

SCRIPTURE Hebrews 10:32-39 (NLT)
Liturgist

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People: **Thanks be to God.**

HYMN 601 Red Hymnal

“Thy Word Is a Lamp”

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MESSAGE Pastor Ron Kite

“Faith is Tough”

*CLOSING HYMN 530 Red Hymnal

“Are Ye Able”

verses 1,2,4

*BENEDICTION Pastor Ron Kite

*BENEDICTION SONG 507 Red Hymnal

“Through It All”

*POSTLUDE Carol Kirchmer

“Great and Mighty”

Words & Music by Marlene Bigley

Salem at Worship

Sunday, August 28, 2016



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

"The Spirit of Jesus is in This Place"

Words & Music by Gloria & William Gaither

*CALL TO WORSHIP Liturgist

L: *We also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering*

P: **suffering**

L: *produces endurance, and endurance*

P: **endurance**

L: *produces character, and character*

P: **character**

L: *produces hope.*

P: **Hope!**

L: *And hope does not disappoint.*

P: **Hope never disappoints!**

L: *For the love of God,*

P: **God's love**

L: *has been poured into our hearts,*

P: **is in our hearts!**

L: *by the Holy Spirit who has been given to us.*

P: **Thank you, God!**

*OPENING PRAYER Liturgist

O God, in mystery and silence you are present in our lives, bringing new life out of destruction, hope out of despair, growth out of difficulty. We thank you that you do not leave us alone but labor to make us whole. Help us to perceive your unseen hand in the unfolding of our lives, and to attend to the gentle guidance of your Spirit, that we may know the joy you give your people. Amen.

(Ruth Duck, USA, 20th)

*HYMN OF PRAISE 710 Red Hymnal

"Faith of Our Fathers"

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 884 Red Hymnal

*GLORIA PATRI 70 Red Hymnal

"Glory Be to the Father"

JOYS AND CONCERNS Pastor Ron Kite

PRAYER HYMN 526 Red Hymnal

"What a Friend We Have in Jesus"

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"

OFFERING SENTENCES Liturgist

Holy and loving God, bring calm to our lives this day. At times, we look at the problems of the world and feel that there is little difference we can make. What can our offerings in this congregation do in light of the turmoil, the hunger, the disease, and the pain in this world? At other times, we feel proud of ourselves for our generosity. As we give these gifts this day, O Lord, help us live in the tension between thinking we can do everything and fearing that we can do nothing. We give in faith and with faith. In the name of Jesus, who had nothing but possessed everything. Amen.

OFFERTORY Carol Kirchmer

"I Stand in Awe"

Words & Music by Mark Altrogge

*OFFERING SONG 94 Red Hymnal

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

*OFFERING PRAYER Pastor Ron Kite