

## *This Week's Calendar of Events*

<b>TODAY:</b>	7:30am	Informal Worship Set Up (FH), Informal Worship Rehearsal (FH)
	8:15am	Worship (Sanctuary)
	9:15am	The Gathering Rehearsal (110)
	9:30am	Youth Sunday School (219)
	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 (215)
	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)
	5:30pm	Vacation Bible School
<b>MON.</b>	5:45pm	Vacation Bible School
	7:00pm	Chemically Dependent Anonymous (210)
<b>TUES.</b>	5:45pm	Vacation Bible School
<b>WEDS.</b>	9:00am	Core Staff Meeting (210)
	5:45pm	Vacation Bible School
<b>THUR.</b>	5:45pm	Vacation Bible School
	7:00pm	Women's Book Group (210)
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**SUMMER OFFICE HOURS**  
**Memorial Day - Labor Day**  
**Monday - Friday**  
**8am-12pm**

## *Salem Parish News – June 12, 2016*

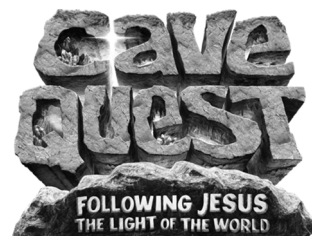


**Altar Flowers**

Help beautify our worship space! Sign up to sponsor altar flowers for the Sanctuary and/or Fellowship Hall. The flower charts are located across from the office. There are many remaining opportunities for 2016!

### **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 12th grade at 9:30 and for children 3yrs old through 3rd grade at 11:00am.



### **VBS BEGINS TODAY!!!**

(5:30pm)

**If you haven't registered,  
it's NOT too late!**

**Register at the door!**

**Don't miss the fun!**

The Rev. Dr. Paul Stanley Wilcox Scholarship is awarded to a deserving youth or young adult from FCSUMC who has been accepted to their first year of post secondary education. Applications and guidelines are located in the wall rack across from Pastor John's office near the South Entrance. The deadline for applications is June 15th.



**SAVE THE DATE** for a night of worship and celebration of mission!

**A heart for Haiti:** Wed., June 29th @ 6:30pm in the Sanctuary.

All are welcome, more info to come!

### **OUR FAITHFULNESS LAST WEEK, June 5th**

Attendance	297
Tithes & Offerings	\$14,239.83

## Connect



Be a part of Salem's Online Member Directory!

Pick up full instructions in the information rack across from Pastor John's Office or contact the church office.

Each Friday, Salem sends out an *Email Blast* which highlights upcoming events & announcements. If you aren't receiving this blast and would like to, mark your Connection Car. Be sure to provide your email address.



**SALEM SENIORS** will meet for lunch Thursday, June 16th at 1pm at Red Lobster on the Carlisle Pike. Contact Joe & Ellen Betcke (938-6815) to make reservations. All seniors are invited!

## Grow

**SISTERS OF SALEM:** Join us for our summer study, *James' Mercy Triumphs* by Beth Moore; June 22—Aug. 10th, 6-8pm. We will study James, Jesus' own brother, who started out as a skeptic. Sign up on the Connection Card or contact Jeannette Payne with questions (netty0826@gmail.com).

## Serve

**CLEANING OUT KID STUFF ...** The Children's Ministry is collecting old, half used kids puzzle books, coloring books & crayons. We will tear out the unused pages and put a few pages with some crayons in large zip-loc bags. These bags will be delivered to local hospital Emergency Rooms to keep little hands busy while they wait. Donations can be dropped in the Children's Ministry Bin located in the Mission Corner.

**ONE ROOM SCHOOL HOUSE NEEDS A LEADER, for the 4th Sunday of each month!** No previous teaching experience needed. You just need to love the Lord and be willing to follow a lesson plan that is provided during the 11:00 worship hour. Sign up on the Connection Card..

**HIGH FIVERS NEEDED!** Looking for a few people (teenagers are welcome) to commit to welcome the kids to Cross Training as they arrive each Sunday from 9:20-9:35am. A high five, a "How was your week?", "How as school" ... You get the idea. Interested? Sign up on the Connection Card.

## Serve, cont.



**SALEM'S SERVING MINISTRY** is collecting small bottles of water (8 oz) for National Night Out in August. Labels with Salem's name and service times will be added, and they will be handed out to attendees. Donations may be placed in the Mission Corner, on

## *Gardeners, don't forget the Plant an Extra Row Ministry!*

Add a little extra to your garden and share it with those in need in our area! Simply bring your fresh fruits and veggies to Salem, place them in the labeled area of the walk-in cooler, and they will be delivered to families and organizations who need the food! Contact: Laurie Murry, [lmurry@fcsalem.org](mailto:lmurry@fcsalem.org)

**CHRISTMAS CLOSET** is accepting donations anytime. Drop in the bins anytime or bring to the Ministry Workshop area Wednesdays from 6-7pm. We especially need Stocking Stuffers (small, new items). Also needed: toys, kids books, household items, linens, kids clothes. Contact Samantha Freeman ([bcsam@ptd.net](mailto:bcsam@ptd.net)) or Amy Raugh ([alraugh@hacc.edu](mailto:alraugh@hacc.edu)) or call the church office with questions.

**NEIGHBORHOOD FUN NIGHT NEEDS KIDS CLOTHES!** As you're changing out clothes for the summer, drop off the clothes you don't need at Salem! Bins are located in the Mission Corner, the U-shaped closet, and up-stairs outside the Ministry Workshop Area. Drop off anytime! All sizes, infant to teen, are needed: boys, girls, clothing & shoes, new & gently used.

**THE CHAIR MINISTRY** needs some additional people to help set up/tear down the chairs for Informal worship. Sign up on the Connection Card to help.



Item of the Month: School kits are sent to children all over the world where school supplies are not available. 24 count boxes of crayons are needed for these kits.

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