

New Creation Fellowship Church

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SUNDAY SCHOOL for all ages meets on Sundays at 9:30 am during the school year. (Jan. 19 & 26)

CONGREGATIONAL MEETINGS are held monthly on the second Sunday of the month before worship.

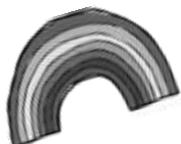
SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP begins at **10:30 am**. Recordings of our worship services are available on our website. Childcare for children not yet in kindergarten is provided in the basement after Children's Time.

FELLOWSHIP MEAL (potluck style) is scheduled for the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month following worship. (Jan. 26)

YOUTH GROUP is open to youth in grades 6 through high school. They meet with the Shalom youth group on Wednesdays at 7:00 pm during the school year.

NEW CREATION PRESCHOOL

a non-profit outreach of New Creation Fellowship Church
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New Creation Fellowship Church

January 19, 2020

At New Creation we seek to celebrate our differences as gifts and blessings — our differences in color, gender, sexual orientation, and the many other ways we are categorized by the world. You are welcome in this place as we journey together, discerning how to follow Jesus more faithfully.

Opening song:

Jesus, won't you come by here Screen

Welcome, introductions and announcements

Meditative music

Call to worship

Worship songs:

Just a closer walk with thee StJ 106

If you believe and I believe StJ 32

Let the words of the Lord Jesus Screen

Offering

Time with children

Scripture

1 Corinthians 1:10-18

Teaching

Pastor Derrick

Sharing our reflections, joys and prayer concerns
(Response: *O God, hear us*)

Closing song: Use us Lord as we go

screen

Benediction

LAST WEEK (January 19): Attendance: 67
General Fund: Will be reported next week

TODAY (January 26):

Greeters: Michelle V and Stephany M
Worship leader: Megan T
Sound system: George K
Music: Chuck N and Krista M
Childcare: Clark B and Keria M
Care of the building: Barrett-Fox, Ramer and Hurst families

NEXT WEEK (February 2):

Greeters: Miles R and Callan B
Worship leader: Anthony H
Sound system: Galen M
Music: Gordon H, Beck M, & Aaron R
Childcare: Ben M and Kelven M
Children's time: Rebecca BF
Teaching: Pastor Derrick R
Care of the building: B&E Regier and Weber families
Lectionary Text:

[Micah 6:1-8](#)

[Psalm 15](#)

[1 Corinthians
1:18-31](#)

[Matthew 5:1-12](#)

NEW CREATION BREAK: Tues at 10:00 am at the Newton Donut Shop.

Your 2019 **contribution receipt for tax purposes** is in your church mailbox. If you have any questions see Rodney or Brenda.

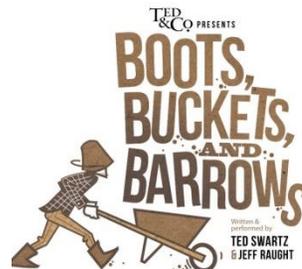
SERMONS on WEBSITE: Just a reminder each week the sermon/teaching is posted on the NCFC website at newcreationnewton.com

CHURCH DIRECTORY: It is time to update the church directory, please let Brenda know if you would like to be added to the directory or if you have any changes in your contact information by Jan 26th.

The **worship serving unit** is interested in learning more about what makes children's time meaningful for our congregation. How do you see this time benefiting our children? Do you see or hear kids sharing what they learned, reflecting on it, or engaging it? If you are a child, what are some positive memories or experiences you have of children's time? If you are an adult, how do you engage children about what they are learning there? What are your own favorite experiences of it? Rebecca B-F is soliciting answers in person, writing, text, or email over the next few weeks, so please share.

Voices Together Hymnal: We will begin collecting money for the new hymnal coming out this year. We need to have all the money collected by April 12, 2020. If you are paying for a personal hymnal that you ordered, please notate that in your giving so that is separate from what the church needs to raise. Thank you for your support.

Wider church announcements and prayer requests



Ted & Co. TheaterWorks, Mennonite Disaster Service (MDS) and Hesston College are partnering for a unique fundraising opportunity on January 31. In an event called *Boots, Buckets and Barrows* that is part theater show/part auction to support the ongoing work of MDS, Ted & Co. will present the original play *The Jesus Stories: Faith, Forks & Fettuccine* which is interrupted two times

to auction off buckets of home-related items. The event will be at 7 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 31 at Hesston Mennonite Church (309 S. Main St). Proceeds from this event will benefit both MDS and scholarships for Hesston College students in the Disaster Management Program.

Pray for **Western District Conference** congregations in pastoral transition, as they seek God's guidance for future direction and leadership.

MENNONITE MISSION NETWORK: Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for Joanne Brandt as she teaches at Union Biblical Seminary in India this trimester. Pray for wisdom and grace as she adapts her teaching to a new context and as she builds relationships with faculty, staff and students

Join an **MCC learning tour to Palestine and Israel**, June 4-14, 2020. This trip is open for 14 people. You will meet Palestinian Christians, hear from Israelis and Palestinians about their current challenges and joys and you will be empowered to engage in education and advocacy on Palestine and Israel. Visit mcc.org/events to find out more and get signed up for the trip.

Kauffman Museum First-Saturday Bird Walk.–Sat., Feb. 1 Meet at **8 a.m.** in the museum parking lot, corner of Main and 27th streets, North Newton – experienced birders will lead a walk of 1 to 1.5 hours. Please be aware this is mostly on unpaved trail and the terrain may be sloping or steep.

KIPCOR Film Series: *The Great White Hoax*,–Sun., Feb. 9 – 3 p.m.; Talkback follows with Mark McCormick – *Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center at Bethel College*

