

Salem at Worship

Sunday, September 5, 2021

Sun: Sept 5	Liturgist: Shana Hosford Song Leader: Aaron Teel Children's Time: Cathy Willis Nursery: Jennifer Saylor 15 th Sunday After Pentecost / Holy Communion 9:00am: Sunday School 9:00am: Sanctuary - Acolyte for 3 rd graders or kids older who haven't been an Acolyte
Mon: Sept 6	Labor Day, Church office closed 6:00pm: FH reserved
Tues: Sept 7	9:30am: N FLC classrooms Companions of Christ
Wed: Sept 8	
Thurs: Sept 9	
Fri: Sept 10	12:00pm-3:00pm: FLC reserved 4:00pm: FLC SUMC Garage Sale
Sat: Sept 11	8:00am-3:00pm: FLC SUMC Garage Sale parking lot 9:00am-12:00pm: FH reserved
Sun: Sept 12	Liturgist: Annessa Russell Song Leader: Juli Garcia Children's Time: Pastor Willy Banza Nursery: Open 16 th Sunday After Pentecost / Gideon speaker 9:00am: Sunday School 9:00am: FLC Children/Youth Sunday School kick-off 11:00am: FH Fun & Fellowship for kids 6:00pm: FLC 4H
MEMORIAL BOOK	Helen Caldwell Clara Schanfeld
Fun & Fellowship Sept 12 11:00am (social distancing & other safety precautions)	All Salem Kids afternoon of painting & pizza. Sara Lewis will direct a painting lesson on a canvas to take home. Cost is \$20/child. If cost is an issue please reach out. RSVP by Friday, Sept. 10th to Annessa Russell at annessad@yahoo.com or (316) 804-0813.
Children/Youth Sunday School kick-off Sept 12 9:00am	Please join us in the Family Life Center for fruit, muffins, juice, and milk . There will be a short time of singing & then Preschool & Kindergarten-5th grade will head to their classrooms. Youth in grades 6-12 will continue in the FLC for some fellowship time. We will always start in the FLC to begin Sunday School now! Please let one of the Christian Education Team members (Lisa Golubski, Staci Kempf, Erica Rickard, or Danielle Wahl) know if you could provide supervision assistance with the youth during this time as we are short volunteers.
Aug 29 attendance	86 sanctuary, estimate 60 on line



9:00 am Sunday School
sum@sum.kscoxmail.com
saalemumc-newton.org

10:00 am Worship Service
(316) 283-3620
115 Old Main, Newton, KS 67114

If you are seeking a church home, we invite you to join our church family by talking with Pastor Willy Banza at the church office, 283-3620.



**Please stand as you are able.*

PRELUDE

Bob Wambold

“Prayer from Hansel and Gretle”

Englebert Humperdinck

GREETINGS and ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Willy Banza

*OPENING PRAYER

Liturgist

Lord God, In you all hearts are open, all desires are known, and from you no secrets are hidden: cleanse the thoughts of our heart, today, by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly worship you, and worthily magnify your Holy Name: through Christ our Lord we pray, Amen.

*OPENING HYMN

Verse 1

2221 Black Hymnal

“In Unity We Lift Our Song”

w: Ken Medema m: Martin Luther

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Unison

Liturgist: We believe in one God

Congregation: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Liturgist: He is the true and living God,

Congregation: Worthy to receive glory and honor and power.

Liturgist: He created all things,

Congregation: By his will they existed and were created.

Liturgist: We believe in the Lord Jesus Christ;

Congregation: All things came into being through him.

Liturgist: He is the image of the invisible God

Congregation: The firstborn of all creation.

Liturgist: In him all things in heaven and on earth were created.

Congregation: He himself is before all things, and in him all

things hold together, now and forever, and ever. Amen.

PRAYER HYMN

Verses 1 & 5

2202 Black Hymnal

“Come Away with Me”

w: Mary Nelson Keithahn m: John D Horman

JOYS and CONCERNS

Pastor Willy Banza

PASTOR'S PRAYER

Pastor Willy Banza

CHILDREN'S TIME

Cathy Willis

INVITATION TO OFFERING

Liturgist

“Moses said to all the congregation of the people of Israel, ‘This is the thing that the Lord has commanded. Take from among you a contribution to the Lord. Whoever is of a generous heart, let him bring the Lord’s contribution.’ *Our offerings are an act of worship. Let’s take this opportunity to respond in gratitude to God’s grace, love, and mercy. Let’s put our faith and trust in the Lord into action.* (Adapted from Exodus 35:4-5)

OFFERING PRAYER

Pastor Willy Banza

OFFERING OF MUSIC

Aaron Teel

“The Lost Chord”

Arthur Sullivan

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 17:1-11 (NIV)

Liturgist

Leader: This is the Word of God for the People of God.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

MESSAGE

Pastor Willy Banza

“Take the Baton and Run with It: Renewing Our Christian Vows”

RENEWAL of OUR CHRISTIAN VOWS (see insert) Pastor Willy Banza

HOLY COMMUNION

Pastor Willy Banza

LORD'S PRAYER

Unison

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses; as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen

*CLOSING HYMN

Verse 1

2196 Black Hymnal

“We Walk by Faith”

w: Henry Alford m: Attr. to Hugh Wilson

*BENEDICTION

Pastor Willy Banza

*POSTLUDE

Bob Wambold

“Festal Postlude”

Stephan Otis