

\*BENEDICTION SONG 672 Red Hymnal  
"God Be with You till We Meet Again"  
Verse 2

\*POSTLUDE Carol Kirchmer  
"He's Got the Whole World in His Hands"  
Traditional Spiritual

### A NEW OPTION FOR GIVING TO SALEM UMC

NOTE: You do not have to change the way you currently financially give to the church if you do not wish to.

Salem's Finance Committee is pleased to announce an electronic giving option through Vanco for making regular offerings and special giving. Below is a brief summary. Visit with some members in the Family Life Center after church to ask questions and learn more.

Here are the Electronic Giving options:

- Presently available is the Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) from your checking/savings account for those wanting to give the same amount weekly or monthly. No fees. See Suanne Eshleman for paperwork to complete and send to your bank.
- NEW: Give+ Church option – using debit or credit card on a smartphone.  
Fee for service = 2.75% -3.5%
- NEW: Give+ Church option – using direct draft from your checking/savings account.

Currently giving accounts include General Fund and Mission Shares. More options will come as events arise (Spring Fund Drive, Vacation Bible School, etc.)

To get started with your mobile device, go to the App Store or Google Play and download for free "Give+ Church". Choose 'Salem UMC' and follow the directions. There is a small service charge for each contribution.



# Salem at Worship

## Sunday, February 25, 2018



9:00 am Sunday School  
[sum@sum.kscoxmail.com](mailto:sum@sum.kscoxmail.com)  
[salemumc-newton.org](http://salemumc-newton.org)

10:00 am Worship Service  
(316) 283-3620  
115 Old Main, Newton, KS 67114

*If you are seeking a church home, we invite you to join our church family by talking with Pastor Ron at the church office, 283-3620.*

## God's People Gather

*\*Please stand as you are able.*

*(Please be sure to sign the attendance registration)*

*(Prayer cards are in attendance pad, you may fill out and place in the offering plate)*

WELCOME Liturgist

\*GREETING

ANNOUNCEMENTS Pastor Ron Kite

PRELUDE Carol Kirchmer

### **"Amazing Grace, How Can It Be?"**

Words & Music by Bayard L. Fox

\*CALL TO WORSHIP Screen

### **"10,000 Reasons"**

\*OPENING PRAYER (based on Mark 8) Liturgist

*God, you have given us everything. What can we give in return for our lives? Be our guide on our Lenten journey. Help us to deny ourselves, pick up our cross and follow Jesus. We welcome the chastening direction in our lives as we worship you today.*

\*AFFIRMATION 881 Red Hymnal

\*GLORIA PATRI 70 Red Hymnal

### **"Glory Be to the Father"**

JOYS AND CONCERNS Pastor Ron Kite

PRAYER HYMN 338 Red Hymnal

### **"Where He Leads Me"**

Verses 1 and 3

PASTOR'S PRAYER Pastor Ron Kite

LORD'S PRAYER Unison

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses; as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

CHILDREN'S TIME

Ashli Teel

### **"Jesus Loves the Little Children"**

INVITATION TO OFFERING (based on Mark 8, Psalm 22) Liturgist

*Those who want to save all they have will lose everything, while those who give all they are for the sake of Jesus Christ, will gain eternal blessing. Come, bring what you have and offer it to God, that the poor will have food in abundance, and all may know God's love.*

OFFERTORY Carol Kirchmer

### **"Calvary Covers It All"**

Words & Music by Mrs. Walter G. Taylor

\*OFFERING SONG 94 Red Hymnal

### **"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"**

\*OFFERING PRAYER Pastor Ron Kite

SPECIAL MUSIC Ruth Williams

### **"There Is a Redeemer"**

Words and Music by Melody Green

SCRIPTURE Mark 8:27-30, 34-38 (NIV)

Liturgist

**Leader:** *This is the Word of God for the People of God.*

**People:** **Thanks be to God.**

HYMN 141 Red Hymnal

### **"Children of the Heavenly Father"**

Verses 1, 2, and 4

\*SCRIPTURE selections from Exodus

Pastor Ron Kite

MESSAGE Pastor Ron Kite

### **"Rearranging the Furniture"**

\*CLOSING HYMN 662 Red Hymnal

### **"Stand Up and Bless the Lord"**

Verses 1, 4, and 5

\*BENEDICTION Pastor Ron Kite