

New Creation Fellowship Church

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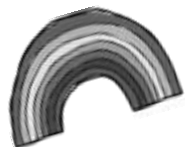
SUNDAY SCHOOL for all ages meets on Sundays at 9:30 am during the school year. (Nov 17)

CONGREGATIONAL MEETINGS are held monthly on the second Sunday of the month before worship.

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. (Nov 24)

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
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New Creation Fellowship Church November 17, 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: Come, we that love the Lord – HWB 14

Introductions and announcements

Meditative music



Songs:

Celebrate, it's a new celebration – screen or HOS 18a

Give me a litany for my day - screen

As saints of old - HWB 386 (song of the month)

Streams will flow in the desert - screen

Offering

Scripture: Psalm 100

Children's time: Mona Krievins



Teaching: *Open Faithfulness to All Generations,*

Pastor Derrick Ramer

Sharing our reflections, joys and prayer concerns

(Response: *O God, hear us*)

Sending song: Yes, in joy you shall depart - screen

Benediction

LAST WEEK (Nov 10): Attendance: 65
General Fund: \$3418
Youth Fund \$50

TODAY (November 17):
Greeters: Evie R & Ben M
Worship leader: Christy SS
Sound system: George K
Music: Vicki L, Rhonda H and Pastor Derrick R
Childcare: Ben M and Kelven M
Care of the building: C & B Neufeld, Anne R & Hecht families

NEXT WEEK (November 24):
Greeters: Jenn E and Stephany M
Worship leader: Anthony H
Sound system: Galen M
Music: Chuck & Bonnie N
Childcare: Keria M and Bernard R
Children's time: Looking for a volunteer
Teaching: Clark B, Libby B and Brenda M
Care of the building: Ratzlaff and Owsald/Schrag
Lectionary Text:

<u>Jeremiah 23:1-6</u>	<u>Jeremiah 23:1-6</u>	<u>Colossians</u>	<u>Luke</u>
<u>Luke 1:68-79</u>	<u>Psalms 46</u>	<u>1:11-20</u>	<u>23:33-43</u>

NEW CREATION BREAK: Tues at 10:00 am at the Newton Donut Shop.

Pastor Derrick will be gone November 23 - November 30. Please contact a member of the Congregational Care Team (Carmina, Aaron R or Becky) if you have a pastoral care concern during this time.

The Mennonite It is time to subscribe or renew our group subscription to The Mennonite magazine. If you wish to subscribe or renew your subscription, please write a check to NCFC for \$37 with The Mennonite in the memo line by Nov 24. See Gordon H, who is the editor, if you have questions about the magazine. See Brenda M, if you have questions about your subscription.

Youth Fundraiser: We are looking for some adults to help on Nov. 20 from 6-8pm during the jr youth fundraiser. If interested, contact Carmina Suter.



Thank you for the generous supply of salads and desserts as we gathered together to honor Ann Showalter's life.

Wider church announcements

Western District Women in Mission will host the event "Let's Talk...Women, Money & Faith" on January 24 and 25 at Tabor Mennonite Church, Newton, featuring speakers from Everence who will address money and faith topics for women of all ages and stages of life. Look for more information at our web page <https://communicationswdwm.wixsite.com/wdwm>.

Thank you for your financial contributions for **Western District Conference's** ministries of supporting ministerial leaders, resourcing congregations, and nurturing church planting. Current projections suggest that WDC income will fall short of expenses for the current year, so your generous gifts are invited to help close the gap towards WDC's 2019 budget goal! Please send to WDC at PO Box 306, North Newton, KS 67117.

Join us on the Bethel College campus on **Friday, November 22**, at 7 pm for an **Urban Doxology Worship Experience**, created by musicians from Richmond, Virginia. This event is free and open to the public. There will be a freewill offering for Harvest of Love through the Newton Ministerial Alliance and the Newton Community for Racial Justice. The event will take place in Krehbiel Auditorium in the Luyken Fine Arts Center. See urbandoxology.com.

MCC new service opportunity called Seek! It's an intentional discipleship program which focuses on exposing young adults in what it means to be a follower of Jesus Christ, from an Anabaptist faith perspective. We're looking for a coordinator to provide leadership for the program in East Jerusalem, Israel. See vacancy online for more details.. serve.mcc.org

Hesston College: The office of International Student Support invites you to an informational reception at 4 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 17 in the community center of Hesston Mennonite Church. If you've ever considered hosting a Hesston College international student, here's a chance to learn more and hear from those with first-hand experience. The occasional challenges of hosting are greatly outweighed by the many rewards. Often the student-host relationship continues beyond graduation. Current international student host families will be on hand to share their experiences with each other and with prospective individuals/families. For more information and to RSVP, contact Carlota Ponds, Director of International Student Support at 620-327-8210 or carlota.ponds@hesston.edu.

