

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)
 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)
 3:00 PM Girl Scout Troop 20264 (Room 212)
 6:00 PM Youth Back-to-School Night (Fellowship Hall and Kitchen)
 7:00 PM Sunday Night Lamplighters (Kline Home)
 7:30 PM Worship Night (Outdoor Chapel)

Monday

10:00 AM "Stand Up" Staff Meeting (Office)
 6:30 PM Financial Peace University (Room 115)
 6:45 PM Girl Scout Troop 20974 (Room 214)
 7:00 PM Alcoholics Anonymous (Room 219)
 7:00 PM Monday Night Men's Basketball Ministry (Fellowship Hall)
 7:00 PM Stephen Ministry (Room 212)

Tuesday

6:00 PM Arrow of Light (BSA) (Room 115)
 6:00 PM Bears (BSA) (Room 210)
 6:00 PM Lions (BSA) (Room 112-114)
 6:00 PM Tigers (BSA) (Room 111)
 6:00 PM Webelos (BSA) (Room 211)
 6:00 PM Wolves (BSA) (Room 214)
 6:00 PM Vision Prayer Team (Office)
 7:00 PM Troop 198 Committee Meeting (Room 215)
 7:30 PM Susquehanna Folk Festival Planning Committee (Room 110)

Wednesday

6:00 PM Senior High Youth Gathering (Room 218)
 6:30 PM 4th and 5th Grade Girls Group (Room 211)
 6:30 PM Financial Peace University (Room 213)
 6:30 PM Sisters of Salem (Room 115)
 6:30 PM Wednesday Night Kids (Rooms 112-114 and FH)
 7:00 PM Chime Choir Meeting (Room 110)

Thursday

6:30 PM Financial Peace University (Room 213)
 6:30 PM Pack 198 Committee Meeting (Room 215)
 6:30 PM United Methodist Women (Room 115)
 7:00 PM Girl Scout Leader Meeting (Room 210)
 7:30 PM Troop 198 Meeting (Fellowship Hall)
 No Events Scheduled

Friday and Saturday

Next Sunday Special Events

12:00 PM Private Event (Fellowship Hall and Limited Kitchen)
 5:00 PM Girl Scout Troop 20088 (Rooms 112-114)
 5:30 PM Youth Kick-off Bonfire (Pavilion/Fire Pit)

Salem Parish News – September 9, 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 our bulletin. We're glad you are here!



Altar Flowers

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given by Jo Small in loving memory of her son. The flowers in Fellowship Hall are given in memory of Susan Schell by the Seekers in Christ Sunday School Class.

Salem Cares—In order for us, as God's people, to respond to your needs and the needs of others in our church family, it is important that you share when you or someone you know at Salem are having surgery or are facing a loss or other difficult life situation. Please share that information on the connection card. It is better for us to have the information from multiple messages than not at all. Thank you!



Worship Night!

Our first Worship Night is taking place tonight at 7:30pm in the outdoor chapel. A service focused on worship music and being in the presence of God will be lead by the Gathering team. All are welcome. (If weather isn't cooperative, we will be inside in the welcome center.)

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 our youth and young adults that they would find uplifting and authentic friendships.

PRAY

Pray that they would be a shining light in this world .

OUR FAITHFULNESS September 2nd

Attendance—179

Tithes & Offerings - \$9,013.00

Connect



Morning Sunday School (MS/HS) 9:15-10:30am
Sunday Night—7:30pm—Outdoor Worship
Wednesday Nights—High School Group Night 6-7:30pm

Upcoming:

9/16—Join us for an evening of food, fun, and fellowship. Come hear about the things we have planned for the upcoming months, and learn about some important changes regarding our youth group!

A **Membership Class** is starting in October and running for 4 weeks. Classes will be Sundays at 9:30am. If you would like to attend, please sign up on the Connection Card or contact the church office (office@fcsalem.org or 717-938-1928) with any questions.



Join Pack 198: The Best Pack in the World!

On September 25th, boys in grades K through 5th are welcome to come on out to Pack 198's "First Responder" fall pack meeting to learn more about becoming a Cub Scout. Boys who register on the 25th will receive a fishing pole courtesy of BSA! Meetings are held Tuesday evenings at the church. Visit www.pack198thebest.com or contact Matt Durlin at: mattdurlin@gmail.com for more info!

The United Methodist women will have their Annual Auction on Thursday, September 13th at 6:30 pm in room 115. Please bring a wrapped item with the approximate value written on the outside. The proceeds go towards our Mission Projects. As always, all ladies of the Church and Community are welcome.



The Salem Seniors will meet at 1:00 pm on Thursday, September 20th at Black n Bleu on the Carlisle Pike. Please contact Wally or Carolyn Funk at 717-938-2692 or cfunk@epix.net for reservations by September 18th.

ALL SENIORS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND!

UPCOMING MISSION TRIPS: In 2019, there will be opportunities to travel to India (January 8-19) and Haiti (June 22-29). The deadline for the India trip is in September. Note interest on the connection card or contact Marcia Sadler at 717-938-0230 or Msadler_pac@yahoo.com



Financial Peace Begins this Fall!

This nine-week class helps you take control of your money. Classes start September 10. Class materials are \$109, with scholarships & ½ scholarships available. Please sign up on the Connection Card or contact Susan Ryder 717-938-1928 or sryder@fcsalem.org

Serve

Join **Families in the Field** this year as we meet to fellowship over potluck lunch and complete a community service project. We will meet the last Sunday of every month from 12-2 PM at Salem. All ages are welcome, as projects will be completed by each family unit. Please contact Nicole Wolf at nicolemarie405@comcast.net for more information. Our first meeting will be Sunday, September 30th. Kindly RSVP.

Like Graphic Design?

Serve by creating posters to communicate upcoming sermons and ministries at Salem. Susan Ryder, Comm. Dir., will supply all the information needed and you can use your creativity to serve at Salem.

Help as your schedule allows. Contact: Susan Ryder at sryder@fcsalem.org or 717-938-1928.



GUYS GROUP NEEDS A FEW GOOD MEN!

Guys group is a gathering of 4th/5th grade boys for Devotions and Guy Stuff. We had 15-20 boys attend 2x/month last year and we are looking to extend it to every week! Might you be available to Show Up for these fine young boys from 6:30-8pm on the 2nd and/or 4th Thursday of the month from September through May? No prep work, no planning! Materials will be provided! Please prayerfully consider being a Cool Christian Guy in these young lives. Need not have a boy that age to lead....Dads, Uncles, Friends, Grandfathers....Only requirement is to Love Jesus and want to share that with others. Sign up on the Connection Card.



Item of the Month: Mission Central sends school kits to children throughout the world who are not able to get the supplies themselves for school.

They are in immediate need of one subject notebooks for these kits. Please put the notebooks in the bin marked Mission Central in Mission Corner.

