

Announcements

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

FAMILY FUSION: Please join us Wednesday, Feb 8 for Family Fusion in the FLC. Meal at 5:45 pm: vegetable soup, sandwich buffet, lettuce salad, dessert followed by classes for all ages and choir at 6:30 pm. If you would like to donate items for the meal, check the sheet by the FLC entrance or with the church office.

VOLUNTEERS: Materials have arrived and we are ready to begin construction on the Audio/Visual Booth enlargement project. We are looking for volunteers (electricians and carpenters-anyone who can operate saws, drills, tools and sheet-rocking) to help with construction. Our plan is to tear down the existing setup after Church on a Sunday (date to be decided) and build the new one in afternoons/evenings and have it ready to go by the following Sunday. If you would like to help with the project, please contact Don Gruver or Aaron Teel.

REWARDS PROGRAM: Salem is participating in a Dillons Rewards program. You may participate in this program by signing up your rewards card with Dillons. You may sign up on line at the Dillons web site or at the customer service desk in Dillons. Every time you buy using your rewards card 3% of what you spend is donated to Salem. At this point in time 14 families from Salem are signed up for this program and Salem makes an average of \$100 a quarter which is used for things like the food for the food pantry or meals for the homeless shelter. This is a good way to donate to Salem missions. Please take time to enroll in this program. If you have questions you may talk with Judy Shifflett.

SOUPER BOWL LUNCH: Salem Servants will be serving a Souper Bowl Lunch. They will serve chicken and noodles and chili in the FLC following worship today. Come join us for some terrific food and fellowship. The cost is donation. Carry out available.

UPPER ROOM: The March/April Upper Room Devotionals are here. You may pick one up at any entry to the sanctuary or in the east foyer.

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).

THANK YOU: Thank you to Lorna Preston, Joan Stahly, and Cindy Simons for volunteering in the church office during my absence. THANKS! Cindy Harms

New Hope Shelter

Current Needs

If you can help with any of the following items, they can be delivered to the shelter at any time. 900 W. Broadway, Building 7, Newton



Evening Childcare

Monday-Friday 7-8 PM

With our evening courses we are seeking volunteers willing to watch our residents children. If you are interested in helping, call James @ 316-283-7711.



New Bath Towels

We are in the process of retiring some of our bath towels and are in need of new ones to replace them.



Cleaning Supplies

With 20-30 people residing at the shelter daily, we go through cleaning supplies quickly. Pine Sol, 409 Multi-purpose cleaner, Clorox Bleach cleaner, or any comparable cleaning supply is welcome.



Breakfast Cereal

Any and all types of cereal are accepted!

THANK YOU: Thank you Adrian McCulloch for all the years of opening and closing the church before and after worship every Sunday. Plus regulating the temperature in the sanctuary and keeping the sanctuary clean. Salem appreciates your time/expertise. THANK YOU Adrian!

COMMIT A RADICAL ACT OF LOVE THIS VALENTINE'S DAY Offender Victim Ministries invites you to reach out to inmates at Hutchinson Correctional Facility through our Valentine's Day letter-writing campaign and prisoner care kit initiative. Please bring items for prisoner care kits to the collection box at your church and come join us for letter writing and refreshments at the following venues: FEBRUARY 13, 7:00 - 8:30 pm, Amish Community Building in Hutchinson; FEBRUARY 14, 9:00 - 11:00 am, Mennonite Central Committee Central States offices in North Newton. If you aren't able to attend an event, but want to write a letter, suggested talking points and instructions for sending letters are posted on the Offender Victim Ministries Facebook page. See below what goes in a Men's Prisoner Care Kit (new items only): 1 pair white underwear (briefs), 1 bottle lotion (max. 2 oz.), 1 bar soap (min. 4 oz.), 1 tube toothpaste (min. 6 oz.), 1 deodorant (min. 2.25 oz.), 1 pair white crew socks (L or XL), 1 white crewneck undershirt (L or XL). Make all clothing either all L or all XL. There is a box in the west foyer in which to place donated items. Email info@offendervictimministries.org for more info.

This Week at Salem

Sunday: February 5th
 9:00 am Sunday school
 10:00 am Worship
 11:00 am FLC Super Bowl Soup Dinner
 Pick up food trays

Monday: February 6th

Tuesday: February 7th
 9:30 am Companions
 6:15 pm FLC B-ball Practice
 6:30 pm Girl Scouts-Basement

Wednesday: February 8th
 4:00 pm Basement Reserved
 5:45 pm FLC FF Meal
 6:30 pm Classes, Youth, Choir

Thursday: February 9th
 1:00 pm Piece Keepers
 6:00 pm FH Reserved
 6:15 pm FLC B-ball Practice

Friday: February 10th
 1:00 pm FH Reserved

Saturday: February 11th
 9:00 am FLC Reserved

Sunday: February 12th
 9:00 am Sunday school
 10:00 am Worship
 5:00 pm FLC Reserved

Monthly Need for General Budget
January
 \$23,822.83
Income in January to pay bills
 \$18,705.27
Year to Date Expenses
 \$21,206.58
Year to Date Income
 \$18,705.27

Memorial Book Open To

George Wilkins
 Cledith Wilkins
 Alvin Richter

Last Week Year Ago

Worship	118	156
Sunday School	73	83

Worship Leaders

Head Usher	<i>Bob Swickard</i>
Song Leader	<i>Ruth Williams</i>
Liturgist	<i>Sandi Crider</i>
Acolyte	<i>Taylor Rickard</i>
AV	<i>Don Gruver</i> <i>Lorna Preston</i> <i>Aaron Teel</i>
Nursery	<i>Jennifer Saylor</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.

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