New Creation Fellowship Church

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SUNDAY SCHOOL for all ages meets on Sundays at 9:30 am during the school year. (No Sunday school in July)

CONGREGATIONAL MEETINGS are held monthly on the second Sunday of the month before worship. (No meeting in July)

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP begins at <u>10:30 am</u>. 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. (July 14 & July 28)

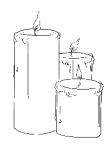
YOUTH GROUP is open to youth in grades 6 through high school. They meet with the Shalom youth group on Wednesdays at 7:00 pm during the school year.



NEW CREATION PRESCHOOL

a non-profit outreach of New Creation Fellowship Church Kristin Neufeld Epp, director/teacher 316.217.5650 www.newcreationpreschool.com newcreationpreschool@gmail.com or Facebook

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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.

Gathering song: Jesus calls us here to meet him – StJ 3 Introductions and announcements Meditative music Call to worship

Songs for worship:

Let there be light, Lord God – HWB 371 For the healing of the nations - HWB 367 O healing river – HWB 372

Offering

Children's story: Kristin Neufeld Epp

Scripture: Matthew 11:20-30

Teaching: Blessedly Bound, Megan Ramer

Communion: Pastor Derrick Ramer

Sharing our reflections, joys and prayer concerns

(Response: O Lord, hear us)

Closing song: Sizohamba naye – StJ 78

Benediction

LAST WEEK (June 30): Attendance: 58

General Fund: \$1187.25

College Scholarship Fund: \$150.00

TODAY (July 7):

Greeters: Michelle R and Mara O **Worship leader:** Pastor Derrick R

Sound system: Galen M

Music: Vicki L, Bonnie N, Aaron R **Childcare:** Bernard and Ben M

Communion Servers: Jeanne H, Steve M, Melissa K and Carmina S

Care of the building: Voth, B & E Regier and Mock families

NEXT WEEK (July 14): Greeters: Steve M & Edel M Worship leader: Megan T Sound system: Garth M Music: Ruth M & Ian GG

Children's time: Looking for a volunteer

Teaching: High Schoolers MC USA Convention Report

Childcare: Amy R and Eliza E

Care of the building: Suter and E Esau/J Regier families

Lectionary Text:

 Amos 7:7-17
 Deuteronomy
 Colossians
 Luke

 Psalm 82
 30:9-14
 1:1-14
 10:25-37

 Psalm 25:1-10

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.

GLUTEN FREE bread is served at communion.

SEAK (2.0): We need volunteers from 11:30 - 1:00 on July 9 and 16. The sign-up sheet is located on the bulletin board.

There will be **NO congregational meeting** in July.

Pastor Derrick will be gone on vacation from Sat, July 13 - Sat, July 20. Please contact someone on the Congregation Care Team (Carmina, Becky, or Aaron R) for pastoral care concerns.

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

Food Pantry: During the months of July and August you are invited to bring easy to prepare meals like, macaroni & cheese, hamburger helper, top ramen or canned ravioli.

CHILDCARE HELPERS NEEDED: This summer we are in need of a few more volunteers to provide childcare during worship (July 28, Aug 25 and Sept 29). There are about five children between the ages of 1 and 5 that need childcare. Talk to Brenda if interested or if you have questions.

Please remember our youth in prayer as they attend **Camp Mennoscah** for a week of faith, fun, and fellowship on the theme of *Peace Works: Empowering*

Peacemakers.

July 7-11 PreJunior II

July 11-13 First Camp

July 14-20 Junior High II

July 21-27 Junior II

July 28-August 2 Senior High

Your 2nd quarter **GIVING REPORTS** are in your church mail. Please see Rodney or Brenda if you have questions.

Wider church announcements & prayer requests

There will be a Family Festival on the Saturday evening of the **Western District Conference Annual Assembly**, July 27, 5:30 – 9:00 on Bethel College campus. There will be a hamburger/hotdog picnic, an inflatable bouncy house, a coffee house concert at MoJo's and more. It's open to the public, so invite your friends and neighbors! (Donations welcome)

Imperfect Peace Witness Tour: As part of WDC Assembly on Saturday, July 27, 2:30-5 pm, tour participants will learn about Central Kansas "peace heroes" who stood up to nationalist neighbors during WWI. All tour-goers will gather in the Kauffman Museum parking lot and travel together in an airconditioned charter bus. \$10 for those who also register for WDC Annual Assembly. \$20 for those who just plan to go on the afternoon tour. We are raising money for Mennonite Library and Archives after expenses, so more stories like this may be told.

Everence Medicare workshops: Everence will hold informative Medicare workshops at its offices in North Newton and Hutchinson in July. Attendees will learn about the various Medicare plans and what they cover; plans that supplement Medicare; and enrollment details and deadlines. The North Newton presentation will be held at 3179 N. Main St. on Monday, July 8 (6:30 p.m.). The Hutchinson presentation will be held at 524 E. 30th Ave. on Thursday, July 11 (6:30 p.m.). Space is limited. Reserve your spot soon by contacting Michelle Ramer at 316-283-3800; michelle.ramer@everence.com.