

New Creation Fellowship Church

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SUNDAY SCHOOL for all ages meets on Sundays at 9:30 am during the school year. (April 28)

CONGREGATIONAL MEETINGS are held monthly on the second Sunday of the month before worship. Childcare is provided. (April 14)

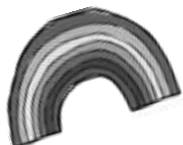
SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP begins at **10:30 am**. Recordings of our worship services are available on our website. Childcare for children not yet in kindergarten is provided in the basement after Children's Time.

FELLOWSHIP MEAL (potluck style) is scheduled for the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month following worship. (April 14 and April 28)

YOUTH GROUP is open to youth in grades 6 through high school. We meet with the Shalom youth group on Wednesdays at 7:00 pm during the school year. For more information, contact sponsors, Jill or Carmina.

NEW CREATION PRESCHOOL

a non-profit outreach of New Creation Fellowship Church
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New Creation Fellowship Church April 14, 2019



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: Ride on, King Jesus - screen
Welcome, announcements and introductions
Meditative music
Call to worship (from Psalm 118)

Singing:

Hosanna, Son of David - screen

Lord of the dance (verses 1-4) - screen

Scripture: Luke 19:28-40

Procession & offerings

Children's time: Mona Krievns

Message: *The Processions*, Pastor Derrick Ramer

Singing our responses:

I want Jesus to walk with me - HWB 439

I want to walk with You, Jesus - screen

Sharing and prayer (Please respond: *O Lord, hear us*)
Closing song: Stay with me, the night has come - screen
Sending blessing

LAST WEEK (April 7): Attendance: 106
General contributions: \$1317
Sharing fund: \$300
Preschool scholarship: \$56

TODAY (April 14): Palm Sunday
Greeters: Michelle R and Edel M
Worship leader: Audrey R
Sound system: Aaron R
Music: Gordon H, Ian GG, Pastor Derrick R
Childcare: Clark B and Eliza E
Sunday care of the building: Weber, Voth and E Esau/J Regier

NEXT WEEK (April 21): 9:45 Easter service
Greeters: Steve M and Stephany M
Worship leader: Gordon H
Sound system: Galen M
Music: Vicki L, Becky M and Michelle V
Children's time: Audrey R
Teaching: Pastor Derrick R
Childcare: Amy R and Edel M
Care of the building: Krievins and Horsch families
Lectionary Text:

Isaiah 50:4-9a	Psalm	Philippians	Luke 22:14-23:56
	31:9-16	2:5-11	Luke 23:1-49

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 2019-20 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 is available at the back of the sanctuary. Return applications to Aaron Ratzlaff by June 1.

CAMP MENNOSCAH: It is time to register for summer camps. If youth are interested in attending, the church will pay 1/2 the camp fee. If a family is not able to contribute the other 1/2 of the fee, then a sharing fund request can be submitted. See Carmina if you have questions. There are brochures at the back of the sanctuary. Register online at www.campmennoscah.org.

NEW CREATION BREAK: Everyone is invited to a coffee and donut break every Tuesday at 10:00 am at the Newton Donut Shop. Come for fellowship with NCFC friends and Pastor Derrick.

The **CONGREGATIONAL CARE TEAM** will be meeting on Monday, April 15 at 4:15 in the church basement.

Your 1st quarter **GIVING REPORTS** are in your church mail.

LENTEN VISUALS: Christ takes his journey over rugged rough stone. The Christ candle reminds us that we are called to follow Jesus on this path.

Our **MAUNDY THURSDAY SERVICE** will be held on April 18 at 7:00 pm in the basement. Communion will be served. After the service, we would like to request your help to set up tables for Easter breakfast.



8:00 am - sunrise service led by youth
8:30 am - potluck breakfast
9:45 am - worship service
*(Please note the time change for worship.
There will be no 10:30 worship service on Easter.)*

Please bring breakfast foods to share (egg main dish, fruit, or bread). We need help with clean up after breakfast, so we can be finished in time for worship.

You are invited to bring flowers to decorate the cross. The cross, a symbol of death, darkness, pain and hopelessness is transformed into something beautiful, new and alive in celebration of the Resurrection of Christ.

COLORED CANDLE: We light a green colored candle amid the white candles to represent those ongoing concerns and ongoing prayers among us that may not be spoken aloud but are carried by individuals and families.

FOOD PANTRY: Did you know our church donates about 60 pounds of food each month? Many needy people in our community go without proper food, especially children and the elderly who are at the most risk. Please bring food as you feel inspired to give. We are asked to bring canned soup this month.

CAMP MENNOSCAH is looking for a camp nurse for the weeks of June 9-15 and June 23-29. Nurses receive a stipend or a full camper discount. Contact us at olivia.bartel@campmennoscah.org or 620-297-3290.

The **KIPCOR** Film Series presents *This Little Light*, TODAY, Sun., April 14 at 3 p.m., in Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center at Bethel College; talkback leaders are Lois Harder, Alexanderwohl Mennonite Church, and Heidi Regier Kreider, Western District Conference.

KANSAS MENNONITE MEN'S CHORUS, TODAY, Sun., April 14 at 7:00 p.m., in Memorial Hall at Bethel College.

