

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 Confirmation (Room 115)
- 9:15 AM The Gathering Rehearsal (Room 110)
- 9:30 AM Back to the Bible Adult Bible School Class (Room 210)
- 9:30 AM By the Book (Room 215)
- 9:30 AM Informal Worship (Fellowship Hall)
- 9:30 AM Samaritan Adult Sunday School Class (Room 214)
- 9:30 AM Seamless Bible Study (Room 211)
- 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 210, 214 [Children])
- 11:00 AM The Gathering (Sanctuary)
- 12:15 PM Finance Committee Meeting (Room 212)
- 12:15 PM Private Event (Room 115)
- 3:00 PM Girl Scout Troop 20264 (Room 212)
- 6:00 PM Youth Meeting (Fellowship Hall)
- 7:00 PM Sunday Night Lamplighters (Kline Home)

Monday

- 8:30 AM "Stand Up" Staff Meeting (Office)
- 6:30 PM Girl Scout Brownie Troop 20861 (Rooms 112-114)
- 6:45 PM Girl Scout Troop 20974 (Room 214)
- 7:00 PM Monday Night Men's Basketball Ministry (Fellowship Hall)

Tuesday

- 4:30 PM Private Meeting (Room 115)
- 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 Vision Prayer Team (Office)
- 6:00 PM Webelos (BSA) (Room 211)
- 6:00 PM Wolves (BSA) (Room 214)
- 7:00 PM Budget Inn Community Center Meeting (Room 212)

Wednesday

- 6:00 PM Holy Grounds Cafe - Open to Everyone! (Welcome Center)
- 6:00 PM Senior High Youth Gathering (Room 218)
- 6:30 PM 4th and 5th Grade God's Girls Group (Room 115)
- 6:30 PM Al-Anon (Room 214)
- 6:30 PM Girl Scout Troop 20857 (Room 212)
- 6:30 PM Men's Evening Cup (Room 210)
- 6:30 PM Sisters of Salem (Room 215)
- 6:30 PM Wednesday Night Kids (Rooms 112-114 and Fellowship Hall)
- 7:00 PM Chime Choir Practice (Room 110)

Thursday

- 6:00 PM Basketball - 4th-6th Grade Guys Open Basketball (Fellowship Hall)
- 6:00 PM SCNS Show Off Night (Rooms 111, 112-114)
- 6:15 PM Girl Scout Troop 20109 (Room 214)
- 6:30 PM 4th-5th Grade Guys Group (Room 211)
- 7:30 PM Troop 198 Meeting (Room 115)

Friday

- 5:00 PM Basketball - Boys 5th-6th Grade Travel Team Practice (Fellowship Hall)
- 7:30 PM Pack 198 - Pinewood Derby Set-up (Fellowship Hall)

Saturday

- 7:00 AM Pack 198 - Pinewood Derby (Fellowship Hall)
- 9:00 AM SCNS Open House (Rooms 111, 112-114)

Next Sunday Special Events

- 12:00 PM Families in the Field (Room 115)
- 1:00 PM Girl Scout Troop 20296 (Rooms 112-114)
- 3:00 PM Girl Scout Troop 20264 (Room 212)

Salem Parish News – January 20, 2019

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!



The flowers in the Sanctuary are given in memory of Jeff Condon by Jean and Les Condon. The Flowers in Fellowship Hall are given in honor of Ian Crocenzi's 9th Birthday by Jen, Jason, Judy and John Crocenzi.

**Annual Food Drive to benefit
The Red Land Food Bank**

Bring your items in February 3rd – February 10th. Canned foods, non perishable items, peanut butter, boxed mac and cheese and boxed potatoes, boxes of cereal are all acceptable items. Help restock the food bank after the holiday season.



Fuel Drive to Benefit RedCAP, a local organization that provides fuel assistance to those struggling to heat their homes, is occurring now. Checks may be written to FCSUMC with "Fuel Drive" in the memo. Donations may be made through, Sunday January 27th.

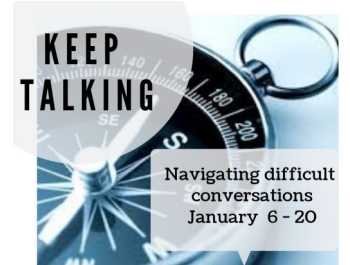


OPPORTUNITIES FOR CHILDREN

Child Care at 9:30am (children up to 24 months) & 11:00am (children up to 36 months) in Room 106.
Sunday School for children 2 years through 5th grade at 9:30, and for children 3 yrs old through 2nd grade at 11:00am.

Please pray for those who do not have a place to stay warm this winter— **PRAY** especially during this extreme cold.

How Do We Keep Talking Even When We Disagree? Agreement is not always possible, but there can still be peace!



OUR FAITHFULNESS January 13th
Attendance—190
Tithes & Offerings - \$7,505.00

Connect

Morning Sunday School (MS/HS) 9:15-10:30am in room 219
 Sunday Night—6-8 pm—Fellowship Hall
 Wednesday Nights—High School Group Night 6-7:30pm
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A New Member Class will be held on Sundays in March during the 9:30 hour. If you would like to join Salem, please sign up on the Connection Card.

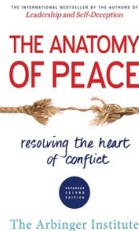
Bible Study Beginning January 20th – Facilitated by Robert and Nicole Miller
The Book of First Peter by Kyle Idleman: This world looks nothing like the promised perfect kingdom of God. And yet we, as God's people, must live in it every day. In *The Book of First Peter*, Kyle Idleman walks through the short letter and unpacks the importance of our witness in this world. The world's not as it should be. Until the day that God rights all wrongs, we have a job to do. Let's be about the business of the kingdom. By the Book, held at 9:30am in Room 215.

Info

Attention Church Treasurers: Please turn in financial information for audit to the church office by February 2nd. Make sure the end of year bank statement is included. If you have any questions, please contact Harry Derrick at hksj4@aol.com

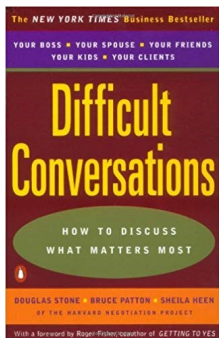
If you want to explore Navigating Difficult Conversations further, here are three good resources.

The Anatomy of Peace: Resolving the Heart of Conflict
 The Arbinger Institute - ISBN 978-1-62656-431-2



Difficult Conversations: How to Discuss What Matters Most

Douglas Stone, Bruce Patton, Sheila Heen - ISBN 978-0-14-311844-2



Crucial Conversations: Tools for Talking When Stakes are High

Kerry Patterson, Joseph Grenny, Ron McMillan, Al Switzler
 ISBN 978-0-07-177132-0

Serve

Wanted—12-count Egg Cartons! We are collecting egg cartons for the Annual Easter Egg hunt. Please place the cartons in Ministry Corner in the Bin marked with Jamie Marakovitz' name.

JOIN US FOR EGG-MAKING!

Egg Making Preparation will take place on Thursday, January 24th from approximately 9 AM to 12 Noon. Come help us get our equipment and supplies ready for this season's egg-making. Egg production starts Monday, January 28th, and will continue every Mon. & Wed. (7am-1pm) through April 10th. Lunch is provided! Come anytime that fits your schedule. Sign up on the Connection Card or just show up! Everyone is welcome!

Church Friends

Isn't it always easier to try something new when you do it with a friend? The Hospitality Team would like to establish a list of "Church Friends" who would be willing to serve as a point of contact for newcomers to help them connect with activities or groups in our church that they are interested in. The role would entail checking in with the newcomers a couple times a month to see if they have any questions about the church and then finding out the answers or directing them to the right contact person for the answer. Easy enough, right? Ideally, we'd like to match people with someone who attends the same service that they do. If you think you could be a Church Friend, please indicate on the back of the connection card and include your contact information on the front.



The Hospitality Team will meet on Feb 5th at 7 pm in room 214. We'll be discussing our preparations for receiving visitors to God's house. All are welcome to be part of the team. Contact Karen Derrick at 717-870-9784 if you have any questions.

Attention Women of Salem! Do you like to sing but are not able to commit to a weekly practice? Consider joining the Salem Sisters. We are an ensemble of women who sing just a few times a year. We will practice Thursday, January 17, 24 and 31 at 7:30 PM and will sing on Sunday, February 3. We would love to have you join us! Give Jeannie a call or text at 717-579-5164.



Item of the Month: Mission Central sends hygiene kits to people who do not have the basic necessities of life. Washcloths (non microfiber) are needed for these kits. Please put



the washcloths in the bin marked Mission Central in Mission Corner.