

## *This Week's Calendar of Events*

<b>TODAY:</b>	<b>EASTER SUNDAY</b>
6:30am	Sunrise Service (Chapel, FH if inclement weather)
7:30am	Informal Worship Set Up (FH), Informal Worship Rehearsal (FH)
8:15am	Worship (Sanctuary)
9:15am	The Gathering Rehearsal (110)
9:30am	Informal Worship (Fellowship Hall)
9:30am	Cross Training (Sanctuary)
9:30am	Adult SS Classes - Samaritan (115), Back to the Bible (210)
	Simply Scripture (Library)
10:45am	Informal Worship Rehearsal (FH)
11:00am	"The Gathering" Worship (Sanctuary)
11:00am	Cross Training "One Room School House" (112-114)
11:00am	Seeker in Christ Adult Sunday School Class (115)
<b>MON.</b>	9:00am "Stand Up" Staff Meeting (Office)
	6:30pm Church Council Meeting (215)
	7:00pm Chemically Dependent Anonymous (219)
	7:00pm Men's Basketball Ministry (FH)
<b>TUES.</b>	6:30pm Pack 198 Den Meetings (112-114,115,210,211,214)
	7:00pm Carpet Removal (215)
<b>WEDS.</b>	6:15am Men's Morning Cup of Jesus (115)
	6:00pm Wednesday Night Kids Club (105,106,112-114,FH)
	6:15pm Children's Choir (Chapel)
	6:30pm Sisters of Salem (115)
	6:30pm 4th/5th Grade Girls Group (212)
	7:00pm Chimechoir (110)
<b>THUR.</b>	5:30pm Son's & Daughters Choir Rehearsal (110)
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	6:45pm Troop 198 PLC Meeting (210)
	7:00pm Troop 198 Meeting (210)
	7:00pm United Methodist Women (115)
	7:00pm Women's Book Group (212)
<b>FRI.</b>	
<b>SAT.</b>	8:00am Community Service Day
	8:00am United Methodist Spiritual Enrichment (FH, Kitchen)
	5:00pm Community Service Day Dinner (115)
<b>SUN.</b>	7:30am Informal Worship Set Up (FH), Informal Worship Rehearsal (FH)
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	9:15am Middle School Youth (219)
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12:00pm	Cardboard Testimony Creation (210)
6:00pm	High School Youth (219)

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## *He Is Risen!*



The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God by the Oberdorff's and by the Orlandi family in memory of our loved ones. The flowers in Fellowship Hall are given to the glory of God in honor and memory of Salem's Prayer Shawl Ministry by Susan Huntsberger.

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

**DO YOU HAVE A STORY TO TELL?** On May 7th, Consecration Sunday, folks will share their "Cardboard Testimony" during worship. A "Cardboard Testimony" is a sign you make with a few words that tell how Jesus and His Church have changed your life. You can view examples on Google or Youtube. We will gather April 23rd at 12pm in room 210 to create the cardboard testimonies. Mark your Connection Card if you would like to participate. Contact Pastor Debbie with questions (938-1928, dheisley-cato@fcsalem.org)

Jay Schell recently experience a fire at his property. An out building was completely destroyed. The property needs to be cleaned up. If interested in helping, please contact Marty Wagner (574-1682, martyj78@ptd.net).



### **OUR FAITHFULNESS April 9th**

Attendance - 402

Tithes & Offerings - \$ 11,806.00

# Connect YOUTH

**TODAY: 6:30am:** Sunrise Service

**April 18th, 6:30am:** High School breakfast at the Summit Restaurant. Bring money & a friend - first timers eat for FREE!

**April 23rd, 9:15am:** Middle School Youth  
**6:00pm:** High School Youth  
Confirmation Classes begin today!

**ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS!** The Youth Ministry is having an evening of honoring High School Seniors. If you have a student that is a senior please contact Becca George (rgeorge@fcsalem.org) by April 30th, or mark your Connection Card, to receive info on the night.

**ONE DAY CHOIR** ~ Ever thought about singing in the choir but wanted to try it before committing? Join us for One Day Choir on Sunday, April 23rd at 7:45am in the choir room (Room 110). We'll learn a quick anthem to sing at the 8:15 service that morning. Come have fun singing with the choir!

*LADIES, would you enjoy an evening of fun, good entertainment and a delicious meal prepared by FCSUMC men? Join us for the Mother/Daughter Banquet on May 12th at 6:30pm in Fellowship Hall. Tickets are \$10 (12yrs +), \$6 (ages 4-6), under 4 FREE. Contact Lois Witters for tickets by April 30th (938-5438, lmwitters@gmail.com) Hope to see you there!*



**Salem Seniors** will meet for lunch at Thea's in Mechanicsburg on April 20th at 1pm. Join us for a fun afternoon of fellowship and food. Call Carolyn & Wally Funk (938-2692) to make reservations by April 17th.

## Grow

**SAFE SANCTUARY TRAINING** ~ ALL children & youth volunteers MUST be Safe Sanctuary certified (this includes VBS volunteers)! If you volunteer with children/youth in the church, or plan to in the future, please sign up on the Connection Card to attend the Safe Sanctuary Training on April 29th (9am-12pm) in Room 115. Contact Nicole Wolf with questions (nicolemarie405@comcast.net).

**SISTERS OF SALEM** will begin a new 6 week study on Wed., April 19th (6:30-8pm) in Room 115. We all want to be know and loved. *Perfect Love* by Lisa Harper will walk us through the Song of Solomon to answer questions like - How do we pursue intimacy with an invisible God? What if we don't feel worthy of his love? Sign up on the Connection Card to attend.

## Serve



**YOUR HELP IS NEEDED ON APRIL 22ND!** We have projects, but we need volunteers to complete them! Spring Community Service Day, April 22, 7:30 AM- 4:30 PM! Help all day or ½ a day! Projects include yard work or minor repairs. The day will conclude with a dinner at 5:00 PM. Sign-up is available on the Connection Card or on the Mission bulletin board outside of Fellowship Hall. For more information, contact Laurie Murry at lmurry@fcsalem.org or 938-1928 (x117).

**HELP NEEDED:** Carpet is being replaced in room 215 of the church. Help is needed to remove the old carpet on Tuesday, April 18th from 7-9pm. Sign up on the Connection Card to help.

**EXPERIENCED PAINTER NEEDED:** The work is moving forward on the renovations in the Ministry Workshop on the 2nd floor above the church office. A painter is needed to paint door frames and walls. If this is a skill you are willing to share, contact the church office (938,1928, office@fcsalem.org).



## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY + VBS NEEDS

- 6" Ladders (old & well used)
  - White flat bed sheets (used is fine!)
  - Yarn (leftover balls/skeins)
  - Big boxes
  - Items to create robots: Any size buckets, dryer vent tubing, round plastic containers, thick rope, pool noodles, odd shaped cardboard boxes, coffee cans, clean mop heads.
  - All items can be dropped off in Tracey Michelsen's office (within the main office)
- Clear (10" tall) glass jars w/lids
  - Metal soup cans (clean & labels removed)
  - Craft glue (preferably Arlene's) Can be opened
  - Round dessert sized paper plates

**VBS MUSIC CREW** ~ Seeking Rainbow Room Music Makers to learn/teach simple choreography and lead times of worship in the Sanctuary. Perfect singing voice NOT required! Adults and youth welcome! Contact Marcia Sadler (msadler\_pac@yahoo.com) or sign up on the Connection Cards.



Item of the Month: Mission Central sends health kits to people all over the world who are not able to purchase basic necessities. Adult sized washcloths are needed for these kits.

Please place the washcloths in the bin marked "Mission Central Item of the Month" located at the end of the hall outside Nursery School rooms (rooms 112-114).