

New Creation Fellowship Church

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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.

Lectionary text for April 11:

[Acts 4:32-35](#)

[Psalm 133](#)

[1 John 1:1-2:2](#)

[John 20:19-31](#)

Offering for March 29- April 2:

General: \$2715 Ruby Brown Memorial: \$1980

Western District Conference: Give thanks for the joy of resurrection, as WDC congregations celebrate Easter and bear witness to new life, healing and hope in Jesus!

Mennonite Mission Network: On this Easter Sunday, pray with MMN that the continuing need to proclaim Jesus' resurrection and his offer of new life is met in the land where he lived. Nazareth Hospital, in Israel, is seeking volunteer chaplains to provide holistic care for patients from diverse religious backgrounds. May God inspire and equip qualified people to respond.

New Creation Fellowship Church Easter Sunday April 4, 2021



Speaker: Pastor Derrick Ramer

Sermon title: *Again & Again, The Sun Rises*

Scripture: Mark 16:1-8

You are invited to our outdoor **Easter** Service on Sunday at 4:30. Please bring your blue Hymnal lawn chair/blanket and wear a mask.

The next **Congregational Meeting** will be April 11. We will join together on Zoom for our meeting at 9:00 am.

Scholarships: Our church offers support to our high school graduates through a scholarship fund for those pursuing their first post-high school degree. The scholarship amount depends on the number of applicants and the amount donated. We need to have these donations by May 31 for the 2021-22 school year. If you wish to donate to the above budget fund, please make your check to NCFC with "college scholarship" written in the memo or designate any cash gift in the same way. We have heard many positive comments from past recipients - even when the amount is small - as it symbolizes a concrete way for them to experience our support. The scholarship application was sent out in a church wide email. Return applications to Becky Miller by June 1.

Sharing Box: As we enter gardening season, please consider putting vegetable and flower seeds in the box. Nonperishable food and personal hygiene items are always welcome.



Join Michael Danner, **Mennonite Church USA's** associate executive director of Church Vitality, in a webinar April 8 at 7 p.m. ET, as he interviews Elain Enns and Ched Myers, authors of "Healing Haunted Histories: A Settler Discipleship of Decolonization." Register here:

<https://www.mennoniteusa.org/registration-decolonization>

Lorraine Avenue Mennonite Church (Wichita, KS) is seeking an administrative assistant (20-30 hours/week). Apply [here](#)

Learn about the Potawatomi Trail of Death with **Youth Venture**. On this nine-day trip, participants will camp along the trail and acknowledge markers while discussing the history and present-day realities for Indigenous peoples in the U.S. Visit MennoniteMission.net/YouthVenture. Deadline is May 1!