

ALTAR FLOWERS HAVE BEEN PROVIDED BY...

Peggy Dresser in memory of her husband Dick on their anniversary.



Hymn SING

Hymn Sing with Ken Wadley
Sunday, July 28 at 6 p.m. — Christian Life Center

Join us for an old-fashioned hymn sing with pianist Ken Wadley.



Buy Now for Operation Christmas Shoe Box

Sales Tax Holiday is August 2-6

Operation Christmas Shoe Box is coming soon. With the upcoming "tax-free" period, it's a great time to get a head start on buying supplies to help fill your shoe boxes for children around the world. School supplies, along with small fun toys and hygiene items, make wonderful gifts to children across the globe affected by war, disaster, poverty and famine.



Wildwood Food Pantry Needs Your Help

Summer is here and the Food Pantry is still going at its regular pace. We serve around 400 families each month, touching over 900 people's lives. This means we distribute over 25,000 pounds of food per month. However, food donations have dropped off drastically. Our most urgent needs at this time are canned vegetables, canned soup, and Jello. If you can help, please place your donations in the Food Pantry bins located in both Narthexes.



The Fall Events Brochure is Now Available

The Events Committee has worked with the various ministries of the church and secured some great concerts and events for the upcoming season so mark your calendars for dates and times. Watch the newsletter and website for more details related to ticketing as they become available. Pick up your copy at the Welcome Center in the East Narthex or Ticket Kiosk in the West Narthex.



New Covenant Logo Shirts are Now Available

If you would like to order a shirt with our logo, please stop by Custom Apparel in the Southern Trace Shopping Center (behind the church) to place your order. You may select any color or style shirt of your choice; prices vary.



North Central District Lay Servants' Training Event
Saturday, August 3 from 8 a.m.–6 p.m. — Lake Deaton Campus

New Covenant is hosting the upcoming North Central District's Lay Servant Ministries Training Event at our Lake Deaton Campus. This training prepares the laity to be in ministry through caring, communication, and leadership.

Registration forms are available at the Welcome Center in the East Narthex. The deadline to register is Wednesday, July 23. If you have any questions, please contact Jack Tarburton at (352) 406-8155 or Walter Dry, North Central District Lay Servant Ministry Coordinator, at drys@tampabay.rr.com.



Amishlands of Pennsylvania Bus Trip
September 29-October 5, 2019

Gary Cantrell's Early Risers Sunday school class is sponsoring a bus trip to Lancaster, Pennsylvania to the Sight & Sound theater production of "Jesus," as well as many other Lancaster attractions.

There is still room for additional passengers at this time. For more information contact Dale and Virginia Newland at (352) 751-4283 or dnewland101@comcast.net.

SPIRITUAL REFLECTIONS...

"We cannot pray in love and live in hate and still think we are worshipping God."
—A.W. Tozer

Holy God, remind us each day that we are yours, and we can be used for your kingdom work. Even those who are the most in opposition to your encompassing love, can be used for your good and your glory. Teach us to surrender to that wonderful, amazing love! In Christ's name, we pray. Amen.

REMINDER: Please take your weekly newsletter home as you leave today. Use it as a prayer guide for the scheduled activities and the ministries of our church.

*Please wear your name tags — it helps all of us to remember names!
If you don't have one, please go to the Welcome Center and pick one up.*

SUNDAY CHRISTIAN EDUCATION CLASSES

7:45 a.m.	Early Risers	Hebrews: Near to the Heart of God	Chapel
9:15 a.m.	Childcare	Children ages newborn to 5 years old	Children's Room
9:15 a.m.	Faith Bible Class	The Book of Philippians	Classroom 2
9:15 a.m.	Pathfinders	Reflections	Classroom 11
9:15 a.m.	Faith Finders	Hebrews: Near to the Heart of God	Chapel
9:15 a.m.	ANEW	Living in Covenant	Classroom 6/7
10:30 a.m.	Apologetics	CLASS CANCELED UNTIL OCTOBER	
10:30 a.m.	Spirited Singles	ACTS	Classroom 3
10:30 a.m.	FaithLink	Pre-School Education	Classroom 14
10:30 a.m.	The Searchers	Hebrews: Near to the Heart of God	Chapel
10:45 a.m.	Wesley Class	Reflections	Classroom 11

Please see the "Discipleship" section of our website for information on classes at our Lake Deaton Campus.

NEW COVENANT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SUMMERHILL CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP
SATURDAY 5:00 P.M.

SUMMERHILL BLENDED WORSHIP
SUNDAY 7:45 • 9:15 • 10:45 A.M.

SUMMERHILL CHILDREN'S ORCHARD WORSHIP
SUNDAY 10:45 A.M. (CHILDREN'S ROOM)

LAKE DEATON SUNDAY WORSHIP
BLENDED 9:30 A.M. • TRADITIONAL 11 A.M.

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HANDICAP SEATING IS AVAILABLE THROUGHOUT THE CHRISTIAN LIFE CENTER.

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WE REGULARLY UPDATE OUR FACEBOOK PAGE WITH PHOTOS, ANNOUNCEMENTS, AND EVENTS.

LAKE DEATON PHYSICAL ADDRESS: 6500 WESLEYAN WAY (FORMERLY COUNTY ROAD 143), 34785

Worship Attendance for Last Week: 2,244

(Summerhill Saturday) 324 • (Summerhill Sunday) 7:45-144 • 9:15-613 • 10:45-431
(Lake Deaton) 9:30-492 • 11:00-122
(Orchard Worship) 6 • (Grounded Youth Group) 34 • (Fresh Expressions) 78

SUMMERHILL CAMPUS

JULY 20 & 21, 2019



Our Mission: To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the World.

Our Vision: To be a thriving body of Christ by being His hands, feet, and voice in the World.

Our Core Values: Spiritual Growth ~ Hospitality ~ Generosity ~ Community ~ Invitational ~ Service ~ Caring

Rev. Harold Hendren, Senior Pastor

Rev. Jim Divine, Lake Deaton Pastor

Rev. Ellen Pollock, Summerhill Discipleship Pastor

Rev. Kristyne Young, Lake Deaton Discipleship Pastor

Rev. Marilyn Anell, Visitation Pastor



Welcome to New Covenant Library!

Just a Little Information About Our Library

- We have a special blue cart of books and DVDs with this month's special Library highlights.
- We also maintain "Newsworthy Notebooks" about members and friends of New Covenant dating back to 2000. We appreciate any articles about New Covenant members, friends, activities, and any other related materials. **Newspaper:** Please bring whole page and we will do the rest!
- We always gather photos and information about our church ministries and small groups for our church history. Please keep this in mind when you take photos and do special activities.
- We would be pleased to show you around the Library and answer any questions you might have.
- The Library is available whenever the church is open — the lights come on automatically. There are no due dates on books (but you will receive a reminder after three months).
- The Library catalog is **NOT** available online!



VOLUNTEER CENTRAL



Volunteers Needed!

Celebration Of Life Services

Volunteers are needed to assist with Celebration of Life Services. Assistance is needed to help hand out memorial bulletins, preside at the Guest Register, and direct guests to the Chapel or CLC. Time commitment would be on an on-call basis, approximately two hours per month. Please contact Ann McBain at (352) 750-4529, x246 or amcbain@ncumcfl.com.

Coffee Bar

Our coffee ministry needs volunteers to help prepare the coffee and cookies for Sunday morning worship. Two shifts are available: 7-9 a.m. and 9-11 a.m. If you can help once a month, please call Howard Bond at (352) 753-0356 or hdbond77@gmail.com.

Connectional Ministry Needs Callers

If you have an hour a month to help call members that have not attended church in over a month, we need you. We reach out to those we have not seen in awhile to check on them and see if there is something they need. If you would like to help, please contact Barb Prindle at (352) 750-4529, x239 or bprindle@ncumcfl.com.

Greeters Needed for 7:45 a.m. Worship Service

If you are interested in serving, please contact Kathy Shivery at (352) 638-5248 for more information.

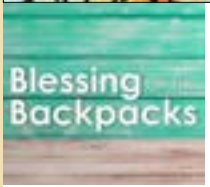
Media Volunteers Needed

We have an exciting opportunity to use or learn technical skills by assisting in the A/V booth with lights, sound, cameras, or ProPresenter. No experience is required! Training will be provided. If interested in learning more about these areas, please contact David Berardi at dberardi@ncumcfl.com for camera operators and ProPresenter opportunities, or Jim Petrone at jpetrone@ncumcfl.com for lights and sound.

Welcome Desk

The Welcome Desk needs volunteers to help on Saturday evening or Sunday morning for 30 minutes prior to service helping congregants with questions. Training will be provided. If you are interested, please contact Barb Prindle at (352) 750-4529, x239 or bprindle@ncumcfl.com.

Family Ministry



Blessing of the Backpacks

Sunday, August 11 at our 10:45 a.m. Worship Service — CLC

Children and Youth are encouraged to bring their backpacks, as we pray over them and the upcoming school year. Families, teachers, administrators, and all who play a part in educating our young people are welcome to join us!



Family Ministry Needs You!

Wednesday, August 21 at 6 p.m. — Classroom 3

We want to hear from you!! It takes all parts of the Body of Christ to grow, sustain, and nurture our ministries. Please join us to share ideas and discuss how we can support our thriving Family Ministry. Childcare will be available.

We will also provide delicious pizza! If you're planning to attend, please RSVP to Kayla DeSimone, Family Minister, at (352) 750-4529 or kdesimone@ncumcfl.com. Hope we see you there!

Time, Talents, and Treasures



Why Give to New Covenant?

Answer: Because we are impacting our community. Over 1,200 backpacks were stuffed with back-to-school supplies this week. Just a thought... a child in the Wildwood community is going to have the "tools" to help them start their new school year because of you and your church's generosity. What a great way to begin a new year!

"Money is not the only commodity that is fun to give. We can give time, we can give our expertise, we can give our love or simply give a smile. What does that cost?" —Steve Goodier

DISCIPLESHIP BIBLE STUDIES



Seamless — A Women's Small Group Bible Study

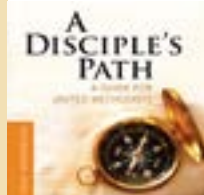
Thursdays, August 22–October 3, from 2–3:30 p.m. — Classroom 1

This is a seven-session, Women's Bible study, facilitated by Elaine Buckey, that helps to tie all scripture together with "seamless" clarity.

Class cost is \$15 and includes your book. Maximum enrollment of 12 per class.

Registration begins Thursday, July 25. To register, go to <http://bit.ly/ncumc2423>.

If you have any questions, please contact Ashley Hill at ahill@ncumcfl.com or (352) 750-4529 x 271.



A Disciple's Path Class

Wednesdays, September 25–November 6 from 9–10:30 a.m. — CR 3

Disciples Path is a series of resources founded on Jesus' model of discipleship. It was intentionally created to make disciples who make disciples.

The cost of the class is \$23. To register, go to <http://bit.ly/ncumc2391>.



Carole Wolaver — The Pottery Lady

Thursday, October 17, from 10 a.m.– 12:30 p.m. — Christian Life Center

Sponsored by the Women's Ministries of Summerhill and Lake Deaton, please join us for this exciting presentation, "The Master's Pieces." Dramatically presented from the potter's wheel, "The Master's Pieces" is the entire story of the Potter and the Clay, told from the potter's perspective — from beginning to end, from pit to praise — of how God molds and shapes our lives.

Tickets are \$15. To purchase tickets, go to our website at www.ncumcfl.com and click the "Events" tab at the top of the page, then click "Tickets."

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Join a Women's Connect Small Group Today!

Mondays from 9:30-11:30 a.m. — Classroom 6/7 or Classroom 2

Women, if you would like to learn more about becoming part of a Women's Connect Small Group, you are invited to our "Ladies of Light" Women's Group. On the first and third Mondays, we hold a Bible/book study. The second Monday, or sometime during the second week, we do an outreach project. The fourth week of each month, we have a social gathering.

To learn more about "Ladies of Light," please contact Roberta Hays at rkhays@comcast.net.



New Member Classes

Monday, October 21 from 6–7:30 p.m. — Chapel

Did you know there are different types of church memberships? You may choose to retain your membership with another United Methodist Church (Affiliate membership), or church of another denomination (Associate membership), or Full membership.

Meet with our pastors and some of our Ministry Team Leaders. This is an informal session where we will share valuable information with you to help you along your path as new members. The following weekend you may be recognized at the service you attend by our congregation as New Members of the church.

To register, go to <http://bit.ly/ncumc2344>.



Holy Land Trip 2020

Join Pastor Harold as he takes a group to the Holy Land from March 16 to 25, 2020. If you would like more information and/or plan to join him on the trip, please email Jo Jones at jjones@ncumcfl.com so she can forward information to you and add you to the communication list.

Congregational Care



Happy Hands Prayer Shawl Ministry

Wednesdays from 11 a.m.–12:30 p.m. — Classroom 14

If you are interested in helping with this ministry, you may join us any time. What started as skeins of colorful thread has become an intertwined wrap of prayers to cover shoulders that need divine love and peace — hugging your heart — telling you that God loves, understands, and is with you.

This Ministry is also looking for donations of yarn. You may drop off your donations in the Congregational Care Department.

For more information, please visit our website at www.ncumcfl.com, select the "Ministries" tab at the top of the page, and select "Congregational Care" from the drop-down list.



Precious Pillows Needs Willing Hands

Our Precious Pillows Ministry makes pillowcases for children in need throughout our tri-county area, including homeless and foster children. Your willing hands are needed to help cut, stuff, and/or sew.

For more information, please visit our website at www.ncumcfl.com, select the "Ministries" tab at the top of the page, and select "Congregational Care" from the drop-down list.



Prayer Room

Our Prayer Room (off the West Narthex) is a sacred space to spend time in prayer, meditation, and contemplation. Throughout the room, we offer seating, along with: a prayer quilt on which you can tie a knot while you pray; a prayer shawl and prayer beads that lead you as you pray. For the times that words are difficult to come by, we have prayer cards covering different concerns that help guide you through your prayer.



Care Cards

Our Care Cards, found in your Attendance Pads, are designed as a way to let us know how we can pray for you and offer support during times of need. Fill out your information on the card, and let us know if you would like a Stephen Minister or Congregational Care Minister to contact you.

You may also use our Care Card to request Home Communion. You can simply leave the Care Card in the Registration Pad when completed, or place it in one of our Prayer Request Boxes found in the Narthex. We truly want to know when you have a need. We are ready to offer prayer and support at any time.



Update Your Contact Information

Have you changed your email address or phone number? Are you still living at the same address? Have you notified the Church Office with your contact updates? If you have had any recent contact changes, please call the Church Office at (352) 750-4529 or email Dawn Chadwick at dchadwick@ncumcfl.com. We love to be able to keep in touch with you!

Note: You may also change your information by going to our website at www.ncumcfl.com and clicking on the "Portal" tab and selecting "My Account." To login to your account, you will need your user name and password.



The Gift of Prayer

The prayer quilt on the altar rail is for The Westen Family for the loss of Larry, husband and father. Prayers are requested for peace, comfort, hope, and healing.

New Concerns

Andrew, Jenna Barbee, Rudy Benencasa, Dick Campbell, Tracy Dye, Paul, Joan Foytack, Mike & MaryLou Habala, Barbara Harding, Hailey, Jason Jensen, Marion & Charlie, Tamra Muir, Michael Procter, Patrick Purdy, Linda Shipic, Adam Smith, Diane Smith, Mary & Darcel Tolle, Bill Wright, David Young, Zoe