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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.

Donating to NCFC: When you give to New Creation, you're not just making a donation, you're investing in a spiritual home where love, justice, and mercy are alive and growing. Thank you for being part of the story God is writing through NCFC. We have several ways you can give:

1. Cash or check in the offering plate or box at the back of the sanctuary.
2. Monthly withdrawal from your banking account. See Brenda to set up.
3. Website newcreationnewton.com and click on the donate button.
4. Scan QR code for PayPal.

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October 4, 2026

WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY

Prelude

Gathering Song: O God beyond All Praising ..... VT 814

Welcome and Announcements

Meditative Music

Scripture ..... 1 Peter 4:10 and Romans 12:6-8

Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore ..... VT 283

When the Storms of Life Are Raging ..... VT 595

Offering: There's Enough for All ..... VT 757

Children's Time ..... Kristin NE

Reflection ..... Seth & Stephany R

Un Año en Guatemala
Our Connection-Forming and Life-Enriching Experience

Communion
- Prayer of Preparation
- Singing: Come to the Table of Grace VT461
- Lord's Supper and Blessing

Sharing and Praying Together ..... *O God, hear us*

Sending Song: Changes ..... Screen

Benediction

Sept 27 Contributions: General Fund: $1357.67

	Oct 4	Oct 11
Worship leader	Audrey R	Pastor Shana G
Speaker	Stephany & Seth R	Bonnie N, Logan C and Emily B
Song leader	Chuck N	Krista M
Musicians	Bonnie N & Branden S	Rhonda H & Branden S
Children's time	Kristin NE	Elise C
Audio & video	Ruth SM & Aaron R	
Childcare	Logan C & Ruby O	
Care of building	Brenda & Kelven M	Miller family
Communion	Gordon H, Galen M. Marvin P & Steve M	n/a

Childcare is provided in the basement following *Children's Time* for children 2nd grade and younger.

We serve open communion and welcome all ages to participate. Gluten free pretzels and grape juice are provided.

The Craft and Hang Out Group meets on TODAY Oct 4 after worship. This is a group that is open to everyone. Come join us!

There will be no Congregational Meeting in October.

2026 Retreat Schedule

Saturday October 24

12:30 gathering
1-4 pm congregational reflection (zoom and in person)
4-6 pm record listening party and fun activities
6 pm potluck dinner

Sunday October 25

9am-noon circle sharing (zoom and in person)

Peace Connections is hosting a county-wide hygiene drive throughout the month of October. There will be a collection box to gather hygiene items at the back of the sanctuary. Please bring:

- Toilet paper
- Deodorant
- Shampoo/Conditioner
- Toothpaste/toothbrush
- Feminine hygiene items
- Soap/Dish soap
- Laundry soap

These items will be distributed at Laundry Love. The Laundry Love initiative takes place once a month at a local laundromat, where free laundry services can be accessed for people with little to no income. Your generosity in providing these additional support items helps build dignity for some of our neighbors on the margins.

Bethel College music and theater present the musical *The Spitfire Grill* by James Valcq and Fred Alley during Fall Fest, Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center on Fri., Oct. 16, 7 p.m., Sat., Oct. 17, 3 p.m., Sun., Oct. 18, 2 p.m. Ticket purchase required, in Thresher Shop in Schultz Student Center weekdays 8 a.m.-5 p.m., online or at the door.

Fall Fest programs at **Kauffman Museum** recital on the Teschemacher parlor organ with Rosi Penner Kaufman and Donna Hetrick, on Sat., Oct. 17 at 10 a.m.; "A Tactile Cogitation," with artist Karen Reimer, Chicago, 1 p.m.

First Mennonite Church in Halstead invites you to their annual **Hog Roast** on Sunday, October 18, from 5-7 p.m. at the gazebo in Scout Park (327 Locust St., Halstead, KS). Bring your lawn chair and enjoy an evening of music from Eric Schrag & family along with a pulled pork meal and sides. Cost is by donation with proceeds going to Camp Mennoscah.

Hoffnungsau Church, 43 13th Ave, Inman, invites you to our annual **Mission Supper** on Saturday, October 24, 5:00 – 6:30. It will be curbside pick-up with tables outside and inside available if you want to stay and eat. Please text or call Barb at 620-543-6863 to order a meal of German sausage, mashed potatoes, creamed peas, zwiebach and pie. Payment is by donation with all proceeds going towards Safe Hope in Harvey, McPherson and Marion Counties.