

# Announcements

**MILITARY:** Please pray for our loved ones in the military.

**VOLUNTEERS:** Following worship and a lunch we will begin the work to replace the Audio/Visual booth with a larger, more efficient work space. We welcome all those that wish to help.

**LAY SERVANT TRAINING:** The annual Hutchinson District Lay Servant training in Great Bend March 10-11. The basic class is the first step for anyone interested in getting into the Lay Servant/Lay Speaker realm. This training prepares you for developing your faith walk in the areas of worship leadership, preaching, witnessing, teaching, leadership, service and/or growing in personal faith. Please note that in addition to the course fee, students are required to purchase books for their class ahead of time. If you have questions about the workshop, please contact Don Gruver (Salem Lay Leader and member of the Hutchinson District Lay Servant Committee).

**ASH WEDNESDAY:** Salem will have an Ash Wednesday Service on Wednesday, Mar. 1 at 6:30 pm. Join us at 5:45 pm for the Family Fusion meal (chicken and rice casserole, green beans, salad, sandwich buffet, dessert) followed by the Ash Wed. Service.

**LENTEN STUDY:** There will be two different Lenten studies available at three different times. Both studies are by Rev. Adam Hamilton of the Church of the Resurrection and begin with a 10-15 minute DVD followed by discussion. The Way: Walking in the Steps of Jesus will begin Mar 5 in the Sunday school class across from the staff offices. Final Words from the Cross will be offered at both 10 am and 6:30 pm on Wednesdays beginning Mar 8.

**VOLUNTEERS:** Salem is in need of volunteers to make salads and/or cakes for funeral dinners. If you would be willing to do this you may contact the church office or LaDonna Unruh, 804-4102.

**BULLETIN ITEMS:** Cindy Harms will be gone from Mar. 1 through Mar. 10. If you have items for the Mar. 5 bulletin, please have them into the church office by Tuesday, Feb. 28. If a bulletin item comes up later in the week or you have an item for the Mar. 12 bulletin, you may contact Suanne Eshleman, 252-7830.

**LENTEN MISSION:** The Lenten Mission for Salem this year is hygiene supplies which will be donated to Salvation Army. Your donated items may be placed in a container in the west foyer.

- 3-5: Dental supplies
- 3-12: Feminine hygiene, adult protective underwear
- 3-19: Hand soap, body wash
- 3-26: Lotion, body powder
- 4:2: laundry supplies
- 4-9: hair care products

## Family & Friends of H. Milford Ediger Graveside Service & Luncheon

When: Friday, March 3, 2017

10:00 AM: Graveside service at Greenwood Cemetery,  
1100 E. 1<sup>st</sup> St., Newton, KS

- There are two entrances to the cemetery, you want the West one
- Continuing North on the drive, go to the back of the cemetery
- The grave site will be on your right before you reach the little bridge

11:00 AM: Lunch at Salem United Methodist Church Family  
Life Center, 115 Old Main, Newton, KS

Dress is casual. Please drive your pickup, if you like. Thank you for joining us to remember Milford. Thanking God for a life well lived.

## This Week at Salem

**Sunday: February 26<sup>th</sup>**  
 9:00 am Sunday school  
 10:00 am Worship  
 2:00 pm FLC Reserved

**Monday: February 27<sup>th</sup>**

**Tuesday: February 28<sup>th</sup>**  
 9:30 am Companions  
 6:30 pm Girl Scouts-Basement  
 7:00 pm Finance Committee

**Wednesday: March 1<sup>st</sup>**  
 Cindy gone through 3-10  
 4:00 pm Basement Reserved  
 5:45 pm FLC FF Meal  
 6:30 pm Ash Wed. Service

**Thursday: March 2<sup>nd</sup>**  
 1:00 pm Piece Keepers  
 6:00 pm FH Reserved

**Friday: March 3<sup>rd</sup>**  
 10:00 am FLC Reserved

**Saturday: March 4<sup>th</sup>**

**Sunday: March 5<sup>th</sup>**  
 9:00 am Sunday school  
 10:00 am Worship  
 6:00 pm FLC 4-H Meeting

**AUDIT: Reminder to have your  
 audit information into the Audit  
 Committee by Tuesday, 2-28.  
 Thanks.**

**Monthly Need for General Budget**  
**January**  
 \$23,822.83  
**Income in January to pay bills**  
 \$18,705.27  
**Year to Date Expenses**  
 \$35,257.77  
**Year to Date Income**  
 \$37,786.96

### Memorial Book Open To

Leland M. Kenagy  
 Maj. Donald N. Giggy

### Last Week Year Ago

<b>Worship</b>	132	161
<b>Sunday School</b>	80	88

### Worship Leaders

<b>Head Usher</b>	<i>Bob Swickard</i>
<b>Song Leader</b>	<i>Ruth Williams</i>
<b>Liturgist</b>	<i>Teresa Soyez</i>
<b>Acolyte</b>	<i>Reid Golubski</i>
<b>AV</b>	<i>Don Gruver Lorna Preston Aaron Teel</i>
<b>Nursery</b>	<i>Erica Rickard</i>

**To Our Guests:** Restrooms are available in the east foyer on the main level by the office and on the west side of the building in the Family Life Center (gymnasium). The nursery is down the hall from the Sanctuary on the east side.

<b>Pastor</b> .....	<i>Ron Kite</i>
<b>Children/Youth Director</b> .....	<i>Ashli Teel</i>
<b>Church Treasurer</b> .....	<i>Staci Morales</i>
<b>Church Secretary</b> .....	<i>Cindy Harms</i>
<b>Organist/Pianist</b> .....	<i>Carol Kirchner</i>
<b>Choir Director</b> .....	<i>Ruth Williams</i>
<b>Child Care</b> .....	<i>Cindy Gruver</i>
<b>Janitor</b> .....	<i>Tony Martinez</i>