

## Newark First UMC

Welcomes You

April 21, 2024

† indicates please stand if you are able

### PRELUDE & CANDLE LIGHTING

#### WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS:

*Kyle Houser*

#### NFUMC MISSIONAL OUTREACH:

“God Is Here Today”

TFWS 2049

Blessing Baskets are for the benefit of  
“Newark Food Closet”

INTROIT “All Hail the Power of Jesus Name”

*Bell Choir*

#### †CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The Lord is my shepherd; I will fear no darkness.

**People: We will love one another, as Christ loves us.**

Leader: Christ the Good Shepherd, has compassion for all

**People: We will love one another, as Christ loves us.**

Leader: Open your hearts to goodness and mercy today.

**People: We will love one another, as Christ loves us.**

Leader: Love, not merely in thought and word, but in truth and action.

**People: We will love one another, as Christ loves us.**

†HYMN OF PRAISE “Praise the Name of Jesus” TFWS 2066

#### OPENING PRAYER (unison)

Shepherding God, guardian of our souls, you offer us rest in the safety of green pastures. Shower us with your love, and offer us fullness of life in your name. When our spirits are parched, you lead us beside still waters and quench our thirst for righteousness; you restore our souls and heal our battered spirits. Touch our hearts and minds, that your goodness and mercy may follow us every day of our lives. May we abide in your love and grace for all eternity. Amen

ANTHEM

“All Things New”

*Chancel Choir*

### A TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

#### BRINGING TO GOD OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

#### OFFERTORY

†DOXOLOGY

#95

JOYS & CONCERNS & THE LORD’S PRAYER: *Kyle Houser*

FIRST READING

1 John 3:16-24

*Liturgist*

†HYMN OF PREPARATION “Gentle Shepherd”

WS 3096

†SECOND READING

John 10: 11-18

*Liturgist*

TODAY’S MESSAGE

“A Nomad Presentation”

*Rod & Janie Reeder*

†HYMN OF SENDING “There’s Something About That Name”

UMH 171

†BENEDICTION WITH BLESSING

POSTLUDE

Now, God Sends Us Forth to Be the Church in Service

### Upcoming Liturgist

4/28 Steve Hallagan  
5/05 Karen Weimer  
5/12 Leah Talbot  
5/19 Nancy Briggs

### Upcoming Soundboard

4/28 Tawny DeCann  
5/05 Tawny DeCann  
5/12 Carl Mercer  
5/19 Carl Mercer

### April Ushers

Steve & Lucina Hallagan  
Chad Sheckler

### This Week

**Mon 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**Tues 23<sup>rd</sup>**

9:00 Coffee & Fellowship  
9:30 Rummage  
7:00 Boy Scouts

**Wed 24<sup>th</sup>**

6:30 Bell Choir  
7:30 Chancel Choir

**Thurs 25<sup>th</sup>**

**Fri 26<sup>th</sup>**

**Sat 27<sup>th</sup>**

**Sun April 28<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 Men's Study  
**10:00 WORSHIP**  
Evonne Pomerantz from  
Family Promise will be  
speaking.

*Worship Planning  
Mtg after Worship  
Service Today.*

### Sooner than you think !

April 23-30 General Conference (follow along with:  
UMNews.org and resourceumc.org)  
April 23- May 1st Pastor Garry on Study Leave  
April 28-May 1<sup>st</sup> Getting set-up for Spring Rummage Sale  
(Please sign up to help)  
May 2<sup>nd</sup>- 4<sup>th</sup> Spring Rummage Sale  
May 5<sup>th</sup> Missions Team Meeting  
May 11th Church Clean up Day  
May 12<sup>th</sup> Mother's Day  
May 30th-June 1st Annual Conference  
June 2<sup>nd</sup> Staff Appreciation Day (This is a date change)  
June 16<sup>th</sup> Graduation Sunday

# Newark First United Methodist Church

301 South Main Street  
PO Box 189  
Newark, NY 14513

Sunday, April 21, 2024



**Our Vision:** Love God, Love your neighbor.  
**Our Mission:** Seek God, Support each other,  
Serve the World, to make disciples of Jesus Christ

Pastor: Rev. Garry E. McCaffery

Music Director: Stephanie Mercer      Media Min. Dir.: Sam Cepulo  
Choir Director: Kathy Cornwell      Sound board: TBD  
Bell Choir Director: Jenna Taylor      Lay Leader: Kyle Houser  
Ad Council: Kyle Houser      Admin. Assist.: Brenda Carner  
Acolyte: Dallas Marshall      Liturgist: Lucina Hallagan