

*CLOSING HYMN

“Living for Jesus”
verses 1,3,4

2149 Black Hymnal

*BENEDICTION

Pastor Ron Kite

*BENEDICTION SONG

“Sent Forth by God’s Blessing”
verse 1

664 Red Hymnal

*POSTLUDE

“Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus”

Carol Kirchmer

Words by George Duffield, Music by George J. Webb, Arr. by Donald F. Marsh

Salem at Worship

Sunday, September 18, 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

"Under His Wings"

Words by William O. Chusing & Music by Ira D. Sankey

*CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Psalm 91, 1 Timothy 6) Liturgist

L: *In the shelter of the Most High, we dwell secure.*

P: **In the shadow of the Almighty, we rest in safety.**

L: *Upon the wings of God's love, we fly safely above the storm.*

P: **In the unapproachable light of the living God, we no longer fear the shadow of death.**

L: *With the blessings of the One who is our hope and our salvation,*

P: **we take hold of the life that really is life.**

*OPENING PRAYER (based on 1 Timothy 6, Luke 16) Liturgist

O God, you are righteous and just, and call us to share our riches with the poor. Like the rich man who feasted sumptuously every day, while Lazarus lay hungry and dying outside his gate, we are easily trapped by desires that lead to our ruin and destruction. Help us be rich in good works, rather than in earthly treasures. Teach us to be generous and ready to share all we have with those in need. Help us take hold of the life that really is life. Amen.

*HYMN OF PRAISE 2023 Black Hymnal

"How Majestic Is Your Name"

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 889 Red Hymnal

*GLORIA PATRI 70 Red Hymnal

"Glory Be to the Father"

JOYS AND CONCERNS Pastor Ron Kite

PRAYER HYMN 2065 Black Hymnal

"More Precious than Silver"

PASTOR'S PRAYER Pastor Ron Kite

COVENANT PRAYER 607 Red Hymnal

CHILDREN'S TIME Ashli Teel

"Jesus Loves the Little Children"

OFFERING SENTENCES Liturgist

¹³ *"No one can serve two masters. Either you will hate the one and love the other, or you will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and money." Luke 16:13 (NIV)*

OFFERTORY Carol Kirchmer

"Happiness"

Words & Music by William J. Gaither

*OFFERING SONG 94 Red Hymnal

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

*OFFERING PRAYER Pastor Ron Kite

SPECIAL MUSIC Ruth Williams

"There Is a Redeemer"

Words and Music by Melody Green

SCRIPTURE 1 Timothy 6:6-12, 17-19 (NIV)

Liturgist

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

People: **Thanks be to God.**

HYMN 405 Red Hymnal

"Seek Ye First"

*SCRIPTURE Luke 16:10-15 (NIV)

Liturgist

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

People: **Thanks be to God.**

MESSAGE Pastor Ron Kite

"Who Do You Choose?"