

SCRIPTURE James 5:13-18 (TLB)
Liturgist
Leader: *This is the Word of God for the People of God.*
People: **Thanks be to God.**

HYMN 349 Red Hymnal
“Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus”

*SCRIPTURE Matthew 8:1-10 (TLB)
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MESSAGE Pastor Ron Kite
“The Prayer of Faith”

*CLOSING HYMN 419 Red Hymnal
“I Am Thine, O Lord”
Verses 1, 2

*BENEDICTION Pastor Ron Kite

*BENEDICTION SONG 382 Red Hymnal
“Have Thine Own Way, Lord”
Verses 3, 4

*POSTLUDE Carol Kirchmer
“Rejoice, the Lord Is King”
Words by Charles Wesley, Music by John Darwall

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Salem at Worship

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9:00 am Sunday School
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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

"Ye Servants of God"

Words by Charles Wesley, Music attributed to William Croft

*CALL TO WORSHIP *(based on Psalm 124, James 5)* Liturgist

L: *Blessed be the Lord, the maker of heaven and earth!*

P: **Praise be to God, the Giver of many gifts!**

L: *Our help is in God's name, the One who calls us here.*

P: **We come with songs of praise, with prayers too deep for words.**

L: *Blessed be the Lord, the maker of heaven and earth!*

P: **Blessed be the Lord!**

*OPENING PRAYER *(based on James 5, Mark 9)* Liturgist

Christ Jesus, we come into your presence from many different places. We come with songs of joy and shouts of gratitude. We come carrying heavy burdens and sighs of suffering. As you welcome us into your house, lift our burdens and receive our praise. Salt us with your grace and flavor us with your mercy. Bind us together, that we may be at peace with one another and be strengthened to go forth in service to the world. In your holy name, we pray. Amen.

*HYMN OF PRAISE 61 Red Hymnal

"Come, Thou Almighty King"

Verses 1, 3

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Unison

The Deepest Truth

We believe in God, maker of all things, provider of all things, who loves all people. We follow Jesus, in whom salvation has come to us: he sees us for who we are, heals the wounds of our hearts, and makes us new. In his death and resurrection we see the deepest truth of life. We live by the power of the Holy Spirit, which empowers us for self-giving love. (continued on next page)

We give thanks for the Church, the Body of Christ, and for the gift of forgiveness, the power of resurrection and the mystery of eternal life. Amen. by Steve Garnaas-Holmes

*GLORIA PATRI 70 Red Hymnal

"Glory Be to the Father"

JOYS AND CONCERNS Pastor Ron Kite

PRAYER HYMN 472 Red Hymnal

"Near to the Heart of God"

Verse 2

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.

SPECIAL MUSIC Children's Choir

"God Is For Us"

Words and Music by Jay Stocker

CHILDREN'S TIME Ashli Teel

"Jesus Loves the Little Children"

INVITATION TO OFFERING *(The Book of Worship 1965, ALT.)* Liturgist

Almighty God, giver of every good and perfect gift, teach us to give to you all that we have and all that we are, that we may praise you, not with our lips only, but with our whole lives, turning the duties, the sorrows, and the joys of all our days into a living sacrifice to you; through our Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.

OFFERTORY Carol Kirchmer

"And Can It Be that I Should Gain"

Words by Charles Wesley, Music by Thomas Campbell

*OFFERING SONG 95 Red Hymnal

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

*OFFERING PRAYER Pastor Ron Kite