

This Week's Calendar of Events

This Sunday

All day Family Promise (Rooms 211, 212, 214, 215)
 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 Radical Hospitality (Room 214)
 9:30 AM Samaritan Adult Sunday School Class (Pastor Debbie's Office)
 9:30 AM Sunday School - 2 & 3 year olds (Room 105)
 9:30 AM Sunday School - 2nd & 3rd Grades (Room 211)
 9:30 AM Sunday School - 4 & 5 year olds (Rooms 112-114)
 9:30 AM Sunday School - 4th and 5th Grade (Room 212)
 9:30 AM Sunday School - Kindergarten and 1st grade (Room 111)
 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)
 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

7:00 AM Egg Making (Fellowship Hall and Kitchen)
 8:30 AM "Stand Up" Staff Meeting (Office)
 6:00 PM Egg Making Pick Up (Fellowship Hall and Kitchen)
 6:30 PM Caregiver Workshop (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 Monday Night Men's Basketball Ministry (Fellowship Hall)

Tuesday

5:30 PM BICC - Laundry Ministry (Kitchen)
 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

7:00 AM Egg Making (Fellowship Hall and Kitchen)
 6:00 PM Egg Making Pick Up (Fellowship Hall and Kitchen)
 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

6:15 PM Girl Scout Troop 20109 (Room 214)
 6:30 PM 4th-5th Grade Guys Group (Fellowship Hall)
 7:00 PM Women's Book Group (Room 212)
 7:30 PM Troop 198 Meeting (Room 115)

Friday

Saturday

10:00 AM BICC - Laundry Ministry (Kitchen)

Next Sunday Special Events

9:30 AM Membership Class (213 - the Library)

Salem Parish News – March 17 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!



Altar Flowers

Spring is on the way! Sign up on the flower charts outside the office to honor or remember a loved ones with beautiful flowers during Sunday worship services. For more details email or call the church office. assistant@fcsalem.org

The **LAST DAY** to order Easter eggs is Sunday, March 31st. Place your order **EARLY** to guarantee delivery!

EASTER FLOWERS—Salem will decorate for Easter with flowers! The selection of flowers available includes lilies, daffodils, tulips & hyacinths. Order forms can be found on the information rack near the side entrance. The **LAST DAY** to place an order is March 31st.

Job Opening at Salem: The Sexton (Custodian) position at Salem Church is currently a shared job. There is an opening for a person willing to work 8 to 10 hours a week in cooperation with two others who are currently covering all the hours. If you are interested you may email office@fcsalem.org or assistant@fcsalem.org or call (717-938-1928) the church office with questions or for a job description and application.

New Staff Positions- At the recommendation of Council, to better proclaim the Gospel and meet the needs of Salem and the community, two new positions have been created, Community Pastor and Dir. of Youth and Young Adult Ministries. Pastor Jenny will fill the role of Community Pastor and Jess Husman as the Dir. of Youth and Young Adult Ministries. Pastor Jennie's office has been relocated to 216. Stop in and ask her about the position!

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 an opportunity to listen.

PRAY

OUR FAITHFULNESS March 10, 2019
 Attendance—281
 Tithes & Offerings - \$10,094.19

Connect

Morning Sunday School (MS/HS) 9:15-10:30am in room 219
 Sunday Night— 6-8pm - Fellowship Hall
 Wednesday Nights—High School Group Night 6-7:30pm
 SAVE THE DATE - Lock In—March 29 6:15pm –March 30 10:30am



Opportunities for Evening Egg Making for Youth

High-School- age youth are invited to come and help with Egg making Wednesday nights on March 27; April 3 from 5 – 7 p.m. No experience necessary. The kitchen can accommodate about 8 youth per night. Sign up on the Connection card. Questions? Contact Nancy Harshberger, bnbsd@epix.net.

The Salem Seniors will dine at Gilligan’s Restaurant (Carlisle Pike) on March 21st at 1:00 pm. Please contact Fay Brown by Sunday, March 17th to RSVP: 717-938-1190 or fayjake@ptd.net Hope to see you for lunch!

Christmas Closet is NOW accepting donations. Please place donations in the blue tubs or call Deb Oakley at 717-798-6412 to make arrangements for drop off. NOTE: We ARE collecting adult clothing this year.

Egg-Makers Need Your Help! Join us Monday and Wednesday from 7am-1pm. Lunch is provided! Sign up on the Connection Card or just show up! Egg orders may be picked up on Mondays and Wednesdays 9am-1pm (using the outside door of the Fellowship Hall to the right of the South Entrance) and 6-7pm (using the South Entrance Church Door). Last day to place your order is Sunday, March 31st.

HOLY GROUNDS CAFÉ (HGC)—THANK YOU for your support over the past TWO months! Countless youth and adults have connected over a good Cup of Joe and delicious treats on Sunday morning! Let’s keep it going! Donations of packaged snacks and flavored creamers are needed and can be dropped off in the HGC kitchen area. Questions? Contact Erica Duda Edudarn7@gmail.com or 717-461-7155



CLAYBIRD SHOOT

has been scheduled for Sunday, March 31st at 3:00 PM at Kurt Williams’ farm. (725 Cartref Rd, Etters). ALL MEN are welcome. RSVP/Questions? TEXT/Call Ed Kautz at 717-460-0080

PACK 198 CHICKEN BBQ DINNER and BAKE SALE

SAT, APRIL 6 from 10am—1pm (while supplies last)
 For an \$8 donation you will receive a chicken quarter, two sides and a ROLL
 To preorder contact Jeff Parr at jparr@overnightoffice.com

Serve



Salem’s Easter Egg Hunt will be on Saturday, April 13th from 2:30 – 4:00. All children through 5th grade are invited to participate. This year’s event will include a puppet show, activities, crafts, and of course the egg hunt. Please mark on the connection card if you are interested in helping with this event. The following supplies are needed: Candy or other prizes for the eggs, Pretzels, Hulled popcorn (already popped), Cotton balls, Googly eyes. Please place donated items in the boxes marked “Easter Egg Event” in the Mission Corner by Sunday, March 23rd. The following help is needed:

- ___ Lead a station
- ___ Set up in Fellowship Hall at 1:00 on Saturday, April 13th
- ___ Hide eggs
- ___ Clean up at 4:00 on Saturday, April 13th
- ___ Help where needed

Sign up to help with any of these items on the Connection Card. Any questions contact Jamie Marakovits at JamieMarakovits@gmail.com

BICC- Operation Laundry - A need was identified by residents of the Budget Inn for affordable laundry, which is now available here in the church kitchen on Tuesday evenings and Saturday morning/afternoon and some Friday morning/afternoon. Volunteers to assist with transportation of a residents to Salem and remain with them while they do 1-2 loads of laundry in the kitchen. We would like to have 2 people volunteer at a time but this has been done with just one volunteer. Please pray on this and if it seems right for you, contact Jeannie Pelen, jpelen@ptd.net or 717-579-5164 or Marty Wagner as well.

In Matthew 19:14, Jesus said “Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them.” On EASTER SUNDAY the children will come! Consider volunteering to **share the Resurrection Story**, God’s greatest gift to all, with the children in our congregation and community. Helpers are needed in the nursery at 9:30 and 11:00 and in Sunday School at 9:30 for grades K—5. Sign up on the connection card TODAY!



Item of the Month: Children in many parts of the world are not given the basic supplies needed for school. Mission Central sends school kits to these children and an immediate need for these kits are RULERS (must show inches and centimeters). Please put the rulers in the bin marked Mission Central in Mission Corner.