

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 219)
- 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)
- 12:00 PM Families in the Field (Room 115)
- 3:00 PM Girl Scout Troop 20264 (Room 212)
- 6:00 PM Parenting Conversation with Susan Ryder (Room 115)
- 6:00 PM Youth Meeting (Room 219)
- 7:00 PM Sunday Night Lamplighters (Kline Home)

Monday

- 8:30 AM "Stand Up" Staff Meeting (Office)
- 6:30 PM Financial Peace University (Room 115)
- 6:30 PM Girl Scout Brownie Troop 20861 (Rooms 112-114)
- 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)

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)
- 7:00 PM Motel Ministry Meeting (Room 212)

Wednesday

- 6:00 PM Senior High Youth Gathering (Room 218)
- 6:15 PM Financial Peace University (Room 213)
- 6:30 PM 4th and 5th Grade God's Girls Group (Room 211)
- 6:30 PM Al-Anon (Room 214)
- 6:30 PM Girl Scout Troop 20857 (Room 212)
- 6:30 PM Sisters of Salem (Room 115)
- 6:30 PM Wednesday Night Kids (Rooms 112-114 and Fellowship Hall)

Thursday

- 6:15 PM Girl Scout Troop 20109 (Room 214)
- 6:30 PM 4th-5th Grade Guys Group (Fellowship Hall)
- 6:30 PM Financial Peace University (Room 213)
- 6:30 PM Troop 198 PLC Meeting (Room 115)
- 7:30 PM Troop 198 Meeting (Room 115)

- Friday** No Events Scheduled
- Saturday** No Events Scheduled

Next Sunday Special Events

- 9:30 AM Membership Class (Room 212)
- 1:00 PM Girl Scout Troop 20296 (Rooms 112-114)
- 6:00 PM Youth Meeting (Room 219)
- 7:00 PM Sunday Night Lamplighters (Kline Home)

Salem Parish News – September 30, 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

Both vases of flowers in the Sanctuary are given in memory of Jacob D. Brown Jr. The flowers in Fellowship Hall are to the Glory of God from Lisa Sgrignoli

Church Council Nominees

It is time to nominate Council Members who will serve from 2019 to 2021. The Nomination form (including guidelines for nominees are on the cream-colored half-sheet paper in your Bulletin. Nominations are due October 7th.

New Photo Directory!

You're invited to be a part of our new photo directory—our 1st since 2012! As you look around you today, you'll see there are a lot of changes and our directory will not be complete without you! Sign up today after this service 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 members and those attending Salem that everyone would feel



welcome and at home. Please pray also for everyone to develop at least one strong friendship.

9:30 Service Chair Ministry

In our efforts to become a "Radical Hospitality" congregation, we will be putting the chairs away 15 minutes after the 9:30 service concludes. This will give our congregation time to connect with each other and have conversation, especially with new folks. If you would like lead this team or be part of this team, please sign up on the connection card or contact Marty Wagner at martyj78@ptd.net

OUR FAITHFULNESS September 23th

Attendance—277

Tithes & Offerings - \$9,989.50

Connect

Morning Sunday School (MS/HS) 9:15-10:30am in room 219
Sunday Night—5:30pm—Battleball at CHUM. Meet at the church
Wednesday Nights—High School Group Night
6-7:30pm

Upcoming:
10/7-10/14—BATTLEBALL!



A **Membership Class** is being offered October 7th-28th on 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).

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MEMBERS CLASS

NEW study... Seamless at the Summit. *Seamless: Understanding the Bible as One Complete Story* is a 7-week study that goes through the entire Bible. The class is held at the Summit on Thursdays through 11/1/18 from 1:30-3pm. Come at 12:30 if you would like to join us for lunch on your own! Questions? – Christy Musselman 717-215-9558 or cmusselman@hotmail.com



**FISHING.
FOR MEN.**

The 2nd Baker's Pond Fishing, Bonfire, Fellowship, Good and Games. (Bait and Fishing rods supplied) Oct. 21st at 3pm. Details in the October Stimulus. Please RSVP! Hal Baker 717-938-6899 Email bakghs@gmail.com

**Calling all 4th & 5th
Grade Girls...**

God's Girls Group is held Wednesdays from 6:30-8pm. Questions? Contact Shannon Sylvester at 717-580-0204.

The United Methodist Women will meet Thursday, October 11th, at 6:30pm in room 115. Our speaker for the evening will be CHRISTOPHER COLE, from Unfolding Lives—a group helping teen youth in inner city York.

All ladies of the Church and the Community are invited to attend.



One-Night Class: The Ins and Outs of Social Security

Social Security is a major part of retirement income as well as protection for younger families in the event of worker disability or untimely death. But do you really understand it? Come to this class and get answers to the important questions about this tremendously important program. October 16, 6:30 - 8:30 Rm 115. The class will be lead by Glen Dunbar, a Social Gerontologist and member of the church.

The Salem Seniors will meet at the church on October 18th at 11:30 to carpool to Friendly Farm Restaurant (17434 Foreston Road, Upperco, MD 21155). Please contact Ken or Jo Small at 717-938-2148 to RSVP by October 16th. We hope you will join us!

Let's do Lunch!

Open Gym and Opportunity to Play on a Travel Basketball Team

Beginning Oct. 19th, Salem will hold an open gym for basketball on a weekly basis. Boys in 4th- 6th grade may participate and each practice will include a devotional time. Ten of the 5th/6th grade boys who participate will be selected for a travel basketball team which will participate in a travel league. Details are in the Oct. Stimulus Newsletter (located outside the office). If you have any questions, please contact Sam Sylvester at 717-943-5501 or email Samuel.sylvester@xpo.com

Serve

Are you a man who likes to sing? Join Salem's choir for men, The Fishermen. Contact Derek Sandstrom at dsandstrom@fcsalem.org or (717) 395-3735 or sign up on the Connection Card.

Chime Choir Practices on Wednesdays at 7:00pm, beginning October 10th. Ages 15+ Please contact Pam Mailey at 717-856-0781 or pmailey35@gmail.com or sign up on the Connection Card.

Motel Ministry team will have a meeting Tuesday, October 2nd at 7:00PM in room 212. We will begin to rent the room at the motel. Please bring your ideas for a schedule of activities. Also, if you know anyone interested in becoming part of this team, please invite them to the meeting.

Children's Ministry Needs:

- Helpers (no experience necessary) for various Sunday School Classes on Sunday mornings.
- People to lead Children's Events (such as a movie night). Ideas and help welcome!
- Snacks are needed for Children's and Nursery Ministries (such as pretzels or fruit Snacks). Items can be put in the bin marked Children's Ministry in Ministry Corner.
- We accept new or gently used happy meal toys, children's magazines, coloring/puzzle books, gently used trinkets, & fun unsharpened pencils. Items can be put in the bin marked Children's Ministry in Ministry Corner.



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.