

This Week's Calendar of Events

TODAY:	7:30am	Informal Worship Set Up (FH), Informal Worship Rehearsal (FH)
	8:15am	Worship (Sanctuary)
	9:15am	Middle School Youth (219)
	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)
	12:00pm	Cardboard Testimony Creation (210)
	6:00pm	High School Youth (219)
MON.	9:00am	"Stand Up" Staff Meeting (Office)
	9:15am	Core Staff Meeting (215)
	11:45am	Full Staff Meeting (215)
	7:00pm	Chemically Dependent Anonymous (219)
	7:00pm	Men's Basketball Ministry (FH)
	7:00pm	Stephen Ministry (212,214,215)
TUES.	5:30pm	Pack 198 Meeting (FH)
	6:00pm	Vision Prayer Team (Office)
WEDS.	6:15am	Men's Morning Cup of Jesus (115)
	6:00pm	Wednesday Night Kids Club (105,106,112-114,FH)
	6:30pm	Sisters of Salem (115)
	6:30pm	4th/5th Grade Girls Group (212)
	7:00pm	Chimechoir (110)
THUR.	5:30pm	Son's & Daughters Choir Rehearsal (110)
	6:30pm	Choir Rehearsal (110)
	7:00pm	Fresh Expressions Conversation (215)
	7:00pm	Troop 198 Meeting (115)
FRI.		
SAT.	8:00am	Williams' Eagle Scout Pavilion Refurbishment Project (Pavilion)
	9:00am	Blended & Blessed (FH, Kitchen)
	9:00am	Safe Sanctuary Training (115)
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Salem Parish News – April 23, 2017



The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God by Jeannie Pelen in memory of Nick Pelen and Paul Morrette. The flowers in Fellowship Hall are given to the glory of God in memory of Hope Elizabeth Brame by Mike & Carol Brame.

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.



Sally Nell, a long time member of Salem, will celebrate her 92nd birthday on April 28th. Sally loves to hear from her Salem family. If you would like to send her a card, her address is:

Sally Nell
Polk Personal Care Center, Room 229
301 North Street
Millersburg, PA 17061

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)

OUR FAITHFULNESS during Holy Week

Holy Thursday, April 13	102	\$661.00
Good Friday, April 14	63	\$63.00
Easter Sunday, April 16	761	\$14,537.75

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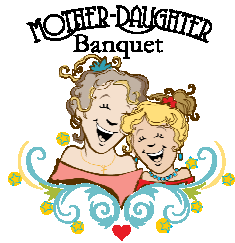
TODAY: 9:15am: Middle School Youth (219)
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 Confirmation Classes begin today!

April 25th, 6:30am: High School breakfast at the Summit Restaurant.
 Bring money & a friend - first timers eat for FREE!

April 30th, 9:15am: Middle School Youth
6:00pm: High School Youth

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.

Salt 'n Light IMPACT is July 26-30. Open to grades 6-12! Mark your calendars!



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!

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).

Serve

CALLING ALL MEN! Let's honor our mother's & daughters by helping at the Mother/Daughter Banquet on May 12th. Sign up on the Connection Card or contact Marty Wagner (574,1682, martyj78@ptd.net)

HELP US HELP LOCAL CHILDREN! We are collecting easy to make food items for the Red Land Food Bank to help local children over the summer since they will not be eating at school. The following items will be collected May 14-28th: Boxes of cold cereal, Boxed macaroni & cheese, Peanut Butter, and Jelly. Contact Heidi Stahl with questions (512-3949).

Serve, cont.

CHURCH GROUNDS MAINTENANCE DAY will be Saturday, May 13th (8am-12pm). We're in need of volunteers to help with weeding, trimming hedges, mulching, and various clean up tasks. Use of a pickup truck or trailer for hauling debris would be a big help. Sign up on the Connection Card or contact Ken Beam (kbeampsu@hotmail.com).

SEEKING A MEALS MINSITRY COORDINATOR! Able to work from home; no meetings! How does it work?

- ◇ Meals coordinator is contacted by the Church Office with a request for help.
- ◇ Coordinator connects with the meal recipient regarding allergies, likes, dislikes, and a meal schedule.
- ◇ Make an online schedule or email the cooks on the team
- ◇ Serve as a contact/liaison

Training and support is available! Mark you Connection Card if you are interested or contact Laurie Murry (lmurry@fcsalem.org)

PLASTIC BAG DELIVERER NEEDED! Salem has been collecting plastic grocery bags which are made into sleeping mats for the homeless. We need someone who is willing to periodically (every couple months) take the bags to the Bountiful Blessings office in Mechanicsburg. Make your own schedule. Sign up on the Connection Card or contact Laurie Murry (lmurry@fcsalem.org)

THE SERVANTS' WORKCAMP NORTHEAST VOLUNTEER APPLICATIONS are now available.

This work camp will be held July 24-18. Select the days and times that fit your schedule. Serving together as a church brings new spirit of service to the whole congregation, so join in! In order to make the work camp successful and rewarding to both homeowners and volunteers, Servants is capping the registrations at 100 volunteers. The deadline to register is July 7th. Mark your interest on the Connection Card or contact Laurie Murry (lmurry@fcsalem.org)

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).



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).