

MESSAGE Pastor Ron Kite
“Faith Takes the Long View”

*COMMUNION HYMN 143 Red Hymnal
“On Eagle’s Wings”

HOLY COMMUNION screen

*CLOSING HYMN 2129 Black Hymnal
“I Have Decided to Follow Jesus”

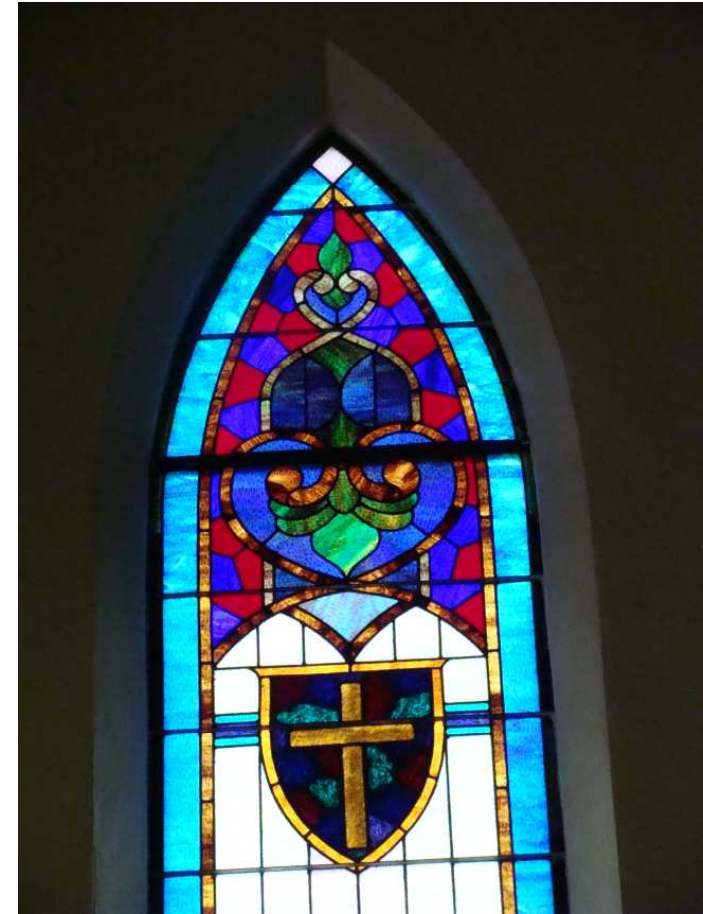
*BENEDICTION Pastor Ron Kite

*BENEDICTION SONG 368 Red Hymnal
“My Hope Is Built”
 verse 1

*POSTLUDE Janelle Courtright
“This Is My Father’s World”
 Roger Summers Tune:TERRA BEATA by Franklin L. Sheppard

Salem at Worship

Sunday, September 4, 2016



9:00 am Sunday School
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salemumc-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 Janelle Courtright

"God of All Righteousness"

David Paxton

*CALL TO WORSHIP (*Hebrews 12, Luke 12*) Liturgist

L: *This is the place where saints worship.*

P: **This is the place where sinners are baptized with fire and the Spirit.**

L: *This is the place where faith abounds.*

P: **This is the place where doubts are welcome.**

L: *This is the place where Christ perfects us.*

P: **This is a place where Christ redeems us with love and grace.**

L: *Let us acquire the fire and rekindle our faith!*

*OPENING PRAYER (*Hebrews 12*) Liturgist

We pray to you, O Christ, for the perfection you would instill in us. Lead the way into our time of worship, that we might follow the path of the cross. Strengthen us for the race of faith, that we might run it with diligence and courage. Amen.

*HYMN OF PRAISE screen

"Father, We Have Heard You Calling"

3150 Worship & Song, tune of Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus 196 Red Hymnal verses 1,2,3

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 883 Red Hymnal

*GLORIA PATRI 70 Red Hymnal

"Glory Be to the Father"

JOYS AND CONCERNS Pastor Ron Kite

PRAYER HYMN 2193 Black Hymnal

"Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying"

sing twice

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

God of Grace and Glory, we offer these gifts as a testimony of our faith. Use these gifts so that we may see one another as you envision us – faithful followers. As we continue in this time of worship, we seek now the sanctuary of your comforting peace. In the name of the Resurrected Healer, Jesus the Christ, we pray. Amen.

OFFERTORY Janelle Courtright

"A Quiet Reflection"

R. Kevin Boesiger

*OFFERING SONG 94 Red Hymnal

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

*OFFERING PRAYER Pastor Ron Kite

SCRIPTURE Hebrews 11:23-28 (TLB)

Liturgist

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

People: **Thanks be to God.**

HYMN screen

"Step by Step"

3004 Worship & Song

*SCRIPTURE Hebrews 11:39-12:2 (TLB)

Liturgist

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

People: **Thanks be to God.**