

## Easter Is Not Over!



*After the Lord Jesus had spoken to them, he was taken up into heaven and he sat at the right hand of God. Then the disciples went out and preached everywhere, and the Lord worked with them and confirmed his word by the signs that accompanied it." Mark 16:19-20*

Easter morning is always a thrill as we celebrate together Christ's mighty resurrection. But the holiday could deceive us into thinking that Easter is only a day. Over five hundred different eye witnesses, remembered in the scriptures, attest to seeing Jesus in the flesh for forty days after Easter morning. He shared his scars, broke bread, explained the scriptures to them, helped them fish, and ate breakfast on the beach-- all to convince them that he was RISEN! Given how grief stricken and traumatized they were by the events of his crucifixion it is not surprising that it took a while for the reality of resurrection to uplift them. After 40 days of revealing himself as risen, Jesus challenged his followers to rise up and share the hope of rising with their community. Mark 16 tells us the *"the Lord worked with them and confirmed his word by the signs..."*

While Easter Sunday is behind us, we hope you will invite Christ's powerful presence to continually uplift you. For these forty days of Easter let us rise up any time we can to share God's word, God's love, God's healing, and God's hope. Spring and summer are a great time to join our churches in mission and outreach opportunities such as a mission trip, VBS, summer camp, or teacher's breakfasts. Beyond your planned ministry keep your eyes open for opportunities along your way to stop and lift another. As you witness and share every day resurrections, please e-mail them to a pastor so we can celebrate with you and share the Lord's uplifting power with the congregation!

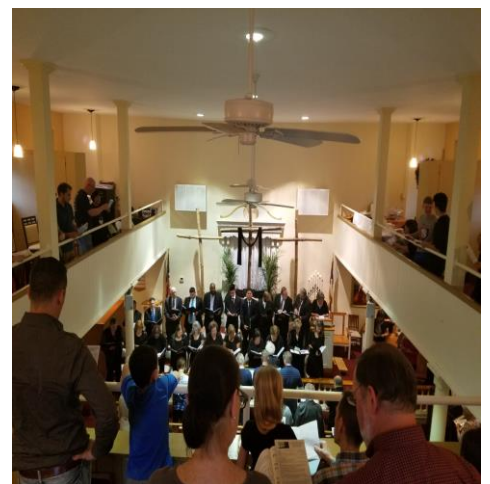
Thanks be to God we are on the RISE!  
Pastor Scott, Pastor Jenny, Pastor Helen, and Pastor Ed



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# 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



Wow, hard to believe our Sunday school year is almost over, but before summer comes, we have a lot of exciting things planned.

**May 5:** Regular Sunday school.

**May 12:** Kids will be singing at both services and have regular Sunday school. Kids will also help hand out special treats to the women of the church after each service.

**May 19<sup>th</sup> - June 9<sup>th</sup>:** Regular Sunday school.

**June 16:** Kids will sing and have a Sunday school recognition at both services. After singing at 9:30 a.m., they will have a Celebration and watch a recording of their Christmas Pageant in the Sunday school rooms. Kids will also help hand out special treats to the men of the church after each service.

**A special Thank You to all the parents for bringing your kids to Sunday school this year!! Our attendance was the best in many years!!**

## AMPED

a ministry preparing  
EXTREME disciples

### Youth Group

**Wednesdays ~ 6:30-8:00 p.m.**

May Dates: 5.1- Mission Night

5.8- YG/Confirmation

5.15- Mission Night

5.22- YG/Confirmation

5.29- Youth VBS Assistants Meeting

June 5- Youth Group Pool Party

## Graduation Sunday!!

Sunday, May 19<sup>th</sup>

If your high school or college senior is graduating this year, please send Pastor Scott their Name, school name, and plans for the fall if known. They will be recognized at the 11 a.m. service (TBA) with a cake reception to follow at noon!

FOR MORE INFO. VISIT [WWW.NEWMARKETUMC.COM](http://WWW.NEWMARKETUMC.COM) OR CALL 301-865-3530

## PLEASE COME JOIN US FOR A DAY OF FELLOWSHIP, FOOD AND A SPECTACULAR PLAY!

**WHEN:** Tuesday, June 18th

**WHERE:** Lancaster PA. The bus will pick us up at the New Market United Methodist Church (5501 Old New Market Rd, New Market, MD. 21774)

**TIME:** Leaving at **10:00 a.m.** and approximate time of return will be **8:15 p.m.**

**COST: \$139.00 per person** – Payment is due by **May 12th** and **checks should be made out to United Methodist Women. Please do not put the payment in the offering plate, just hand to Patty Robinson, Marilyn Fritz, Thelma Gesling or Toni Carnahan.**

The payment includes transportation in a comfortable EYRE tour bus to and from the event, family style lunch and gratuity at **Hershey Farm Restaurant** and a ticket to the play – “JESUS”. It does not include the gratuity for the bus driver, we are asking, if able, that everyone donates \$5.00 for the tip.

QUESTIONS: Contact **Patty Robinson:** [pattyrob16@msn.com](mailto:pattyrob16@msn.com) or call **240-441-1170**

**IF YOU HAVE NEVER EXPERIENCED A PLAY AT SIGHTS & SOUNDS, OR EVEN IF YOU HAVE, PLEASE TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITY and invite a friend! There is a sign-up sheet in the rear of the sanctuary.**



All of the volunteers with Hope 4 Kids are so grateful for the community in which we serve! Over the past few months there has been an outpouring of donations for our weekend food program. These donations have helped us serve our highest number of students per week since the program began. Most recently, during the 30 Hour Famine, youth participants educated Weis and Food Lion shoppers about the H4K program. They were also able to gather more than four shopping carts of food donations, along with several monetary donations. Also, on April 9<sup>th</sup> a group of Brownies and Cadettes from New Market held a special packing for H4K to provide food for spring break. These girl scout troops also shared more than 40 boxes of cookies with the children receiving packs. Our final packing for the school year will be held at Mt. Carmel on Sunday 5/5/19 in the church basement following 11 a.m. service and at New Market on 5/21/19 from 6-7 p.m. in the yellow schoolhouse. This is a great time of fellowship and service; all are welcome. If you have any questions or would like information on sponsoring a student, please contact Caryn Gilbert at [caryn.a.gilbert@gmail.com](mailto:caryn.a.gilbert@gmail.com)

## Clean Closets for Campers (Clothes for Campers) Just Like the Tomb, the Trailer is Empty!

The trailer for Clean Closets for Campers will be on site until May 26<sup>th</sup>. You can donate gently-used clothing, shoes, purses, belts and hats, blankets, sheets, and towels. Once collected, Mission Partners will pick up the donations and give the church a check for 50% of the current market value of goods which will go toward our campership fund.

The trailer is parked in the office parking lot of the New Market UMC office. The trailer is unlocked and there are non-cash donation slips in a clear packet on the rear door. Please bag clothes in sturdy plastic bags. Be sure to tell your friends and neighbors to join in on the donations. The New Market UMC office address is: 5 Prospect St., New Market, MD.

## Christ's Carpenters Helping the Prichard Family

Glenn's family asked if the church might be able to assist in cleaning out Glenn and Margaret's basement. There are items to be donated and items to be thrown away. We have two dates scheduled to start the process. Tuesday, May 7<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 a.m. to 2 p.m. and Saturday, May 18<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Pastor Scott. The Prichard home is located at: 204 Breezewood Ct. Mt. Airy, MD 21771.

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

## Adult Mission Trip

This year Pastor Scott will be taking 10 adults (18+) to Newport, North Carolina from August 11<sup>th</sup> -17<sup>th</sup>. 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 15<sup>th</sup>. Scholarships are available. Interested in serving? Cooking for the team? Contact Pastor Scott at [pastorscott62@gmail.com](mailto:pastorscott62@gmail.com) for more information.



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

Saturday, May 25  
4-8 p.m.  
New Market Grange  
14 South Alley,  
New Market

*Spaghetti, meatballs, garlic  
bread, salad and desserts!*

(Free will offering)



**Youth Summer Mission Trip to  
North Carolina  
July 7-12<sup>th</sup>**



### Circle of Friends

**The Circle of Friends**, the UMW daytime group, meets the second Tuesday of each month at 1 p.m. in the Schoolhouse. The next meetings will be on May 14 and June 11<sup>th</sup>. If you would like more information on this group, contact Marilyn Fritz at 240-405-4614.

**LIFT** women's group has been busy doing what they love to do, SERVE! We made Easter Baskets full of baby products for the moms who come into Birth Right. And we decorated Seed packets to give out to the community at the Easter Egg Roll! All that with two meetings cancelled due to snow!!

We have a few more meetings before we take a small summer break. **All meetings are the second Monday of each month at 7 p.m. and are held in the Education Building (where the preschool is) kitchen.**

**May 13:** Are we too busy for Jesus? Being busy, even with good, exciting things can make life fun but we need to make sure we are taking time to be still and quiet with God. How do you do get that time? That is what we will be discussing this month.

**June 10:** BIBLE TRIVIA!! Come and join in a fun evening and test your knowledge of the Bible. Don't worry some of the questions will be from our children's Sunday school trivia game although some will be from Pastor Scott, so start reading now.

## Ladies Groups at New Market

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



### 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 season 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, Krista Romagnoli, Greg Zimmerman and Kathy Ginsburg) or contact Susan Stevens at

[Susan\\_B\\_Stevens@mcpsmd.org](mailto: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



At the end of the first quarter we had a significant budget shortfall. Thankfully, our April giving has been strong and is improving our financial balance. We encourage our congregation to be especially faithful in giving to sustain our vital ministries in the coming months. Summer ministries offer hands-on mission opportunities and your offerings are important to this outreach.

### First Quarter 2019 Finance Notes – January 1st thru March 31<sup>st</sup>

Total Offering Received	\$44,234.00
Other Income	<u>\$13,172.00</u>
	\$57,955.00
Operating Expenses	\$56,552.00
Current Mortgage Balance	\$92,765.00

**After the 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter your generous giving is 27%. Keep up the good work!**



**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		
<b>Calendar Key:</b> MC = Mt. Carmel SH = Schoolhouse S = Sanctuary Ed. B = Ed. Bldg. Ed. BK = Ed. Bldg. kitchen L = Library ND = Newsletter Deadline			<b>Church Office Hours:</b> <b>Wednesdays</b> 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. <b>Thursdays</b> 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.		1	2	3	4
			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.		
5	6	7	8	9	10	11		
Easton Wantz Baptism 12:15 p.m. Hope 4 Kids (Mt.C) Boy Scouts 2 p.m. (S) (SH)	6 p.m. Cub Scouts (S)	9 a.m. – 2 p.m. Christ's Carpenters (Glenn Prichard Home) 6 – 7 p.m. Girl Scouts Trustees 7 p.m. (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. Covenant Bible Study 9 – 11:30 a.m. (Ed.BK)		
12	13	14	15	16	17	18		
8 – 10 a.m. Mother's Day Breakfast 2:30 – 5 p.m. Daisies (SH)	6 p.m. Cub Scouts (S) 7 p.m. LIFT (Ed. BK)	UMW 1 p.m. (SH) 3:40 – 5:30 p.m. Girl Scouts (SH) Finance Meeting 5:45 pm. (Ed.BK)	Stephen Ministry Supervisory 7 p.m. (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)	4 – 5:45 p.m. Children's Choir practice (SH)	8a.m. – 2 p.m. Christ's Carpenters Library 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. Covenant Bible Study 9 – 11:30 a.m. (Ed.BK)		
19	20	21	22	23	24	25		
<b>History Walk New Market 12:30 p.m.</b> 2:30 – 5 p.m. Daisies (SH)	6 p.m. Cub Scouts (S)	4 – 5:30 p.m. Girl Scouts (SH) 6 p.m. Hope 4 Kids (SH) 7 p.m. Council (Ed.BK)	VBS Meeting 7 p.m. (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)	4 – 5:45 p.m. Children's Choir practice (SH)	Library 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. Covenant Bible Study 9 – 11:30 a.m. (Ed.BK)		
26	27	28	29	30	31			
	Memorial Day	3:40 – 5:30 p.m. Girl Scouts (SH) 7 p.m. Fairview (Ed. BK)	AA 7 p.m. (SH)	<b>Annual Conference</b> 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)	<b>Annual Conference</b>	4-8 p.m. Spaghetti Dinner at the Grange		

### May Birthdays

Thersa Dowling	5/	Sue Wood	5/03	Nick Wood	5/22
Jonathan Crandall	5/01	Jensen Riley	5/04	Willie Hipkins	5/24
Mary Ann Hobbs	5/01	Andrew Baughman	5/15	Brandie Kellogg	5/28
Patty Robinson	5/02	Barbara Zimmerman	5/19	Evelyn Gaver	5/30
Madison Riley	5/02				

**Happy Anniversary! Glenn & Lori Anderson 5/19**



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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
2:30 – 5 p.m. Daisies (SH)	6 p.m. Cub Scouts (S)	Trustees 7:00 p.m. (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)		Library 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. Stephen Ministry Combined Meeting 9 a.m.(field trip)
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	6 p.m. Cub Scouts (S)  7 p.m. LIFT (Ed. BK)	UMW 1 p.m. (SH)  Girl Scouts 3:40- 5:30 p.m. (SH)  SPRC/LET – 7:00	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)	4 – 5:45 p.m. Children's Choir practice (SH)	Library 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.  Covenant Bible Study 9 – 11:30 a.m. (Ed.BK)
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Last Day of Sunday School	6 p.m. Cub Scouts (S)	10 a.m. – 8:15 p.m. Sight/Sound Play  Girl Scouts 3:40- 5:30 p.m. (SH)  7 p.m. Council (Ed.BK)	AA 7 p.m. (SH)	1:45 – 3 p.m. Kinderdance (SH) 7 p.m. Men's Study Group (Ed.BK) 7 p.m. Boy Scouts (SH)	4 – 5:45 p.m. Children's Choir practice (SH)	Library 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.  Covenant Bible Study 9 – 11:30 a.m. (Ed.BK)
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
	Last Day of School  6 p.m. Cub Scouts (S)	Fairview Trustees – 7 p.m. (L)  VBS Meeting 7 p.m. (Ed.BK)	AA 7 p.m. (SH)	1:45 – 3 p.m. Kinderdance (SH) 7 p.m. Men's Study Group (Ed.BK) 7 p.m. Boy Scouts (SH)	4 – 5:45 p.m. Children's Choir practice (SH)	Library 10 a.m. – 1p.m.  Covenant Bible Study 9 – 11:30 a.m. (Ed.BK)
30	<b>June Birthdays</b> Lorie Cooper                    6/02                    Susan Mautz                    6/22 Pastor Scott                    6/06                    Bill Watson                    6/22 Allie McCollum                6/06                    Shawn Cottrell                6/25 Lori Anderson                6/14                    Mike Grenier                    6/27 Joan Price                    6/18					

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*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?**

- Mother's Day Breakfast (New Market Fire Hall) Sunday, May 12<sup>th</sup> 8 a.m. – 10 a.m.
- Pastor Scott's previous sermons can be accessed on the church website.
- Please keep Jacob Shuey and his family in your prayers. Jake is on deployment in the Middle East. Good News Joey Meehling has returned home to his family from overseas!
- New Members One Day Class -If you are interested in becoming a member, but you are unable to attend three Sunday afternoon courses, Pastor Scott is willing to hold a longer one day course this Spring. If you are interested, please contact Pastor Scott at 240-409-8119.
- History of Methodist Churches in New Market Walking Tour - Sunday, May 19<sup>th</sup> at 12:15 p.m. Nick Wood, our local historian, invites you to join him on a brief walking tour to see the historic churches and learn the history of the Methodist churches in New Market. The tour will begin after the 11:00 a.m. service, with a light lunch provided before we begin the walk. If you are interested in participating, please sign-up on the sheet in the back of the church.
- 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. If you want additional information on the program, please visit their website at the link below: <https://www.boxtops4education.com>

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