

## NCFC Announcements

Small Group in charge for August: Shalom

NCFC attendance on August 23, 2009: 78

### TODAY:

**Worship Leader:** Leia Lawrence

**Music:** Vicki Lichti, Rhonda Horsch, Wes Bergen, Heydon Mock

**Childcare:** the Neufeld Epp family

### THIS WEEK (August 31- September 5):

All are welcome for **lunch at Prairie Harvest** on Tuesday, September 2 at noon. Come for good conversation and food.

**New Creation Preschool** begins on Friday at 8:45. Please pray for teachers and families as they begin this new adventure. See insert for more details of the 2009-2010 school year.

### NEXT SUNDAY (September 6):

**Worship Leader:** Leia Lawrence

**Music:** Vicki Lichti, Rhonda Horsch, Wes Bergen

**Children's Time:** Galen Miller

**Childcare:** Merlyn Entz and Melissa Waltner

If you are **interested in becoming a member of New Creation Fellowship Church**, please contact pastor Renee. The membership process generally involves sharing in one's small group and at in congregational meeting.

**Looking for a way to share your gifts with the congregation?** Here are three opportunities (contact Renee for more information):

- coordinate childcare during worship
- join the Worship serving unit
- help provide leadership for adult Sunday school hour

Church retreat will be **3 PM Saturday, October 10 through 2 PM Sunday, October 11**. We will continue at the same facilities in Walton and will sleep in our own beds that Saturday evening. Look for more details to come.

If you are interested in **adult Sunday school**, please be aware of the following: A Spanish bible study meets in the sanctuary on the stage. If you are interested in other discussion, meet in the basement.

## Wider Church and Community Announcements

Question from Stan Bohn: ***Is there a small group or family in New Creation that would want to have a Homeless Shelter outing?*** *This would involve making a meal for about 20 persons, plus themselves, bringing it to the Shelter by 6 PM and eating with the residents. They could leave by 6:45 or linger longer if they liked. Sometimes there are children who can be invited to play table games.*

*The shelter uses disposable tableware so there is no clean-up except for the serving dishes we bring. The dates for which we need a supper are any day from Wednesday Sept. 23 to Tuesday, Sept. 29. It is not required that a group make a meal; they can buy pizza, salad and some dessert if that works better.*

*If they do make a meal, it helps to visit the shelter and look at the supply of donated canned and frozen food that has accumulated and see if some of that can be used.*

*Thanks for your interest in these kind of ventures.*

Pray for participants beginning assignments with **Mennonite Voluntary Service, Radical Journey or Service Adventure**. Ask the Lord to give them openness and times of learning as they leave the familiarity of home and embark on a new adventure.

**Catch the spirit of the recent Mennonite World Conference Assembly** at Faith Mennonite Church, Newton **TONIGHT at 7 PM**. Pastors from the Western District Conference who attended Paraguay 2009 will be sharing stories of inspiration and challenge.

Ten Thousand Villages invites you to celebrate World Chocolate Day with our **Chicken Art Contest** on Friday, **September 4 from 10 AM-5:30 PM**. We will be enjoying chocolate treats while admiring the artistic creations customers have come up with using the Rooster Candleholder made by our artisan partners Proexport, S.A. in Nicaragua. Please join us for this opportunity to celebrate Fair Trade, enjoy some chocolate, and to your vote for your favorite chicken art.

**Camp Mennoscah is celebrating its 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary on September 20<sup>th</sup> at 4 PM**. (This is the beginning of our Work & Play Camp!) Come with your favorite stories of camp fun and pictures of Camp Mennoscah. We'll videotape your stories and scan pictures to create a collage of memories to share with all our congregations. Won't be able to join us? Send us your stories and pictures! Email them to [campmno@mennowdc.org](mailto:campmno@mennowdc.org) or send by post to Camp Mennoscah, PO Box 65, Murdock KS 67111.

## Ministry and Church Connections

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for pastoral visit or care:  
contact Pastor Renee Kanagy (H: 283-6903)

Pastor Renee is in the NCFC office on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays

for prayer or concerns, contact one of the Overseers:  
Wes Bergen, Andy Brown, or Leia Lawrence  
(H: 283-0369) (H: 283-5066) (H: 212-0603)

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### ***Please Join Us!***

**SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP** begins at 10:45.

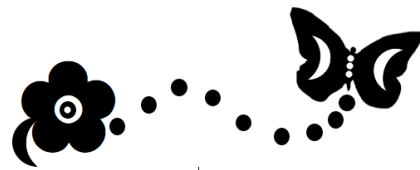
*Childcare for children not yet in Kindergarten is provided after Children's Time.*

Sunday Worship Services are available on CD.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL** for preschoolers-adults meets from 9:30-10:30 in the basement, the sanctuary and next door at Bethany House.

**COMMON MEALS** ("pot-luck" style) are scheduled for the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of the month following worship.

**CONGREGATIONAL MEETINGS** are scheduled for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month at 7 PM.




### **New Creation Preschool**

a ministry of New Creation Fellowship Church

the 2009-2010 school year will begin September 4, 2009.  
contact Kristin Neufeld Epp for information  
at 284-0587 or [neufeldepp@sbcglobal.net](mailto:neufeldepp@sbcglobal.net)

preschool blog: [www.newcreationpreschool.com](http://www.newcreationpreschool.com)

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 This and previous bulletins/announcement sheets are available on the church website: [www.ncfcnewton.org](http://www.ncfcnewton.org) (click on "Bulletin" link).



## New Creation Fellowship Church

**August 30, 2009**

"Lord, I am fondly, earnestly longing" HWB 514

Welcome

Passing of the Peace

Announcements

Meditative music

Call to worship

"Changes" screen

"Great is thy faithfulness" HWB 327

"Soft field of clover" screen

Offering

Children's time Kristin Neufeld Epp

Litany of Faith

"Oh God, you are my God" screen

Stories of Faith

Congregational Response

"Give me a litany for my day" screen

Sharing joys & concerns

Prayer

Walk of Faith procession

Benediction

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