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For

**EXCELLENCE**

### CORE VALUES

Wisdom

Obedience

Separation

Honesty

Service

Balance

## A word from our Administrator

# 25 YEARS

Can you believe it?!!! NMCS is 25 years old!!! It has been a great privilege and a great honor to have been a part of this ministry from the very beginning. I was in the service when the church voted to start it, helped dig mud out of the foundation footers, and was sitting behind a desk on the very first day. As I look back over all of these years, what keeps coming to my mind are the words of the third verse of Amazing Grace which says, "Through many dangers, toils, and snares I have already come. T'was grace that brought us safe thus far and grace will lead us home!!!" God's grace has been so amazing through these years.

We have been blessed to see young men and women saved and many others surrender to the will of God for their lives. We have had graduates attend colleges in many different states and literally have alumni working in just about any career field that you can imagine. One of the great honors of my life has been watching former students walk back up those front stairs with their own children and say, "I want them to have what I had!!!" It is a marvelous work that God birthed here all those years ago, and as we look back now over the last two decades, we echo the words of Psalms 118:23 which says, "This is the LORD'S doing; it is marvelous in our eyes."

I want to personally thank God for this place - I'm so thankful I've been able to work here, I'm even more thankful that my kids are able to attend here. It has been a great gift in my life.

Serving the Lord with gladness,  
Bro. Tony, Lam. 3:22



# TEACHER Spotlight



I'm a Momma to 8 beautiful children and wife to my best friend, Jason. It's been exciting to me to be part of the 25<sup>th</sup> year of New Manna Christian School. I've had the privilege to work with the teenagers of the school and church for the last 15 years. It's a burden of mine to help young people live for Jesus, fall in love with His word, and make plans for what the Lord has for them after graduation!



My name is Shelly Smith and I am the English teacher at New Manna Christian School. My husband, Brandon, and I moved to Marion from West Virginia almost two and a half years ago so that he could pastor the Fairview Free Will Baptist Church. We have three sons: Landon, 8; Jordan, 6; and Joshua, 4. Outside of teaching and the ministry, my favorite things to do are hiking, reading, singing, playing games, spending time with my family, and watching football (go WVU☺). When I obtained my degree in Elementary and Middle Education ten years ago, my dream was to one day teach at a Christian school like the one I attended. I am so thankful for NMCS and what it stands for. I am also thankful for this opportunity and am excited to see what the future holds.



Hi, my name is Nikki McDaniel. I'm a wife of 21 years, a mother, a Sunday School teacher and now an Elementary School teacher, once again. I taught the Fourth Grade at NMCS from 1996 -2005. I left teaching to become a stay at home Mom which I've done for fourteen years. I've volunteered and subbed the past two years, but didn't see teaching again in my future. Thankfully, God had different plans and here I am, once again, doing what I love...teaching the First Grade!



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- Aug 30<sup>th</sup> Away @ Temple @4
- Sept 6<sup>th</sup> Home Vs Woodland @4
- Sept 9<sup>th</sup> Home Vs Temple @4
- Sept 10<sup>th</sup> Home Vs Victory Sylva @ 4
- Sept 13<sup>th</sup> Home Vs Tabernacle Hickory @ 4
- Sept 17<sup>th</sup> Home Vs Heritage @ 4
- Sept 30<sup>th</sup> Away @ Victory Sylva @ 4
- Oct 1<sup>st</sup> Away @ Heritage @4
- Oct 7<sup>th</sup> @ Tabernacle Hickory @ 4
- Oct 18<sup>th</sup> Playoffs
- Oct 22<sup>nd</sup> Playoffs
- Oct 25-26 State Tournaments



## VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE

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