling \$19,210.00

Permanent wall, doors, misc. \$15,017.00

Key Pad entry \$ 1,242.00

Exterior gables, soffit, fascia, gutters \$ 9,655 .00

Playground fencing \$852.00

Annie Simone Catherine Barell (Spouse Lugez) Larry Loveland Roy Winters Gene Zimmerman
Jean Zimmerman

2016 Building Fund and Memorials used for Schoolhouse:

Handicap Ramp (UMW) \$1,182.00

Heating and Cooling \$14,750.00

Brent Blickenstaff Charles King Chris Matthews



2017 Building Fund and Memorials used for Schoolhouse:

Replacement Windows \$4,480

Marilyn Brooks Mabel Heider Delaine Hobbs Mary Louis Howard Ruth Myers

2018 Building Fund and Memorials used for Ministry-Focused Projects and Schoolhouse.

Site Plan for all properties \$ 3,200

Kitchen roof replacement, Schoolhouse \$ 8,895

Nicky Fusco Catherine McLaughlin Maxine Watkins

2019 Memorials that have not been utilized.

Matt Bernota Harry Free June Oden Hypatia Selby



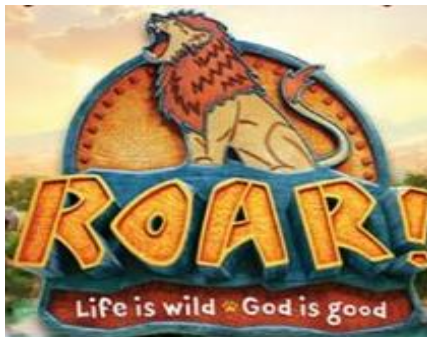
Ministry Focused Projects still to be completed \$100,350

Our Children and Youth Ministry is **GROWING!** Come and join the fun!!



Sunday School Schedule

9:15-9:30 a.m.: Gathering Time in the pre-school room
9:30- 9:45 a.m.: Large Group Worship
9:45-10:20 a.m.: Kids break into age-appropriate classes
10:20-10:30 a.m.: Snack time



Dates July 29 to
August 2 –
6:00 to 8:15 p.m.

Vacation Bible School Meeting Schedule 2019

Tues., April 9th 7-9 p.m. in the Ed. Bldg. kitchen

Tues., April 30th 7-9 p.m. in the Ed. Bldg. kitchen

Wed., May 22nd 7-9 p.m. in the Ed. Bldg. kitchen

Tues., June 25th 7-9 p.m. in the Ed. Bldg. kitchen

Sat., July 20th 10:30 a.m. Ed. Bldg. & Schoolhouse

Fri., July 26th 9 a.m. All Buildings

Sat., July 27th 9 a.m. All Buildings

Sun., July 28th 1 p.m. All Buildings

1st Annual New Market Egg Roll April 20th 10 a.m.- 12 p.m.
New Market Grange, 14 South Alley

Come and enjoy a community celebration provided by the New Market Grange and New Market UMC.

Fun for all ages: egg rolls every half hour starting at 10 a.m., Easter games, Egg head races, spoon and egg races, Jelly Bean Jar and much more. Hot dog mini meals will be available for purchase to offset event costs. Everything else is free!

We still need volunteers for this event. Please join us for a planning meeting on March 27th at 7 p.m. in the Ed. Bldg. kitchen.

Security Assessment

In January the Frederick Sherriff's Department came to the NMUMC and offered free security advice. Starting Sunday, April 7th we will be implementing some of these security suggestions. All doors to the Education Building will be locked during the 11 a.m. service. The only access point during that time will be by entering a four-digit code at the Preschool door. This code can be obtained by asking the usher on duty. If handicap access is needed to the Ed. Bldg. the usher on duty will be your escort to the kitchen door. The key code has also been changed at the Ed. Bldg. kitchen door. If you are in need of this code, please contact the church office.

FOR MORE INFO. VISIT WWW.NEWMARKETUMC.COM OR CALL 301-865-3530



BOX TOP\$ FOR BOARD OF CHILD CARE

The Board of Child Care is asking us to collect BOX TOP\$ to assist in the purchase of educational materials for their campuses in Baltimore and Falling Waters. There will be a basket in the sanctuary to drop off any BOX TOPS you have collected. This will be an ongoing request and a

very simple way to assist one of the most important missions we support.

Below is an example of some of the products that participate in the BOX TOP\$ program.



If you want additional information on the program, please visit their website at the link below:

<https://www.boxtops4education.com>

Thank all of you for your participation.



Youth Summer Mission Trip to North Carolina July 7-12th

Cost: \$200.00

\$100.00 deposit due ASAP to reserve a spot
Spots will be reserved in the order in which they
were received. There are 10 youth openings for
rising 9th-12th graders.

The week of July 7th-12th we will send a 15-person team of ten youth and five adults, led by Pastor Ed, to serve those impacted by Hurricane Matthew (2016) and Hurricane Florence (2018) on the coastal areas of North Carolina. Our team will help improve living conditions through projects like roofing, drywall repair, and other miscellaneous tasks.



Hope 4 Kids would like to thank the parents, students, and staff at New Market Middle School. During the month of February, the school held a non-perishable food drive and selected Hope 4 Kids as one of their food recipients. We received over 250 pounds of food items that will be distributed next month to hungry kids attending the six local schools we serve. The generosity of NMMS is a very timely blessing, as H4K recently began serving more than 100 students each week. Hope 4 Kids will pack at Mt. Carmel on 4/7 and 5/5 after the 11 a.m. service (in the basement) and at the New Market Schoolhouse from 6-7 p.m. on 4/16 and 5/21. H4K packing is a great time of service and fellowship; all ages are welcome. If you have questions about packing or sponsoring a student, please contact Caryn Gilbert at caryn.a.gilbert@gmail.com

Clean Closets for Campers (Clothes for Campers)

Clean Closets for Campers is a church and community partnership that can build up our campership fund. You can be a part of the faith foundation of a child by simply cleaning your closets!

Clean Closets for Campers will work hand in hand with our church to collect gently-used clothing, shoes, purses, belts and hats, blankets, sheets, towels. Once collected, Mission Partners will pick up the donations, and give our campership fund 50% of the current market value of the goods.

What do I do with my donations? There will be a trailer parked at New Market UMC in the office parking lot starting April 1st and ending on the 10th of May. New Market UMC is located at 5 Prospect St., New Market. The trailer will be unlocked and there will be non-cash donation slips in a clear packet on the rear door. **Please bag clothes in sturdy plastic bags.**

There will also be a collection at Mt. Carmel on May 5th during the 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. services. Bring your donations that day and place them on the hood of your car; the youth will collect the bags during the services and take them to New Market.

Where does the donated clothing go? Most donated items stay inside the U.S. and are made into reusable rags, eco-friendly insulation for homes, or resold at thrift stores. A small percentage is sent abroad to companies that create local jobs in the resale of affordable clothing. Be sure to tell your friends and neighbors to join in on the donations.



Help send our youth and adult mission teams and enjoy fellowship and a delicious spaghetti dinner!

Saturday May 24
4-8 p.m.
New Market Grange
14 South Alley,
New Market

Spaghetti, meatballs, garlic bread, salad and desserts!

(Free will offering)



Christ's Carpenters

Christ's Carpenters is a parish ministry that provides minor home repair, maintenance, and cleanup of parishioner and non-parishioner homes that are unable or cannot afford the upkeep themselves.

This spring, Christ's Carpenters will have an opportunity to assist the retrofitting of some of the apartments that are being built in the neighboring recovery center (Crossroads) located in Ijamsville. We also will be joining in with Rebuilding Together (formerly Christmas in April) to do improvements, along with Boy Scout Troop 628 and Wells Fargo, at a home located near FCF church. These work dates will start on **April 20** and continue through May 4. All skill levels are welcome!

If you are interested in volunteering at Crossroads, please contact Pastor Scott at pastorscott62@gmail.com or 240-409-8119.

If you would like to help with Rebuilding Together, contact Joey Romagnoli at joeyromagnoli@comcast.net or 240-367-4091.

If you know of anyone within the church or community who could benefit from the services provided by Christ's Carpenters, please contact Anthony Bishop: abishop@deicingdepot.com.

Adult Mission Trip

This year Pastor Scott will be taking 10 adults (18+) to Newport, North Carolina from August 11th -17th. We will serve those impacted by Hurricane Matthew (2016) and Hurricane Florence (2018) on the coastal areas of North Carolina. The accommodations will be in relief centers with cots and showers. We will be providing our own meals, so we are looking for a volunteer who will stay behind and coordinate making meals. All skill levels are welcome. There is a \$150 fee to register and the deadline is May 15th. Scholarships are available. Interested in serving? Cooking for the team? Contact Pastor Scott at pastorscott62@gmail.com for more information.



Circle of Friends

Ladies Groups at New Market

Would you like to get to know and support other Women?



Ladies in Faith Together (LIFT), the UMW evening group, meets the second Monday of each month at 7 p.m. in the Education Building kitchen. If you would like more information on this group, contact Kathy Ginsburg (kathyginsburg1106@gmail.com) or Donna Clawson (declawson16@gmail.com). To learn more about the knit/crochet group, Fellowship With A Purpose, contact Arlene Craig (arlenemcraig@gmail.com).

The Circle of Friends, the UMW daytime group, meets the second Tuesday of each month at 12 p.m. in the Schoolhouse. If you would like more information on this group, contact Marilyn Fritz at 240-405-4614.

UMW Circle of Friends: Our next meeting will be on April 9th at 12 p.m. in the Schoolhouse. Please mark your calendar. We hope you can come!

LIFT (Ladies in Faith Together): Our next meeting will be on April 8th at 7 p.m. in the Ed. Bldg. kitchen. Please mark your calendar. We hope you can come!

Care Team

Can you believe it?

Springtime is here! Your Care Team at NMUMC wants to introduce the ministries that our Lord has called our passionate group to do for our congregation.

Several of the ways that we provide support for others are:

- visiting and delivering care packages to the shut-in/facility-bound or those needing care, visits and sharing of scripture
- sending cards of encouragement, sympathy, or get well wishes
- reaching out to those in our congregation who generally are not able to come to church
- serving through our "meal train" which delivers meals to those recovering from surgery, the arrival of new bundles of joy, someone going through medical issues or in need of short-term help

We are here for you!

Yes, springtime is knocking on our door and it is time to get out of the house for a change of scenery! Your Care Team is an active, four seasons group who would love to have you join us!

For more information, talk with any of our Care Team members (Patty Robinson, Carole Zimmerman, Barbara Zimmerman, Arlene Craig, Nick Wood, Dan Cooper, Brenda Lawson, Carolyn Geary, Alice Bryant, and Kathy Ginsburg) or contact Susan Stevens at Susan_B_Stevens@mcpsmd.org, or at 240.277.2581.

"May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope."

Romans 15:13



Each year we ask for your financial commitment plans to New Market so that we can plan an attainable budget and fully fund our shared ministries. Our Finance Team would like to thank each and every one of you for making a financial commitment and fulfilling that commitment in 2018 to support our church operations and mission. Your support not only provides us a phenomenal place to worship God and an inviting place for others to join us, but also insures our ministries are funded and our church mission is fulfilled.

We are off to a strong financial start this year. We encourage you to continue in your consistent giving and making up for Sunday's when you are absent.

Your continued commitment in 2019 is vital to the fiscal health and growth of our church. Please give generously every week in 2019!

New Weekly Budget Goal for 2019 \$3,957.55

Rushing out the door on Sunday morning and forgot to write a check? Many in our congregation have found one of the easiest ways to stay on track with your regular giving is to set up a repeating payment from your checking account in your online banking account.



Worship Helpers Needed - Get involved by volunteering to help at the 9:30 or 11 a.m. services. Readers, ushers, greeters, and nursery volunteers are needed. We are trying to establish a once a month rotation. If you are interested, or would like more information on the duties, please contact Pastor Scott.

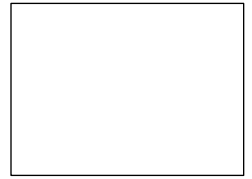
Sunday Worship Times 9:30 & 11 A.M.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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Happy Anniversary! Pastor Scott & Donna Clawson 4/27	6 p.m. Cub Scouts (ED) FPU 6:30 p.m. (SH)	6 – 7:30 p.m. Girl Scouts (SH) 7 p.m. SPRC/LET (Ed. BK) 7 p.m. Trustees (L)	7 p.m. Stephen Ministry (L) AA 7 p.m. (SH)	1:45 – 3 p.m. Kinderdance (SH) 7 p.m. Choir (L) 7 p.m. Men's Study Group (Ed.BK) 7 p.m. Boy Scouts (SH)	No School 4 – 5:45 p.m. Children's Choir practice (SH)	Library 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. 11 a.m. Memorial for Glenn Prichard
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
12:15 Hope 4 Kids (MC) Eagle Scouts 2 p.m. (S) & (SH)	6 p.m. Cub Scouts (ED) FPU 6:30 p.m. (SH) 7 p.m. LIFT (Ed. BK)	UMW 12 p.m. (SH) 3:40 – 5:30 p.m. Girl Scouts (SH) 7 p.m. VBS (Ed. BK)	AA 7 p.m. (SH)	1:45 – 3 p.m. Kinderdance (SH) 7 p.m. Choir (L) 7 p.m. Men's Study Group (Ed.BK) 7 p.m. Boy Scouts (SH)	Newsletter Deadline 4 – 5:45 p.m. Children's Choir practice (SH)	Library 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. 7:30 a.m. Emergency Responders
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
2:30 – 5 p.m. Daisies (SH)	6 p.m. Cub Scouts (ED) FPU 6:30 p.m. (SH)	6 p.m. Hope 4 Kids (SH) 7 p.m. Council (Ed.BK)	AA 7 p.m. (SH)	1:45 – 3 p.m. Kinderdance (SH) 7 p.m. Choir (L) 7 p.m. Men's Study Group (Ed.BK) 7 p.m. Boy Scouts (SH) HOLY THURSDAY (MC)	4 – 5:45 p.m. Children's Choir practice (SH) 7 p.m. Good Friday at New Market (S)	Library 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. Frederick Emergency
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Easter Service 6 a.m. Fairview 9:30 & 11 a.m. Traditional Services at New Market	No School 6 p.m. Cub Scouts (ED) FPU 6:30 p.m. (SH)	3:40 – 5:30 p.m. Girl Scouts (SH)	7 p.m. Stephen Ministry (L) AA 7 p.m. (SH)	1:45 – 3 p.m. Kinderdance (SH) 7 p.m. Choir (L) 7 p.m. Men's Study Group (Ed.BK) 7 p.m. Boy Scouts (SH)	11:30 a.m. Lunch with a Pastor at J&P 4 – 5:45 p.m. Children's Choir practice (SH)	Library 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.
28	29	30	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> <p>Church Office Hours:</p> <p>Wednesdays 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.</p> <p>Thursdays 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.</p> </div>			<p>Calendar Key:</p> <p>MC = Mt. Carmel SH = Schoolhouse S = Sanctuary Ed. B = Ed. Bldg. Ed. BK = Ed. Bldg. kitchen L = Library ND = Newsletter Deadline</p>
2:30 – 5 p.m. Daisies (SH) New Members Class	6 p.m. Cub Scouts (ED) FPU 6:30 p.m. (SH)	7 p.m. Care Team (L) 7 p.m. VBS (Ed. BK) 7 p.m. Fairview (Ed. BK)				

April Birthdays

Andrew McCollum	4/08	Brooke Matilda Rudge	4/20	Jacob Morrow	4/29
Susan Stevens	4/08	Evan Morrow	4/20	Noah Meyers	4/29
Laurel Sutherin Coleman	4/09	Woodrow William Corbin	4/22	Jacob Riley	4/30
Ed Stephen	4/10	Missy Cooke	4/22		
Patricia Morrow	4/10				

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Address Service Requested



April Newsletter
New Market United Methodist Church
We serve Christ in the world and the community as we share His love
with all of God's people. Come be a part of our faith family.

Did you Know?

- You can access the online directory through our website www.newmarketumc.com click on the directory link the username is the first initial of your first name and your entire last name. The password is peace.
- Pastor Scott's previous sermons can be accessed on the same website.
- Please keep Jacob Shuey, Joey Meehling and their families in your prayers. Jake and Joey are on deployment in the Middle East.
- **New Members Classes – April 28th, May 5th & May 19th** 4 – 5:30 p.m.
location TBD If interested contact Pastor Scott 240-409-8119.
- **Lunch with the Pastors at J&P's in Spring Ridge!** April 26th 11:30 a.m.
April's lunch is with Pastor Scott and Pastor Ed.
Looking for an informal environment where fellowship and relationships can be shared? Have questions you would like to explore with the pastor and other adults? Just looking for some company to share a meal? Our pastors will take turns joining you for lunch each month.

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**April
26th
11:30 a.m.
J&P Pizza
in Spring
Ridge**

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Pastor Ed**



**9:30 & 11 a.m.
Services at
New Market United
Methodist Church
5501 Old New Market Road,
New Market**

Everyone is welcome!