

This Week's Calendar of Events

All Week Family Promise (Rooms 211, 212, 214, 215)

This Sunday

2/25/2018 7:30 AM Informal Worship Team Set-up (Fellowship Hall)
2/25/2018 8:15 AM Morning Worship (Sanctuary)
2/25/2018 8:30 AM Informal Worship Team Rehearsal (Fellowship Hall)
2/25/2018 9:15 AM The Gathering Rehearsal (Room 110)
2/25/2018 9:30 AM Back to the Bible Adult Bible School Class (Room 210)
2/25/2018 9:30 AM Informal Worship (Fellowship Hall)
2/25/2018 9:30 AM PACT (Room 215)
2/25/2018 9:30 AM Samaritan Adult Sunday School Class (Room 214)
2/25/2018 9:30 AM Simply Scripture (Library)
2/25/2018 9:30 AM Youth Sunday School (Room 115)
2/25/2018 10:45 AM Informal Worship Team Rehearsal (Fellowship Hall)
2/25/2018 11:00 AM Cross Training "One Room School House" (Rooms 112-114)
2/25/2018 11:00 AM Seekers in Christ Adult Sunday School Class (Rooms 115, 214)
2/25/2018 11:00 AM The Gathering (Sanctuary)
2/25/2018 2:00 PM Girl Scouts Thinking Day (Fellowship Hall)
2/25/2018 3:00 PM GS Jr Troop 20090 (Rooms 112-114)
2/25/2018 7:00 PM Sunday Night Lamplighters (Kline Home)

Monday

2/26/2018 6:00 AM Egg Making (Kitchen and Fellowship Hall)
2/26/2018 10:15 AM "Stand Up" Staff Meeting (Office)
2/26/2018 6:00 PM Girl Scout Daisy Troop 11469 (Room 111)
2/26/2018 6:00 PM Girl Scouts 21125 (Rooms 112-114)
2/26/2018 6:45 PM Girl Scout Troop 20974 (Room 210)
2/26/2018 7:00 PM CDA (Chemically Dependent Anonymous) (Room 219)
2/26/2018 7:00 PM Monday Night Men's Basketball Ministry (Fellowship Hall)
2/26/2018 7:00 PM Stephen Ministry (Rooms 212, 214, 215)

Tuesday

2/27/2018 6:00 PM Vision Prayer Team (Office)

Wednesday

2/28/2018 6:00 AM Egg Making (Kitchen and Fellowship Hall)
2/28/2018 6:15 AM Men's Morning Cup of Jesus (Room 115)
2/28/2018 6:00 PM 4th & 5th Grade Girls Group (Room 214)
2/28/2018 6:30 PM Men's Evening Cup Bible Study (Room 210)
2/28/2018 6:30 PM Sisters of Salem (Room 115)
2/28/2018 6:30 PM Wednesday Night Kids (Rooms 112-114 and FH)
2/28/2018 6:30 PM Women in Prayer (Room 215)

Thursday

3/1/2018 11:00 AM Visioning Class (Room 115)
3/1/2018 6:00 PM Brownie Troop 20861 (Room 111)
3/1/2018 6:00 PM Girl Scout Troop 20088 (Rooms 113 & 114)
3/1/2018 6:30 PM 4th and 5th Grade Guys Group (Fellowship Hall)
3/1/2018 6:45 PM Troop 198 PLC Meeting (Room 115)
3/1/2018 7:00 PM Kids' Choir Practice (Sanctuary)
3/1/2018 7:30 PM Troop 198 Meeting (Room 115)

Friday

3/2/2018 5:00 PM First Friday Soup (Rooms 210, 214, Showers)
3/2/2018 6:00 PM West Shore YWCA Volleyball (Fellowship Hall)

Saturday

3/3/2018 12:00 PM Hetherington Birthday Party (Fellowship Hall and Kitchen)
3/3/2018 4:00 PM Fahnestock Birthday Party (Room 115)

Next Sunday Special Events

3/4/2018 9:15 AM Visioning Class (Office)
3/4/2018 6:00 PM Church Council Meeting (Room 210)

Salem Parish News – February 25, 2018



Would you like to have flowers placed in the Sanctuary or Fellowship Hall in Honor of or in memory of someone you love? Sign up on the calendars outside the office.

The **Red Land Food Ministry** is looking for a volunteer to distribute food on the 2nd & 4th Wednesdays of each month from 9am-12:15pm. Training is provided & you'll work with another volunteer each week. If interested, contact Nina Myers at 717-938-9734.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Ladies Spring Tea hosted by the United Methodist Women will be held at the church on March 17th at 10am. RSVP to Heidi 717-512-3949

United Methodist Women will meet Thursday, March 8th at 7:00pm in Room 115. All women of the Church and Community are invited to attend.

Women of Light will meet on March 4th at 12:30pm at Jeannie Pelen's home (336 Braddock Dr. Etters) for a pot luck lunch and a movie. Please sign up on the Women of Light bulletin board. All single women are welcome to join the fun!

Salem Seniors will meet on Thursday, March 15th at Marino's Restaurant in York at 1pm. To car pool, meet at the church at 12:20. Contact the Lingenfelters at 717-938-3383 to RSVP by March 12th.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR CHILDREN

Child Care at 9:00am & 11:00am for children up to 36 months in Room 106.

Sunday School for children 4yrs through 5th grade at 9:30, and for children 3yrs old through 3rd grade at 11:00am.

Please Pray for all the Small Groups within the church—

that God will guide each of us to a group where we can connect & grow and that through our meeting together, we would be more equipped to show the love of Jesus to others

UMCOR SUNDAY, March 11 – an opportunity for us to provide support for immediate assistance in the wake of natural and human-caused disasters and help support ongoing ministries of food, shelter, health and peace.

COMMUNITY SERVICE DAY, APRIL 28 – Receive assistance or serve! Volunteers from Salem's congregation will be serving their neighbors in the Community by completing yard work (such as: weeding, raking, trimming bushes), simple home repairs, painting, and etc....

OUR FAITHFULNESS February 18

Attendance - 276

Tithes & Offerings - \$11,055.88

Connect



Morning Sunday School (MS/HS) 9:15-10:30am
 Planning for Intergenerational Formal (MS/HS) 5:15-6pm
 Youth Group (MS/HS) 6-8pm

—The Battle Ball Tournament is tonight!



YOU'RE INVITED TO THE:
2018 FCSUMC YOUTH INTERGENERATIONAL FORMAL
MARCH 11, 2018 12:30 PM
 IN FELLOWSHIP HALL

PLEASE JOIN US AS OUR YOUTH HOST A GREAT AFTERNOON OF FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP FOR ALL WHO ARE 50+ YEARS YOUNG!

SIGN UP ON THE SIGN UP SHEETS
 (YOUTH BULLETIN BOARD, NARTHEX ETC)
CONNECTION CARD
OR
EMAIL OR CALL TRACEY MCINTYRE
 TRACEYMCINTYRE@MAC.COM 717-515-8770
SIGN UP BY SUNDAY, MARCH 4.

Grow

Visioning Together in February—Hospitality and Connection

We continue our discussion around the book *Ten Prescriptions for a Healthy Church*. This month we'll talk about chapters two and six and ask questions like: How do people get connected at Salem? How do we build relationships with guests? Is hospitality embedded in Salem's culture? All the while continuing to ask the questions: What if..., could we..., and maybe God wants... Join the discussion at one of the classes listed below:

- Thursday, March 1, 11am with Joan Dean (Room 115)
- Wednesday, March 7, 6:30pm with Men's Evening Cup (Room 210) by Ed Kautz and Steve Novacek
- Saturday, March 10, 10am by Susan Huntsberger (Room 115)
- Sunday, March 11, 11am in Seekers of Christ (Room 115) with Dennis Best
- Sunday, March 11, 9:30am in the Samaritan Class (Room 214) by Terry Duncan and Jo-Ann Howard
- Sunday, March 18, 10:45am with Bonnie Moody, Brian Davis and Judy Novinger (Room 210)
- Monday, April 2, 7pm by Ellen Smith at the Wilkinson's home

Serve

We are looking for someone to **manage all the keys** for the church. We have quite a few keys that are not labeled and we have several locks for which we need keys. The initial organization will take some time, but after that, it will just be maintaining your system. If you are interested, please contact Sandy in the office or sign up on the connection card.



Needed: 4 men and two women to participate in a Holy Thursday presentation at the 7:00 PM March 26 worship service. Each person will have either a 1/2 page monologue or will participate in about a 3/4 page long dialogue. They will be portraying Bible time characters. If you are interest or just want to see a script, sign up on the Connection Card or see Pastor Debbie.

HELP US WITH WELCOME BAGS!

We are looking for people who would be willing to put together welcome bags that can be delivered to folks who visit our church. You would decide on contents and



assemble the bags. If God is nudging you in this direction, please sign up on your Connection Card.

Egg Makers Need Your Help!!

Join us Monday and Wednesday from 7am-1pm. Lunch is provided! Egg orders may be picked up on Mondays and Wednesdays 9am-1pm & 6-7pm. Orders need to be picked up within 2 weeks of being placed. Place your orders early for best selection.

Sign up to help make eggs on the Connection Card. Sign up on the posters in the South Entrance and Welcome Center to help provide lunch for the egg-makers.

Are you a gadget person? Do you love new apps, computer games, smart phones, and other tech toys? Do you always make sure you are the one with the TV remote? You could help us at Salem! The Tech Team needs people like you to help us use technology to enhance worship, & bring people to Jesus. Interested? Contact Derek Sandstrom at (717) 395-3735 or dsandstrom@fcsalem.org.



Children's Ministry is still searching for some helpers! We are in need of teachers for a few weeks this Spring and Summer and in need of helper too! No experience necessary. We will provide you with curriculum & time to shadow another teacher so you can see just how easy it is. If you would like more information, please contact Tracey Michelsen at tmichelsen@fcsalem.org or sign up on the Connection Card.

Item of the Month: Mission Central sends cleaning buckets to those people around the world who suffered devastating damages to their homes from floods and hurricanes. One item for these buckets is foam rubber sponges (not dry cellulose). Please put the sponges in the bin marked "Mission Central" in Mission Corner.