

*This Week's Calendar of Events*

This Sunday

- 7:30 AM Informal Worship Team Set-up (Fellowship Hall)
- 8:15 AM Morning Worship (Sanctuary)
- 8:30 AM Informal Worship Team Rehearsal (Fellowship Hall)
- 9:15 AM The Gathering Rehearsal (Room 110)
- 9:30 AM Back to the Bible Adult Bible School Class (Room 210)
- 9:30 AM Informal Worship (Fellowship Hall)
- 9:30 AM PACT (Room 215)
- 9:30 AM Samaritan Adult Sunday School Class (Room 214)
- 9:30 AM Youth Sunday School (Room 115)
- 10:45 AM Informal Worship Team Rehearsal (Fellowship Hall)
- 10:45 AM Visioning Class (Room 210)
- 11:00 AM Cross Training "One Room School House" (Rooms 112-114)
- 11:00 AM Seekers in Christ Adult Sunday School Class (Rooms 115, 214)

[Children]

- 11:00 AM The Gathering (Sanctuary)
- 12:00 PM Jeannette Payne Celebration Picnic (Pavilion)
- 3:00 PM Eagle Scout Court of Honor (Sanctuary)
- 3:00 PM GS Jr Troop 20090 (Rooms 112-114)
- 6:30 PM Visioning Class (Room 210)
- 7:00 PM Sunday Night Lamplighters (Kline Home)

Monday

- 10:15 AM "Stand Up" Staff Meeting (Office)
- 11:45 AM Full Staff Meeting (Room 215)
- 6:00 PM Girl Scout Daisy Troop 11469 (Room 111)
- 6:00 PM Girl Scouts 21125 (Rooms 111, 115, Sanctuary)
- 6:45 PM Girl Scout Troop 20974 (Room 210)
- 7:00 PM CDA--Chemically Dependent Anonymous (Room 219)
- 7:00 PM Monday Night Men's Basketball Ministry (Fellowship Hall)

Tuesday

- 6:00 PM Vision Prayer Team (Office)
- 6:30 PM NCAA College Football Official Meeting (Room 215)

Wednesday

- 6:15 AM Men's Morning Cup of Jesus (Room 115)
- 5:00 PM Ice Cream Party (Duda) (Pavilion)
- 6:00 PM Senior High Youth Gathering (Room 218)
- 6:30 PM Men's Evening Cup Bible Study (Room 210)
- 6:30 PM Wednesday Night Kids (Rooms 112-114 and FH)
- 6:30 PM Women in Prayer (Room 215)

Thursday

- 6:00 PM Brownie Troop 20861 (Room 111)
- 6:15 PM Girl Scout Troop 20109 (Fellowship Hall)
- 7:30 PM Troop 198 Meeting (Room 115)

Friday

No Activities Scheduled

Saturday

No Activities Scheduled

Next Sunday Special events

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

*Salem Parish News – May 20, 2018*

**Visiting Salem Today?** We have a gift for you! Come to the Welcome table in either the Lobby or the back of the Fellowship Hall. We invite you to fill out the Connection Card in your bulletin. We're glad you are here!



**Altar Flowers**

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given in memory of John Brame by Charlotte Brame and in memory of Larry and Nancy Shatto's Parents. The flowers in the Fellowship Hall are given in honor of Corrine Armes

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Reese E. Williams of Boy Scout Troop 198 on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, to be awarded this afternoon here at FCSUMC with a gold palm. Reese is a junior at Red Land and currently serves as the Troop's Senior Patrol Leader and Troop Order of the Arrow Representative. Reese is Troop 198's 89th Eagle Scout.



**In Case of Emergency**

In the event of an emergency here at Salem, we have the capability of paging every phone in the building at one time:

- **Pick up handset**
- **Dial 549**
- **Make Announcement w/ details**
- **Hang Up**

Please put this information in your cell phone or carry it in your Bible. Please don't hesitate to page if it is needed!

**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 3 yrs old through 3rd grade at 11:00am.

Please pray for the leadership of Salem as they continue to prepare for the changes that are coming while leading us and our children in the ways of God.



**Upcoming Events:**

- **PACT (Parents and Children Together) Resiliency Study** Continues today and May 27th (9:30am in room 215)
- **Financial Peace University**—Coming this Fall (Sign up on the Connection Card to learn more about leading a class.)

**Church Office Hours:**

**5/28/18**—Office Closed for Memorial Day  
**5/29/18**—Summer Hours (8am-12noon) begin



**OUR FAITHFULNESS May 13th**

Attendance - 354

Tithes & Offerings - \$9,261.25

## Connect

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

High School small group gatherings on Wednesdays. We will meet on Wednesday nights from 6-7:30pm in room 218. We'll play board games, hang out, even help each other with homework (if we're super bored), as well as have a dedicated time for bible study and discussion. Open to any and all high school students! For more details, contact Kevin Fickel at kfickel12@gmail.com



### REGISTRATION for VBS

Register in the lower welcome center or online using <https://vbspro.events/p/events/fcsalemskipwrecked>

**Women's Retreat-** November 9-11, 2018 at Black Rock Retreat Center. Check in Friday, check out Sunday; 4/ room \$160, 3/room \$185. Register with \$50 by June 10th. Make checks payable to FCSUMC. Contact: Adrienne Wagner-Oliva: wagnera259@gmail.com or 717-329-2143

## Grow

### The Love We Leave Behind: Put Some Fun in Your Funeral

Wednesdays May 30, June 6, 20, and 27 from 6:30-8pm

This series explores death and dying in a non-threatening, light-hearted way. The intention is to help adults of all ages develop plans to ease the burden on surviving family members, ensure that their final wishes are known, limit unwanted financial expenses and understand their options about end-of-life medical treatments. This course consists of four sessions lasting approximately 1.5 hours each. It will be structured to encourage fun discussion and the sharing of ideas; so come prepared to express your thoughts, experiences and questions. Taught by Glen Dunbar (Retired Social Gerontologist and Certified Senior Adviser). Pastor Debbie will also be assisting.

### Visioning Together for May—Leadership

Our final visioning session before our June church-wide discussion forum, will focus on leadership and will address questions like these: How does one go about becoming a leader at Salem? What is Salem's budget for leadership development?

At the same time we'll continue our "Godly Wishful Thinking" and ask what if... could we... and maybe God wants?

- Today, 9:30am, Samaritan Class (Room 214), Terry Duncan & Jo-Ann Howard
- Today, 10:45am, Bonnie Moody, Brian Davis & Judy Novinger (Room 210)
- Today, 6:30, Stacey Wilkinson & Steph Sechrist, (Room 210)

## Serve

**Neighborhood Fun Night** is going on the road again this year on Tuesday, August 7 from 5:00-9:00 PM at National Night Out at Roof Park, Lewisberry Road, New Cumberland, PA. If you are interested in being part of the planning team, please sign up on the connection card or contact Marty Wagner for more information. [martyj78@ptd.net](mailto:martyj78@ptd.net) or 717-574-1682. Our first meeting will be Tuesday, June 5 at 7:00PM in room 212.



**IT IS TIME TO SIGN UP!** Salem will be hosting **Family Promise** May 27-June 3. Help is always needed with set-up, driving, meal preparation, food donations, evening hosting, over-night hosting, and clean-up. We have been blessed with a safe place to live, let us bless those who are not yet in that situation (but are working toward it)! Sign up at [www.volunteersignup.org/DF8D9](http://www.volunteersignup.org/DF8D9) or for more information, mark the Connection Card.



### Emergency Exit Maps

We are looking for someone to use the existing church maps to develop Exit Maps for each of the rooms in the church. If you would like to learn more, please sign up on the Connection Card or contact the office at [office@fcsalem.org](mailto:office@fcsalem.org) or 717-938-1928



### CHURCH GROUNDS MAINTENANCE DAY

Volunteers needed! Church Grounds Maintenance Day is June 2nd, 8:00 - 12:00. Please consider helping with tasks such as mulching, trimming hedges, and weeding. Contact Ken Beam, [kbeam@hot.com](mailto:kbeam@hot.com) or sign up on the Connection Card



Item of the Month: UMCOR no longer allows aerosol cans so there is a shortage of insect repellent for the cleaning buckets. They need insect repellent from spray pumps, lotion or wipes. Please put the insect repellent in the bin marked Mission Central in Mission Corner.