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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.

PRAYER requests

Western District Conference: We are in the middle of the year 2024 and let's pray that the rest of the year, His presence will shine upon us. Let's pray that God will open doors for us and witness the moving of His holy Spirit, whispering to our inner being the desires of God, so that we may arise and move. "Revive your work in the midst of the ages" said Habakkuk. All this we ask as the WDC Church Planting Commission, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, Amen...

Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for Kate Widmer, as she helps extend the community outreach ministries of La Prairie (The Prairie) Mennonite Church in France, through a café, a bookstore and building relationships in the Muslim neighborhood in which she lives. Pray for renewal of energy and spiritual insight, as she pours herself out in service.

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June 30, 2024

- Opening song: I'm so Glad Jesus Lifted Me screen
- Welcome, introductions and announcements
- Call to worship
- Meditative music
- I am on the Rock..... screen
- Healer of Our Every Ill VT 644
- Don't Be Afraid..... VT 596
- Love Will Guide Us screen
- Offering
- Children's time Kristin Neufeld Epp
- Scripture Mark 5:21-43
- Sermon Pastor Shana Green
To Touch Or Not To Touch, That Is The Question
- Sharing and praying together O God, hear us
- Benediction
- Closing song: You are the Vine screen

Contributions June 23: General Fund: \$4365
 Preschool Tuition Assistance: \$476

	<u>June 30</u>	<u>July 7</u>
Worship leader	Anthony H	Audrey R
Speaker	Pastor Shana G	Pastor Shana G
Song leader	Chuck N	Chuck N
Musicians	Bonnie N & Aaron R	Bonnie N
Children's time	Kristin NE	
Audio & video	Rich S & Galen M	Ruth M & Aaron R
Childcare	Kelven M & Eliza E	Olivia E & Kelven M
Care of building	Ruth & Steve M	Audrey & Aaron R
Communion servers:	n/a	Rhonda H, Marvin P, Mona K and Andy B

Childcare is provided following *Children's Time* for children 2nd grade and younger. Also, a changing table and rocking chair are in the basement.

There will be no **congregational meeting** in July. At the August congregational meeting we will discuss payment for Sunday morning speakers.

Western District Conference Delegate: We are looking for someone who would be interested in representing New Creation (in-person or virtual) at the Western District Conference Annual Assembly, August 2-4, 2024 in Beatrice, Nebraska.



Everence Scam Awareness Webinar: Learn how to outsmart the scammers and protect your finances. In this webinar, you'll discover how to recognize the most common forms of scams and fraud, how to reduce your risks, and how to respond if fraud occurs. Tune in on July 25 at 2 p.m. ET, with Steve Bustos, Everence Stewardship Consultant, and Kim Miller, Partner Relationship Specialist for LSS. Register at everence.com/partners.



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Colorado Peaches are coming! The Palisade peaches on the Western Slope are looking to be a good crop once again. Peaches will be available to order from July 1-31. Orders can be made by contacting the MCC Central States Office at patsydirksen@mcc.org or calling 316-283-2720. Two sizes are available: 9 lbs. for \$30 and 18 lbs. for \$41. Payment for peaches in the form of cash or checks is due by August 1 to MCC. Checks should be made payable to Beth-El Mennonite Church with "peaches" in the memo line. Peaches will be available for pickup from the MCC Office, 121 East 30th, North Newton, on Monday, August 19 (tentative date). This is a fundraiser for the Rocky Mountain Mennonite Relief Sale held in Castle Rock, Colorado, October 18-19.

The Live Wire Stringband will perform at 6:30 p.m., Friday, July 12, at **Kidron Bethel** Village's Kidron Hall, 3001 Ivy Dr., North Newton. The Live Wire Stringband is a collection of players with decades of experience performing for audiences throughout the Midwest. They play old time fiddle tunes, gospel and traditional songs on the fiddle, banjo, guitar, mandolin and bass. Enjoy lively tunes that will make you want to move your feet! The concert is free and open to the public. Members of Live Wire Stringband include, Jesse Graber, son of Charles and Diana Graber of Newton, and husband of Ruth Harder, former pastor of Bethel College Mennonite Church (current pastor of Rainbow Mennonite Church in Kansas City; Steve and Gail Goeke, who live in rural Missouri northeast of Kansas City and members of Rainbow Mennonite Church; and Bob and Melissa Atchinson, Manhattan, KS. Melissa is the pastor of Manhattan Mennonite Church.

Bible classes offered on Hesston College's campus: Lifelong learning is a goal of many individuals. Did you know Hesston encourages community members to enroll in Bible courses? We even have a discounted rate for senior citizen attenders. This coming fall semester we have opportunities to take two Bible classes on campus: Biblical Literature (at two different times) and Missional Leadership on Monday evenings. These classes will only be offered in person this semester. To learn more, visit hesston.edu/bible. If you are interested in enrolling in a course, contact Michele Hershberger at michele.hershberger@hesston.edu.

Sermon Doodles, Notes or Thoughts:

