

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We Need Your Help

We have opened the nursery during the Sunday school Hour. We have volunteers for the first three Sundays. We need two volunteers for the fourth Sunday and two volunteers for the fifth Sunday.

Operation Christmas Child

For the months of May and June, OCC will be collecting the following:

- Pens
- Pencils
- Crayons
- Erasers
- Notebooks and Notebook paper

Youth Pie and Cake Auction

Thank you to everyone who supported the youth this year with the baked goods auction. Your donations/participation are greatly appreciated!

Men's Ministry

On July 15, the men's ministry will be taking a trip to see the Orioles take on the Marlins. The cost is estimated to be \$50 and transportation will be provided. They will be leaving the church at 2pm and will eat supper at or near the stadium before the game. For more information contact Travis Mummert: 717-816-0746 or minthess@yahoo.com

Wednesday Evening Activities

This Wednesday, May 24 will mark the end of Wednesday Evening activities for adults and kids until the start of the next school year in September. The youth will continue to meet periodically throughout the summer. Thank you to all our teachers for sharing your time and wisdom!

If there is an announcement that you would like to have added to the weekly bulletin, please contact Angel in the church office NO LATER than Wednesday @ 11:00am for consideration.

READING AHEAD

Want a jump start on next week's message? We invite you to read ahead some passages of scripture that will connect with next week's message "Simply True"

Monday

John 6:1-14

Tuesday

Exodus 20:1-21

Wednesday

Judges 2:16-23

Thursday

Zechariah 13:7-9

Friday

2 Corinthians 13:1-10

Saturday

Revelation 2:1-7

CONNECTIONS

Connections Card



Don't forget to fill out your weekly Connections Card and let us know what is happening in your life and those around you. We want to pray and praise with you and know how we can be an encouragement to you. Have an idea? Share it! Scan the image to the left with your smart phone or pick up a Connections card at the entrance to the Worship Center!

Friendly People Wanted

Do you know how to smile? Can you say "Hi, it's great to see you!" Do you know what it feels like to be a new person in a new place, or simply someone who's had a rough time and just needs to see a friendly face? If so, then we may just have the **PERFECT** opportunity for you! We are looking for a few people to help round out our Connections Team on Sunday mornings. There's one basic requirement: Help people feel welcomed and appreciated! See Chris if you think you would be a good fit for this vital ministry.

Church Schedule

As a reminder, the schedule for church use and activities can be found on our website at www.salemub.org. If you need to schedule the church for use, please contact the office at 717-263-4123.

THIS WEEK

SUNDAY

Worship @ 9 am
Mission Spotlight 10:15

MONDAY

Office open 9am-1pm
Pete's Pantry 9am-1pm
Board Meeting 7pm

TUESDAY

Office open 9am - 1pm

SATURDAY

Nothing Scheduled

WEDNESDAY

Office open 9am - 1pm
Pete's Pantry 9am-1pm
Refuel and Kidz Zone 6pm
Grow Group 6:15pm
Ezekiel and Griefshare 6:30pm

THURSDAY

Office open 9am - 1pm

FRIDAY

Nothing Scheduled

May 21, 2023

This Week's Prayer Priorities

Recurring

- Local First Responders and Healthcare workers.
- Salem Leadership- Spirit's guidance and wisdom.
- Jonathan Alleman- to be more able to live for Christ and would resist sin more effectively. In particular that he would show more self control and long-suffering.
- Those serving in the military at home or abroad.
- Pray that we all would feel and know the burden of sin and come to Jesus for forgiveness and salvation

Weekly Missions Focus

- Pray for the Christians in **India**. Pray for those experiencing increased persecution from Hindu extremists

Current Prayer Needs

- Please continue to pray For the **Funk family** for opportunities for them to share the Gospel and that many Togolese people's hearts will be open and receptive to hear the Good News and accept Jesus as their savior.
- Please pray for all those who are currently mourning
- Please pray for Jeff Knouse as he recovers from surgery for an abdominal abscess
- **Bernie Beadle** will be beginning treatment for a small spot on one of her lungs and will undergo a simulation on May 25th, followed by the first treatment on June 5 which will follow a M-W-F-M-W schedule. Please pray for Bernie as she prepares and undergoes the treatments. Pray for effectiveness of the radiation and pray for peace for Bernie and her family.

CHURCH CONTACTS

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OUR STAFF

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Pastor Chris
Emergency Only: 260.479.0424

Daryl ‘Slugg’ Kissinger
Youth & Children

Spencer Cormany
Worship

OUR LEADERSHIP TEAM

Tom Black- Board Chairman
Travis Mummert- Vice Chair
Todd Heckman- Lay Leader
Lori Hogue- Finance

Our Passion

Reaching Up / Reaching Out

Our Priorities

Knowing God’s Word
Growing God’s People
Showing God’s World

Our Purpose

Salem Church exists to be a *discipling* community, **Knowing** God’s **Word** as our **Authority**, **Growing** God’s **People** to **Maturity**, **Sowing** God’s **Love Generously** and **Showing** God’s **World** His **Glory**. Our **Worship** declares God’s **Supremacy** and our **Prayer** displays our **Dependency**.



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Our Current series

“Simply Church”

This Morning’s Focus

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Morning’s Message:

“Simply Confessing”

