

## OFFERING SENTENCES

Liturgist

*Nurturing God, let us not grow weary in our task of making disciples of Jesus Christ. We thank you for this opportunity – the offering – to work for the good of all. We pray especially for this family of faith and for the family of the church universal. May these gifts of money strengthen our ministry in making and maturing disciples of Jesus Christ. Amen. (David Bell, 2007 General Board of Discipleship)*

## OFFERTORY

Carol Kirchmer

### **“O Say, But I’m Glad”**

Music by Mildred Sullivan LaCour, Arr. by Len Johnson

## \*OFFERING SONG

94 Red Hymnal

### **“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”**

## \*OFFERING PRAYER

Pastor Ron Kite

## SCRIPTURE

Genesis 12:1-7 (NIV)

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

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

## HYMN

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### **“I Know Who Holds Tomorrow”**

verses 1,3

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Hebrews 11:8-12, 20-22 (NIV)

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## MESSAGE

Pastor Ron Kite

### **“Faith Over the Generations”**

## \*CLOSING HYMN

710 Red Hymnal

### **“Faith of Our Fathers”**

## \*BENEDICTION

Pastor Ron Kite

## \*BENEDICTION SONG

507 Red Hymnal

### **“Through It All”**

## \*POSTLUDE

Carol Kirchmer

### **“Great Is thy Faithfulness”**

Words & Music by Thomas O. Chisholm and William M. Runyan

# Salem at Worship

## Sunday, August 21, 2016



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

**"Oh How He Loves You and Me"**

Words & Music by Kurt Kaiser

\*CALL TO WORSHIP 2088 Black Hymnal

**"Lord, I Lift Your Name on High"**

\*OPENING PRAYER *(attributed to Sir Francis Drake, 1577)* Liturgist

*Disturb us, Lord, when we are too well pleased with ourselves, when our dreams have come true because we have dreamed too little, when we arrived safely because we sailed too close to the shore. Disturb us, Lord, when with the abundance of things we possess we have lost our thirst for the waters of life; having fallen in love with life, we have ceased to dream of eternity and in our efforts to build a new earth, we have allowed our vision of the new Heaven to dim. Disturb us, Lord, to dare more boldly, to venture on wider seas where storms will show your mastery; where losing sight of land, we shall find the stars. We ask You to push back the horizons of our hopes; and to push into the future in strength, courage, hope, and love.*

\*HYMN OF PRAISE 555 Red Hymnal

**"Forward Through the Ages"**

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Unison

**We were created by God,  
To love Him and to love our neighbors,  
To take care of the earth,  
Benefitting all creation.**

**God is still alive  
As we remember when worshipping  
Being able to talk with God  
Who brings joy and reaches out to us.**

God sent His son to earth to die for us.

Jesus, Son of God, Savior, Messiah

Miracle Maker, and Water Walker

We were extended grace, a gift of God

Full of hope, redemption and Himself,

The best thing that the Holy Spirit could give,

also can be given by those who are filled with the Holy Spirit

When confessing,

We can feel like God accepts us.

The Holy Spirit is always with us,

Helping us and changing us

Cutting bad habits out of our lives,

Reminding us of new life,

Forgiveness of sins and the love of God.

We follow Christ by

Doing the right thing,

Being kind and joyful,

Carrying on Jesus' teachings,

Serving others,

And participating in the sacraments.

\*GLORIA PATRI 70 Red Hymnal

**"Glory Be to the Father"**

JOYS AND CONCERNS Pastor Ron Kite

PRAYER HYMN 328 Red Hymnal

**"Surely the Presence of the Lord"**

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"**

MISSION REPORT Pastor Ron Kite