



HAPPENING THIS WEEK...

SUNDAY, May 31

- 9:30a Adult Sunday School—Conference Room
- Modern Worship—Sanctuary
- KidMin Children’s Ministry—KidMin Hall
- 11a Classic Worship—Sanctuary
- KidMin Children’s Ministry—KidMin Hall
- 12:30p Communicator’s Retreat

Mon, June 1 1-7p Blood Drive

7p AA

Tues, June 2 11a Men’s Bible Study

7:30p AA

Wed, June 3 7:30p Praise Band Rehearsal

Thur, June 4 1p Calling & Caring Team Meeting

7p AA

Sunday, June 7 COMMUNION

Our Sermon Series Continues....
“How to Walk Into a Room”

Prepare and Serve Meal at Faith Mission

Noon Cookies due for meal

2p Book Club

Coming up...

- June 8-14 Youth Group Mission Trip to Tennessee
- June 8 LGBTQ+ & Allies Group Pizza & Pride @ 7p
- June 9 Brown Bag Ministry for Open Shelter @ 6p
- June 9 Discipleship Team Meeting @ 7p
- June 10 VBS Core Team Meeting @ 6p
- June 10 Women’s Group Core Team Meeting @ 7p
- June 14 Memorial Garden Dedications @ Noon
- June 14 VBS Volunteer Training Meeting @ 6p
- June 16 Trustees (6p) and Finance (7p) meetings
- June 19 Juneteenth
- June 20 Pride March
- June 21 Father’s Day

Note our new
address...



470 Market St, PO Box 428, New Albany, OH 43054
newalbanyumc.com 614-855-1403

Luke 24:13-35 NRSVUE

Now on that same day two of them were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem, and talking with each other about all these things that had happened. While they were talking and discussing, Jesus himself came near and went with them, but their eyes were kept from recognizing him. And he said to them, “What are you discussing with each other while you walk along?”

They stood still, looking sad. Then one of them, whose name was Cleopas, answered him, “Are you the only stranger in Jerusalem who does not know the things that have taken place there in these days?”

He asked them, “What things?” (Luke 24:13-19)



Remember the Path

Pastor Rachel Billups



Welcome to New Albany United Methodist Church

Classic Worship

May 31, 2026

*Please stand if you are able

Prelude "Come, Christians, Join to Sing" arr. Young
Mike Martin

Welcome Pastor Rachel Billups

*Opening Hymn "God of Grace and God of Glory" (vs 1,2,3) #577

Affirmation of Faith—The Apostle's Creed Sandy Neely, liturgist

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

Prayers of the People

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. Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

*Hymn "Amazing Grace" (vs 1,2,3) #378

Return to the Lord—Generosity Ministry

Offertory "The Water is Wide" Joseph Green
Mike Martin and David Zimmerman

*Doxology #95

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise God all creatures here below, praise God above ye heavenly hosts, praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Blessing

The Message "How to Walk Into a Room: Remember the Path"
Pastor Rachel Billups

*Closing Hymn "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" (Verses 1,2,3) #452

Postlude Reprise

Please pray for...

Joe Filia	Jacob Hunter	Elizabeth Ford	Nancy & Zach Marasek
Molly Oldham	Reginald Weiss	Adam Hubble	Bentley Walker
Barbara Fields	Donna Coleman	Estella Robbins	Laura VanCuren
Fred Jeans	Kathy Ahlborn	Greg Howard	Sue Stall
Helen Bethel	Mallory Hamilton	Clark Burrell	Misty Shimberg
Joe Arcand	Balinda Richards	Avery Snyder	Debbie Albright
Sarah Billups	Jean Stoltz	Michelle Hershey	Callahan Hare
Sam Albright	Kim Conkey	Scott Burleson	Barbara O'Brien
Jason Walker	Celeste Hamilton	Tom Cordes	Steven Windsor
Dan Rowan	Vic Wolfe	Josephine Hardesty	Laurie Karaska
Bailey Biddle	Doug Amspaugh & family	Jodi Bricker	Kristin Meyer
Ray Scheinder	Hunter	Tracey Beckman	Shawna Casey
Eli Kirk	Tara Brazeale O'Donell	Josh Shuster	Marilou Mitchell
Brendon Mitschow	Eric Lauterbach	Christa Smock	Tim & Juliana Artrip
Isabelle Moore	Sue Zullo	Evan DeCarlo	Melissa Maness
Charles Burleson	Sharon Agriesti	Bart Russell	Robin Russell
Sue Gravely	Betty & Donna Emmons	Lowell McCollum	Joe Mogor
Rick Kuenning	The Montoya Family	Jodie Curtis	Bob Lamp
Rick Pease	Art Hunt	Leanne Wheeler	Allen Jinkens
Ron Shrider	Vickey Bare	John Holle	Emily Rompage
Tonda Cleaver	Rebecca May	Brynn Beeton	Herking Family
Andrea Colebank	Jackie Gibbs	Boyd Family	Hunter Hill
Jacob Trapp	Melissa Stewart-Patterson	Steve Ayres	Laurie & Chuck Andrews
Dennis Primer	Dave Cline	Mark Burleson	The Swinger Family
Bev Rannebarger	Donna Shearer	Ryan Brigle	Laura Melick & family
Terry Payne	Sandy Sexton	Tom Cole	Nikki Adams
Barb McGuire	Everett Gallagher	Helen Pestel	David Holsinger
Cinda Lemont	Bill Moore	Robert Leibowitz	Ed Reeg
Jim Welsh	Eric Nessler	Steve Barker	John & Mary Nessler
	Amy Casey	Jay Daggett	Zella Hudnail

Please note: To add or remove a name from this prayer list, please contact Lyndsey Casey in the church office 614-855-1403, or email secretary@newalbanyumc.com. Prayer requests may also be submitted on our website newalbanyumc.com.



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June events happening in New Albany and/or sponsored by the NAUMC to commemorate Juneteenth and Pride.

• **Juneteenth**

○ **Juneteenth UMC Worship Service**

- **When:** Thursday June 18th, at 7pm
- **Where:** Northwest UMC, 5200 Riverside Dr, Columbus, OH 43220

○ **New Albany Juneteenth Celebration**

- **When:** Friday, June 19, 2026 from 6 to 9 p.m.
- **Where:** The Hinson Amphitheater, 170 E Dublin Granville Rd, New Albany, OH 43054

<https://newalbanyohio.org/programs-and-events/juneteenth/>

• **Pride**

- **LGBTQ+ & Allies Group is marching in Pride March**
 - **When:** Saturday, June 20, 2026 from 9am -1pm
 - **Where:** Downtown Columbus
 - **Scott Lanning is leading this effort**

Sign up today!



Pride March Sign-Up

○ **Central Ohio RMN PRIDE Worship Service**

- **When:** Friday, June 19, at 7:00 PM
- **Where:** Maple Grove UMC, 7 W Henderson Rd, Columbus, OH 43214 (The parking lot is off Aldrich Road, behind Shaw-Davis Funeral Home.)



For our June LGBTQ+ & Allies Group gathering, we're planning something a little more casual and relaxed as we celebrate Pride Month together.

Join us for **Pizza & Pride** on Monday, June 8 at 7PM!

We'll enjoy some pizza, fellowship, laughter, and conversation as we watch an episode or two of "Stories

From My Gay Grandparents." To help us plan for food, please RSVP using the QR code. We hope this will be an evening of community, storytelling, creativity, and joy as we celebrate Pride together



Pizza & Pride RSVP



www.stonewallcolumbus.org/cares-fund

Stonewall's CARES (Community Action Response Effort & Support) Fund was created to combat/address concerns for basic needs insecurities as they relate to food, health, and/or wellness within the LGBTQ+ community to ensure resources are available to those who need them the most. Through partnerships with Kroger and COTA, we can provide Kroger Gift Cards and Wellness bus passes to the community along with additional personal hygiene items.

3 ways you can help Stonewall Columbus CARES:

You can purchase items directly for the CARES program using our Amazon Wishlist <https://a.co/aq60Mnm>

You can donate to Stonewall Columbus <https://stonewallcolumbus.org/donate>

You can bring new items for donations at Stonewall Columbus every weekday from Monday-Friday from 11am - 5pm.

MOST NEEDED ITEMS:

* Must be new or gently used and properly laundered.

- Shampoo
- Conditioner
- Body Lotion
- Face Lotion
- Body Wash
- Toothpaste
- Toothbrushes
- Hair Gel
- Deodorant
- Bar Soap
- Q-Tips
- Razors
- Shaving Cream
- Lubricant
- Cotton Pads
- Menstrual Pads / Tampons

- Baby Powder
- Hairbrushes
- Hair ties
- Combs
- Band-aids
- Bandages
- Durags
- Bonnets
- Socks (must be NEW and packaged in pairs)
- Rain Ponchos
- Clothing and Warm Wear *
- Winter Coats*
- Blankets*
- Hats*
- Gloves*
- Scarves*



Look for the collection bin in the lobby all through the month of June

MUSIC • ARTS • DRAMA



June 22-25 : 9-Noon

Calling all artists and athletes!

"I PRESS ON TOWARDS THE GOAL" PHILIPPIANS 3:14

Our re-imagined VBS for all kids ages 3—5th grade!

REGISTER YOUR KIDS



SIGN UP TO VOLUNTEER!



HELP US GET SUPPLIES FROM OUR AMAZON WISH LIST!



CELEBRATE MORE Life

Blood Drive

New Albany Methodist Church

Third Street Lobby
20 Third St.
New Albany, OH 43054

**Monday, June 1, 2026
1:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.**



REGISTER NOW!

Memorial Garden

Dedications June 14th

Our Memorial Garden is an ideal place for Remembrance and Reflection. Plant a special flower, plant, bush or small tree dedicated to your loved one, or engrave a brick or stepping stone.

For more information, contact Mike Lapper mlapper2346@gmail.com.

