

NEWTON FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

July 2024

Newsletter



Pastor Scott enjoyed his time riding and finishing Bike Across Kansas! He completed a “century” ride on one of the days where Sondag and his children met him near Kanopolis Park and encouraged him on for the rest of his trip!

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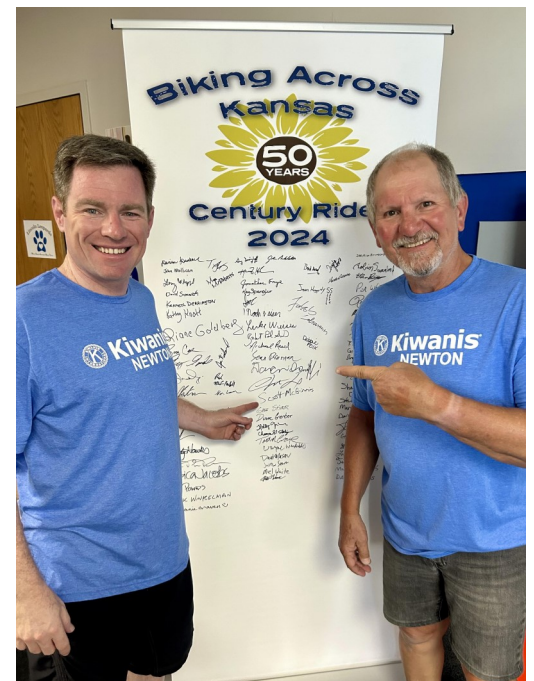
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PW Post by *Sandy Larson*



We've completed our 23-24 Bible Study on "People Encounter Jesus Through the Work of the Disciples". It's been a real good study with new insight on Jesus' and the Disciple's interactions with numerous people including many healing experiences. When we start up meeting again in September we'll start a new Bible study titled "Let Justice Roll Down". It will be about caring for neighbors and God's creation with all our hearts. Through scripture we will be reminded to look at 'just' transitions in this fast-changing world.

At our last PW Circle meeting, we continued to be blessed with a sizeable group of women. It was fabulous! We finished off the morning with a Fried Chicken Lunch provided by the PW Coordinating Team. Friendships were solidified with lively conversations.

Your PW helped with the "Park in the Church", on Sunday June 16, by helping in the kitchen and providing for the food that was served. Another donation, which was turned into Presbyterian Women of Southern Kansas, was our "Least Coin" collections each month at Circle. All of our "least coins" amounted to \$33.62 which surpassed last years donation.

We will take a break and not meet in July and August. Therefore, our next Circle meeting will be September 11, 2024 at 10:00 AM in Fellowship Hall. I'll be posting a reminder in the September church newsletter.



JUMP and Kids Connection

We had a combined group on Sunday June 23rd and played in water. We threw water, wet balls and Frisbee food at each other. We released the Kracken and he became the obstacle course. The kids enjoyed seeing how fast they could go through the course and Evan won by doing it in 5 Mississippi's. Of course Jonathan came in a close second with 6 Mississippi's. (Not sure who was actually counting.)

We played and sunbathed and enjoyed the outdoors for about an hour and then came inside and ate pizza and ice cream sandwiches. I would call it a good day. Below are some pictures.

The Ice Bucket Challenge was done, but you will have to ask Pastor Scott to see it. It was videoed and it was cold. Jonathan had a great time dumping it on him.



Kids and Youth Craft Day!

Tuesday, July 30th

9:30 am - 12:00 pm

Ages 3 - 12th grade



Men's Breakfast

Wednesday,

July 10th

9:00 a.m. @ Del Puente

701 N. Main St.

Newton, KS



Serve a meal with FPC at

New Hope Shelter

August 7th, 8th, & 10th

To volunteer to help, please
contact Rita Allmon at

316-288-3028



Nurture

On behalf of the Nurture Team we would like to wish everyone a Happy 4th of July!! We wish everyone a safe and happy holiday. God has truly blessed us with our freedom and nice land.



Happy
INDEPENDENCE
Day!



We are always around if you have a concern, suggestion or question on the music, worship or education, but we will not be meeting in July. We will come back in August all refreshed and ready to start discussing the plans for the Fall of 2024.

Have a wonderful July and if you want to teach Sunday school just let one of the members know. We are: Jerry Smith, Carol Higgs, Rojean Dubois, Karen Wilson, Mary McGehee and Pastor Scott. We would love to talk to you about it.

God Bless You All!!

FPC will be hosting a CPR/AED training course.

Date: Sunday, July 14th, 2024

Time: 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Location: First Presbyterian Church

Cost: Free - Covered by PEF

Provider: US Outdoor First Aid LLC/Doug Trumble

Please sign up in the North Annex or by calling/emailing the office.



July Birthdays & Anniversaries

July 3 - Travis & Katie Gihring

July 5 - Kelli Glann

July 6 - Brad & Becky Cooper

July 13 - Debra Hiebert

July 18 - Julie Regier

July 20 - Hayley Cooper

July 21 - Roger Darrow

July 24 - Vada Snider

July 26 - Elise McGinnis

July 28 - Brent Coffman, Scott McGinnis

July 29 - Victoria Gallagher

July 31 - Nathan & Julie Regier



Please keep the following in prayer

Bill Kleymann

Patrick McDonald

Cliff Vickers

Lori Staeffler

Darlene Walhof - Lori Staeffler's sister

Gini Coleman Johnson and

husband Deb Johnson

Connie Griswold & family

Kristin Kliewer & family

If you have a prayer request or want to become a member of the prayer chain, please contact

Rojean DuBois at 316-772-8128.



Deacons Requests



Newton Ministerial Alliance Food Pantry

The Food Pantry is in need of Spaghetti-O's and other canned meals, ramen noodles, canned vegetables, soups, spaghetti sauce and noodles, granola bars and boxed individual snacks, crackers, hamburger helper, pop tarts, peanut butter and jelly, toilet paper, and paper towels.

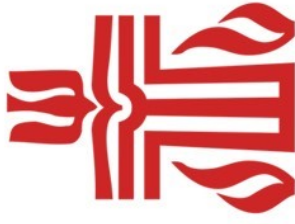
When you're out shopping, please pick up these items for our neighbors in need. Also, please remember them in prayer. Thank You!



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p> YouTube "First Presbyterian Church, Newton, KS" newtonfpc@gmail.com firstpresnewton.org 316-283-0504</p>	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
<p>Communion Sunday</p>			<p>9:00 am Men's Breakfast</p>	<p>7:00 pm Outreach Team</p>		
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
<p>1:00 pm CPR/AED Training</p>			<p>10:00 am Coffee/w Pastor</p>	<p>7:00 pm FPC Bell Choir Practice</p>		
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
			<p>10:00 am Coffee/w Pastor</p> <p>7:00 pm FPC Bell Choir</p>			
28	29	30	31	<p>Sunday Schedule @ FPC</p> <p>9:15 am -Adult Bible Study 10:00 am - Choir Ensemble Practice 10:10 am - Coffee Fellowship 10:30 am -Worship & Livestream</p>		
		<p>Kids & Youth Craft Day 9:30 - 12:00</p>	<p>10:00 am Coffee/w Pastor</p> <p>7:00 pm FPC Bell Choir</p>			