

## CONTRIBUTING TO TODAY'S SERVICE:

Greeter: Libby Trussell  
Ushers: Bob & Pat Schott, Bill Wilson  
Tech Crew: Steve Tangeman & Jonathan McGinnis  
Organist: Helen Wild  
Scripture Reader: Sandy Larson

Prayers requested for health, healing, and peace:

The family of Ron Cheyney, The family of Helen Eberle, Stroke, TBI, & Parkinson's Survivors & Caregivers, Charlene Lloyd, Tammy Geiger-Stephenson, The family of Rev. Bill Kleymann, Arlen Anderson, and Nancy Ice Schulp

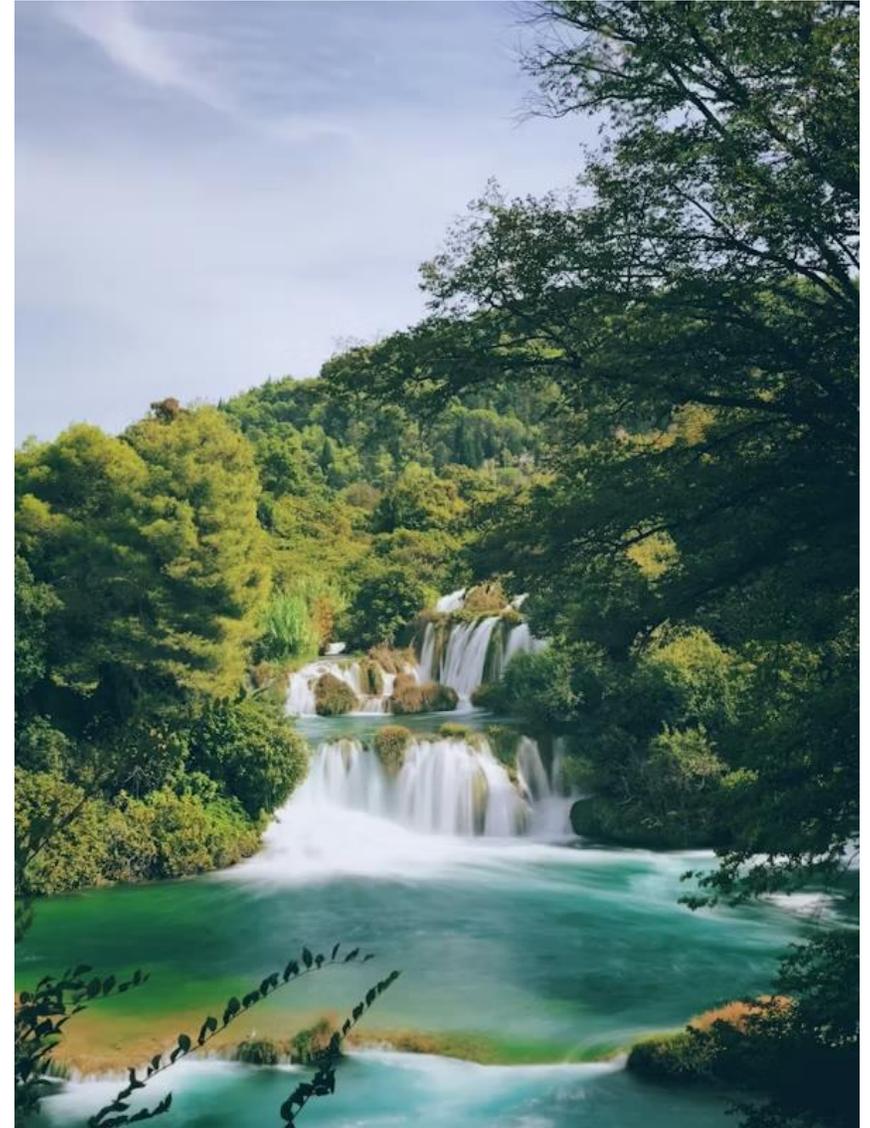
## THIS WEEK @ FPC March 8<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup>

<b>Today</b>	9:15 am	Adult Sunday School
	<b>10:30 am</b>	<b>Worship Service</b>
<b>Monday</b>	8:30 - 10:00 am	Ping Pong in the basement
<b>Tuesday</b>	12:00 pm	PSK Pastor Lunch @ FPC
	3:00 pm	Revitalization Committee
	6:30 – 8:30 pm	Prairie Bronze Bell Choir
<b>Wednesday</b>	9:00 am	Men's Breakfast @ Del Puente
	10:00 am	PW Circle
	7:30 pm	FPC Bell Choir
<b>Thursday</b>	12:30 am	Stroke, TBI & Parkinson's Support Group
	7:00 pm	Operations Meeting
<b>Next Sunday</b>		Bill Wilson Preaches

Worship @

# First Presbyterian Church

Newton, KS



**PRELUDE Meditation on “God So Loved the World”**  
arr. Lyndell Leatherman

**CONGREGATIONAL LIFE**

- Welcome, Announcements, Guests & Prayer Requests

✦ **CALL TO WORSHIP** (Recite in unison)

*Give us, our Father, a sense of Your presence as we gather now for worship. Grant us gratitude as we remember Your goodness, penitence as we remember our sins, and joy as we remember Your love; and enable us to lift our hearts in humble prayer and fervent praise; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen*

✦ **LORD’S PRAYER** (Pray in 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever, Amen.*

✦ **HYMN** “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” PH # 276

✦ **PRAYER OF CONFESSION & ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

(Recite in unison)

*Heavenly Father, We ask for Your wisdom, because we do not always understand the good You want for us. We ask for Your forgiveness, because we do not always do the good You want for us. We ask You to lead us in the paths of Your righteousness as Your Holy Spirit shows us the Way to walk in Your Spirit. Thank You for being faithful to forgive us and call us Your children. In Jesus' Name, Amen.*

✦ **CHORAL RESPONSE** “Gloria Patri” PH # 579  
*Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost!  
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be! World without end, Amen, Amen!*

**HYMN** “Be Still My Soul” 150<sup>th</sup> Book

**SCRIPTURE**

Sandy Larson

Genesis 50:20-26 ESV

**Reader:** This is the Word of the Lord. **People:** Thanks be to God

**SERMON** – Pastor Scott McGinnis  
“...but God meant it for good.”

**GOD’S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS**

**OFFERTORY** “Just a Closer Walk with Thee”

arr. James Denton

✦ **DOXOLOGY & PRAYER OF DEDICATION** PH #592  
*Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

✦ **HYMN** “In the Cross of Christ I Glory” PH # 84

**BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE** “Rigaudon” arr. Henry Purcell

## Genesis 50:20-26 ESV

<sup>20</sup> As for you, you meant evil against me, but God meant it for good, to bring it about that many people should be kept alive, as they are today. <sup>21</sup> So do not fear; I will provide for you and your little ones.” Thus he comforted them and spoke kindly to them.

<sup>22</sup> So Joseph remained in Egypt, he and his father's house. Joseph lived 110 years. <sup>23</sup> And Joseph saw Ephraim's children of the third generation. The children also of Machir the son of Manasseh were counted as Joseph's own. <sup>24</sup> And Joseph said to his brothers, “I am about to die, but God will visit you and bring you up out of this land to the land that he swore to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob.” <sup>25</sup> Then Joseph made the sons of Israel swear, saying, “God will surely visit you, and you shall carry up my bones from here.” <sup>26</sup> So Joseph died, being 110 years old. They embalmed him, and he was put in a coffin in Egypt.

**Newton is experiencing an increased need for food this month. Please consider donating.**

**The Salvation Army needs:**

**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.**

**New Jerusalem has a food pantry as well to donate to. They are located at 209 E. Broadway St.**

## Adopt your Easter Lily

### \$10



I wish to purchase \_\_\_\_\_

Easter Lily/Lilies

**in memory of/in honor of:**

**(please circle one above)**

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**First Presbyterian Church and write  
LILIES on the memo.**

**Please include the payment with your order.  
Thank you for your faithful support!**