

Acolytes for August

August 5: Madelyn Bomberry - Caroline Rickard
August 12: Zach Brown - Jace Morales
August 19: Presleyann Saylor - Makenzie Dick
August 26: Taylor Rickard - Reid Golubski

Liturgists for August

August 5: Teresa Soyez
August 12: Kim Storer
August 19: Judy Shifflett
August 26: John Smith

Ushers for August

Wibands SS class

Nursery for August

August 5: Jennifer Saylor
August 12: Lori Jolliff
August 19: Lisa Golubski
August 26: Erica Rickard

Greeters for August

August 5: West Doors: LaDonna Unruh
East Doors: Ila Jean Sauerwein
August 12: West Doors: Joan Stahly
East Doors: Ila Jean Sauerwein
August 19: West Doors: Joan Stahly
East Doors: John Samuelson
August 26: West Doors: Joan Stahly
East Doors: John Samuelson

Backpack Sunday

Backpack Sunday will be August 12th. Anyone is in school should bring their backpack to church and lay them on the kneeling rail so that we can bless them and pray for the coming school year.

Salem News

Monthly newsletter of the Salem United Methodist Church

August 2018

Sunday Worship Schedule

9:00 am Sunday School
10:00 am Worship

Church Office Hours

Monday through Friday

9:00 am - 12:00 pm
1:00 pm - 4:30 pm

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Open Door

Want to know more about what Open Door clothing distribution is about, ask LaDonna Unruh or Jan Swickard. We leave the church at 8:00 am. We work at Open door until 11:00 - 11:30, go out to eat and are back in Newton around 1:00-1:30. To join us be at the church at 8:00 am Thursday, August 16.

August Song Leaders/Piano

Aug. 5: Juli Garcia	Janelle Courtright
Aug. 12: Juli Garcia	Raelene Kite
Aug. 19: Juli Garcia	Janelle Courtright
Aug. 26: Juli Garcia	Karen Kaufman (organ)

SUMC Garage Sale

Salem will have a garage sale fund raiser August 25th. Please go through your household items to see if there is anything you would like to donate to the SUMC Garage Sale. If you would like help getting items to the church you may call the church office and we will send someone to transport items.

Silent Auction Committee

The Bazaar Silent Auction Committee will start meeting in the next month or so and anyone who would like to help is more than welcome to join. You may either let Karla Stauffer or Melinda Voelker know or you may call the church office. If you have any extra baskets and would like to donate them, you may bring them into the church or let Karla or Melinda know.

Salem UMC Mission:
Disciples making disciples
for Jesus Christ.

Salem United Methodist Church Vision: Salem United Methodist Church is a joy filled body of Christ which invites God's people into a connected relationship where they might find acceptance, belonging, trust and unconditional love as they seek to live their discipleship.

Salem United Methodist Church

Here's what is happening!

August 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Sunday Worship Schedule 9:00 AM - Sunday School 10:00 AM - Worship			1	2 1:30pm - Piece Keepers 6:00pm - FH Reserved	3	4
5 COMMUNION	6	7 6:00am - FLC Primary Election 9:30am - C in C	8 7:00pm - FLC Youth Group	9 1:30pm - Piece Keepers 6:00pm - FH Reserved 7:00pm - Family Fusion Children Leader's Meeting	10	11
12 BACKPACK SUNDAY 11:00am - Fall Kickoff Meeting with Fun & Fellowship 6:15pm - FLC/classroom 4-H	13	14 9:00am - Commodities Distribution 9:30am - C in C 9:30am - SUMC Staff Mtg.	15 8:00am - Youth Retreat	16 8:00am - Youth Retreat 8:00am - FLC Reserved 8:00am - Clothes to Open Door 1:30pm - Piece Keepers 6:00pm - FH Reserved	17 10:00am - FLC Reserved	18
19	20 12:00pm - FLC Singles Dinner	21 9:30am - C in C 7:00pm - Worship Team Meeting	22 10:00am - Prayer Wrap	23 8:00am - SUMC Garage Sale Prep 1:30pm - Piece Keepers 6:00pm - FH Reserved 7:00pm - SPPR meeting	24 8:00am - SUMC Garage Sale Prep	25 8:00am - FLC SUMC Garage Sale
26 8:00am - FLC SUMC Garage Sale Clean Up 4:00pm - Newton Network Meeting	27 8:00am - SUMC Garage Sale Clean Up	28 9:30am - C in C 7:00pm - Finance Committee Meeting	29	30 8:00am - FLC Reserved 1:30pm - Piece Keepers 6:00pm - FH Reserved	31 10:00am - FLC Reserved 1:15pm - FH Reserved	



WAYS TO GIVE TO SALEM UMC

NOTE: You do not have to change the way you currently financially give to the church if you do not wish to. Electronic giving options are available for making one time or regular offerings and special giving to Salem UMC. See below.

- Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) from your checking/savings account for those wanting to give the same amount weekly or monthly. No fees. See Suanne Eshleman for paperwork to complete and send to your bank.
- Give+ Church option – using debit or credit card on a smartphone. Use QR code below or go to the App Store or Google Play, download free “Give+ Church”. Choose ‘Salem UMC’ and follow the directions. Fee for each contribution = 2.75% -3.5%.
- Give+ Church option – using direct draft from your checking/savings account. Fee for each transaction.

Salem giving accounts include General Fund and Mission Shares. More options will come as events arise (Spring Fund Drive, Vacation Bible School, etc.)

Celebrating Birthdays & Anniversaries

August Birthdays

2 Jackie Krehbiel
2 Jase Marsh
2 Sommer Smith
2 Gabe Sprout
2 Megan Wendt
4 Amanda Will
5 Matthew Anderson
5 Amanda Fair
5 TJ Friday
5 Karen Jaworsky
6 Caroline Longmoor
8 Ann Brenzikofer
8 Tate Cowan
8 Elinor Keesling
9 Talarah Burson
9 Matt Hockett
9 Chris Sauerwein
10 Trent Arrowsmith
10 Carmelita Decker
10 Kelly Harms
10 Diana Sattler
11 Joni Krueger
11 Brianna Ross
11 Jacey Wedel
12 Karol Smith
13 Chloe Crider
13 Corbin Crider
14 Ty Voth
15 Jack Schreiber
16 Garrett Crider
17 Donna Bergeson
17 Collin Devaney
17 Makenzie Dick
17 Marvin Hinde
17 Zach Metzler
18 Oakley Gruver

If there are any Birthdays or Anniversaries missing or incorrect, please let us know in the church office.

August Birthdays

19 Trevor Beyer
20 Patty Briar
20 Ava Rose Lewis
21 Tom Gatz
21 Arica Kern
22 Kasha Stiner
23 Griffin Davis
25 John Bevan
26 Jo Ann Jolliff
26 Colton Waltner
29 Luberta McCulloch
29 Rose Mary Miller
30 Cory Caudell
31 Maddie Bomberry
31 Debra Enloe
31 Kristin Nolan

August Anniversaries

2 Tim & Heidi Porter
5 Bob & Becky Jackson
9 Mark & Cristy Willingham
11 Douglas & Charlene Lloyd
16 David & Raeanne Briar
16 Kelly & Cindy Harms
18 Ervin & Denise Bott
19 Javen & Beth Schmucker
20 Mark & Cathy Willis
26 Dennis & Sherry Schmidt
28 Nancy & Roger Campa
28 Richard & Margie McGlachlin
29 Ron & Tamera Friday

August Message Titles

August 5: Word & Knee
August 12: Canoeing the Mountains
August 19: Adapting to the Terrain
August 26: Seeing Possibility

Thank You

THANK YOU again to all of those that contributed to making our Vacation Bible School be great! It takes many people to contribute supplies, prepare things, cook, teach & lead, be with the children, etc. It's definitely a ministry of the whole church and Education team wants you to know you are appreciated!

Landscaping Help

Deb Smalley and Melinda Voelker have been Landscaping by the new sign on the north side of the church this week. Mulch will be coming Thursday afternoon. Anyone that would like to help on a weeding/Landscaping volunteer crew please talk to either of them or call the church office. It would mainly be for weed eating, spraying Roundup on the cracks. We could decide how often we get together but probably every couple of weeks for an hour or two.

Pastor's Column

If your church loves a past era more than the current mission, it loves the wrong thing.
- Ed Stetzer, a pastor and church researcher

This quote caught my attention recently and is timely for my plans of a short sermon series in August. We have been reflecting on various aspects of discipleship for a couple of months and will conclude that theme on August 5.

Then beginning August 12, I will tackle the struggle in the church of trying to look to a past era for approaches to do ministry in a future era that will be quite different. This is a focus for the Networks organized by the conference. This is the question behind the focus groups Salem held early this year and those who reflect on implementing what we learned. What is our mission field now and into the future and how might we prepare for this mission field. This will require us to adapt to some new realities.

So come with me as we Canoe the Mountains. Bring your gear!

Ron

Fall Kickoff

We had some great feedback on our Fall Kickoff Party last year. Thanks to Fun & Fellowship, Education Team and Salem Servants for the efforts thus far. If you would like to be involved in the planning or help with making it happen, your help and input would be appreciated. We will meet after church on August 12th in 1-04 by the offices.

Education Team

Education team has a list of 3rd graders to receive Bibles as well as be trained for acolytes if desired. However, we want to be sure that we include all of our 3rd graders. Therefore, if you have a 3rd grader this year, please let the church office or Ashli know. Thank you!