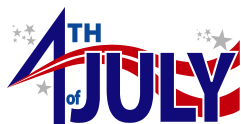


This Week's Calendar of Events

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| | 9:15am | The Gathering Rehearsal (110) |
| | 9:30am | Informal Worship (Fellowship Hall) |
| | 9:30am | Cross Training (Sanctuary) |
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| | | Simply Scripture (215) |
| | 9:30am | Youth Sunday School (219) |
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| | 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) |
| | 6:00pm | Youth Activity (219, FH) |
| MON. | 10:00am | Graeff Memorial Visitation (Welcome Center) |
| | 11:00am | Graeff Memorial (Sanctuary) |
| | 12:00pm | Graeff Memorial Luncheon (FH) |
| | 7:00pm | Chemically Dependent Anonymous (219) |
| | 7:00pm | Stephen Ministry (212,214,215) |
| TUES. | | |
| WEDS. | 6:00pm | Sisters of Salem— <i>Mercy Triumphs</i> (115) |
| | 6:00pm | Haiti Mission Trip Worship Service (Sanctuary) |
| | 6:30pm | Men's Evening Cup of Jesus (210) |
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SUMMER OFFICE HOURS
Memorial Day - Labor Day
Monday - Friday
8am-12pm



The Church Office will be
CLOSED
 Monday, July 4th
 in celebration of
 Independence Day!

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Altar Flowers

Hamilton by the Hamilton family.

The altar flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God in memory of Robert

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.

A Heart for Haiti: Celebration of Mission

Join us on Wednesday, June 29th, at 6:30 pm in the Sanctuary for A Heart for Haiti: Celebration of Mission. This evening of worship and prayer will be in support and celebration of the team of 11 adults and children going to Haiti in August. It will be a great opportunity to hear the vision of this team, to praise God and to fellowship! Derek Sandstrom, Alex Pepper and Kelsey Raudensky will share their musical talents and lead us in worship that evening. Come out to praise the Lord and support your missionaries!



Celebration of Life Services for Leonard Graeff will be held on Monday, June 27 at the church, with visitation beginning at 10:00 am and the service at 11:00 am. Burial will be in Salem's cemetery immediately following, and there will be a luncheon in the Fellowship Hall at noon.

OUR FAITHFULNESS LAST WEEK, June 19th

Attendance - 312

Tithes & Offerings—\$12,431.48

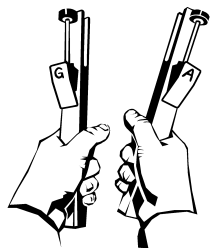
Connect



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.

SUMMERRING 2016! You've seen and heard the Chime Choir on Sunday mornings during worship. This July, we are offering you an opportunity to come together and learn the art of ringing chimes with other church members. We will meet for 4 consecutive Wednesday evenings beginning July 6th at 7pm. This program will be stress-free (you will not have to ring in church!) and music reading is not required for participation. Please mark your Connection Card and/or sign up on the bulletin board outside the music office (by the elevator).



Handchimes

Grow

Summers can pose a major challenge to our faith and obedience to Christ. It can be a very spiritually isolating time because our normal routine is interrupted with vacations and other activities. Remember too..

Go to church
Read your Bible
Obey what you read
Witness

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

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) or Amy Raugh (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 upstairs 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.



MISSIONS CORNER

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).