

Salem United Methodist Church

1321 Salem Church Road
Irmo, South Carolina 29063
Established 1873
August 11, 2019

The Fruit of the Spirit is
love, joy, peace, patience,
KINDNESS, goodness,
faithfulness, gentleness,
& self-control.

Galatians 5:22-23

Church on the Lake August 11, 2019

Prelude

Gathering Time (Welcome / Announcements / Greeting)

Opening Prayer

***Song 1** *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

1. Come, thou Fount of every blessing, tune my heart to sing thy grace; streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise. Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above. Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it, mount of thy redeeming love.

2. Here I raise mine Ebenezer; hither by thy help I'm come; and I hope, by thy good pleasure, safely to arrive at home. Jesus sought me when a stranger, wandering from the fold of God; he, to rescue me from danger, interposed his precious blood.

3. O to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be! Let thy goodness, like a fetter, bind my wandering heart to thee. Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it, prone to leave the God I love; here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for thy courts above.

Reception of Members

*Dan Baxa, Kaitlyn Baxa, Rebecca Baxa, Tracey Baxa,
Joshua Urban Imholte and Angela Quarles*

Do you, as Christ's body, the Church, reaffirm both your rejection of sin and your commitment to Christ?

We do.

Will you nurture one another in the Christian faith and life and include *these persons* now before you in your care?

With God's help we will proclaim the good news and live according to the example of Christ.

We will surround *these persons* with a community of love and forgiveness, that they may grow in *their* trust of God, and be found faithful in *their* service to others.

We will pray for *them*, that *they* may be *true disciples* who walk in the way that leads to life.

Members of the household of God, I commend *these persons* to your love and care. Do all in your power to increase *their* faith, confirm *their* hope, and perfect *them* in love.

We give thanks for all that God has already given you and we welcome you in Christian love. As members together with you in the body of Christ and in this congregation of The United Methodist Church, we renew our covenant faithfully to participate in the ministries of the Church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness, that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.

***Song 2**

Have Thine Own Way, Lord

1. Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way! Thou art the potter, I am the clay. Mold me and make me after thy will, while I am waiting, yielded and still.

2. Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way! Search me and try me, Savior today! Wash me just now, Lord, wash me just now, as in thy presence humbly I bow.

4. Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way! Hold o'er my being absolute sway. Fill with thy Spirit till all shall see Christ only, always, living in me!

The Scripture Reading

Galatians 5:22-23, 25

Homily

"Spiritual Fruits"

Offering

***Song 3**

Spirit of the Living God(X3)

Spirit of the living God, Fall afresh on me. Spirit of the living God, Fall afresh on me. Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me. Spirit of the living God, Fall afresh on me.

*Blessing

*Post - Service Music

Indicates that the Congregation stands. If standing is uncomfortable, please remain seated and continue with your participation. **Bold Titles indicate Congregation Participation.*

Scripture Readings for next Sunday:

Luke 12:49-56

FELLOWSHIP TIME

Come early (8:15 a.m.) each week and enjoy refreshments and fellowship.

WORDS OF WELCOME

- We bid you a warm welcome this morning. We hope you will join us regularly during the summer and will tell others about this service.
- Please also consider joining us for Sunday School at 9:30 A.M. and Sunday Worship Services at 10:30 A.M. at Salem United Methodist Church at the corner of Highway 6 and Salem Church Road. **Reverend Gary Phillips.**

If you are visiting with us today and would like additional information about Salem United Methodist Church please fill out the following and deposit it in the offering plate.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

9th Sunday after Pentecost
August 11, 2019
A Service of Word and Water

The color green is used to denote the earthly mission of the church.

Prelude

Procession with Lighting of the Candles

Chiming of the Hour

Welcome and Announcements

***Call to Worship** *Holy Ground*

We are standing on holy ground, and I know that there are angels all around; let us praise Jesus now; we are standing in his presence on holy ground.

***Opening Call**

For you, O God, let us bear within us the fruit of love,

Showing love to our neighbors, strangers, even enemies who seem as unlovely to us as we do to them.

For you let us bear the fruit of joy,

Remembering that your Son has overcome the world.

For you let us bear the fruit of peace,

Working for peace between persons and nations.

Help us to offer to all the world a harvest of Patience,

Help us to offer to all the world a harvest of kindness, goodness, and witness of faithfulness.

Come, Holy God; manifest your Spirit in our midst,

That the ways of your holy kingdom may grow in our life and in our living. Amen.

***Hymn, 336** *Of All the Spirit's Gifts to Me*
(If you have a prayer request, please fill out the prayer card, and the ushers will pick them up during the singing of the hymn.)

The Baptismal Covenant 1, pg. 33

Concerns of the Church

Pastoral Prayer with **Lord's Prayer**

Offertory

"The blessings that come from God are rich like the fruits of summer. With our tithes and offerings let us give thanks and praise to the triune God: to the Son for our salvation, the Spirit for our rising, and the Creator of heaven and earth."

***Doxology, 95**

A Moment with the Children

***Hymn, 140** *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

***Prayer of Illumination**

O God, whose Spirit plants your Word in our midst and in our hearts,

Grant that we may prove to be fertile soil for your planting so that you may delight in the harvest.

Epistle Reading *Galatians 5:22–23, 25*

Choral Anthem, 2121 *O Holy Spirit, Root of Life*

Sermon "Spiritual Fruits"

***Hymn, 2123** *Loving Spirit*
(During the singing of the final hymn you are invited to the Chancel rail to share your prayers.)

*Benediction

***Choral Response, 898** *Amen*

*Chiming of the Holy Trinity

***Postlude** (A Time of Greeting and Fellowship)

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A Welcome to our Guests!

We are honored that you are worshiping with us. Please complete the "red book" registration to record your presence. Also, please introduce yourself to those around you and visit our Welcome Center. We have a welcome gift for our first time guests in the welcome center. Please stop by the desk at the close of the worship service. We hope you will return to join us again in Worship!

STEWARDSHIP AND ATTENDANCE

Week of August 4, 2019

Needed each week to fund unified budget \$13,746.61

Unified budget received \$15,109.00

Needed to meet budget year to date (Inclgd. bldg. fund) \$426,144.96

Unified budget received year to date (Inclgd. bldg. fund) \$354,800.38

Attendance

Worship 246 Sunday School 53

Includes 10:30 service and Church on the Lake

PLEASE PRAYERFULLY REMEMBER:

Brookdale Assisted Living — Mavis George
Generations (Chapin) — Gwen Parnell & Ira Parnell

Lowman Home — Gloria Gordon, Betty Hanzlick

Pruitt Health — Ed Brower

Springfield Place — Doris Monts

Tyborne UCP — Jessica Gore

White Oak Manor — Emily Manley

Homebound — Linda Carder, Leroy Gibson,
Betty Jaco, Ray Keith

Special Prayers — Leroy Gibson, Sandra Hinson,
Dale Jenkins, Ruth Smith, Julius Waites, Judy Wrenn

ASSISTING IN WORSHIP TODAY:

Ushers: Lead – Danny Bollinger
Andrew Bykalo, Cooper Bykalo
Kevin Bykalo, Ted Hornsby, Inez Hyatt
Claressa Poppell, Julia Rose Hood

Nursery:

Greeters: Marie Lewis
Ralph Payne
Janet L. Shirley

Trustee: Steven Smith

Flower Ministry

The flowers which grace the Holy Altar today are given to the Glory of God and in memory of William Anderson.

Congratulations

Congratulations to the proud Parents,
Dillon and Mary Catherine Greenway
Grandparents: Keith and Donna Corley
Jerry and Ginger Greenway on the
Baptism of **Hudson Strom Greenway.**
Proud aunts and uncles are
Chris Corley, Danny and Brannon Anders

SENIOR CITIZENS RECOGNITION DAY

The children will take part in an observance of **Senior Citizens Recognition Day next Sunday, Aug 18** during the traditional worship service. If you completed and returned a questionnaire in June, we hope you will be present on this special day! We have a special gift for each of you.

Christian Education Sunday

Christian Education Sunday is set for **Sunday, August 25**. We will take time to highlight Sunday School and its importance in our Christian journey. We hope you will make plans to join us on this special day as we gather back into the sanctuary from Church on the Lake and recognize our **3rd graders** who will receive Bibles on this day. If you have a 3rd grader who you would like to receive a Bible this year, please notify Tina Overton or the church office as soon as possible.

Confirmation 2019-20

We will be starting our Confirmation classes in the next couple of months. We have completed the transition of moving Confirmation from **6th grade to 8th grade**. If you have a youth who is either going into 8th grade this year, or a youth older than that who has not been through Confirmation, please contact us in the church office. We will be setting up a meeting with the Confirmands and their parents to let everyone know the schedule this year. The meeting is tentatively planned for early August. Please contact the church office and let us know if your child will be a part of this for the upcoming year.

All Youth and Parents

Please make plans to join us on Sunday, **August 18 from 5:00 - 6:00 p.m.** for an information drop-in session. Join us any time during the hour to see the new youth area, get details of the upcoming youth year, sign up for different things and ask any questions you may have. There will be food and drinks as well. Invite friends, neighbors and relatives who may have a child of youth age and let them see what we will be about this year. I hope to see everyone there.

OASIS Kickoff

Our OASIS (AKA Over 50s) kickoff is set for **Tuesday, September 17**. We will have a neat session on recycling to include door prizes and a catered lunch! Watch the bulletin for more details in the coming weeks!

Ladies' Lunch Bunch

The Salem ladies will be meeting together for fellowship time over lunch. We will meet **Monday, August 26, at 12:00** at **Tonella's**. All ladies are welcome!

Church on the Lake

Next Sunday will be our last church on the Lake service for the year. Please join us at our regular church worship service at 10:30. We look forward to seeing you in church.

Homecoming, September 15th

Reverend Patricia Parrish from Washington Street United Methodist Church will be our guest speaker. A covered dish luncheon will follow the service. **Family Ministries will provide the meat and drinks, with the congregation contributing side dishes and desserts.** We look forward to a wonderful time of worship and fellowship!

The Giving Corner

Our Missions committee would like to call your attention to our new **"Giving Corner"** that has been created for a multitude of mission collections as well as recognition of servanthood. It is still conveniently located in the same spot (just before entering into the fellowship hall) but has a new look. The baskets will be notated soon for the appropriate items being collected. Stay tuned to the bulletin and newsletters for further information on the various missions focus.

Sharing God's Love

Our current needs: men's white socks, gently used children's clothing, tea bags, jelly, canned or boxed potatoes, canned tuna, salmon, chicken, ham, baked beans, pork 'n beans, chili, canned fruit, mac and cheese, spaghetti, spaghetti sauce and ravioli.

School supplies: Backpacks (solid colors, gender-neutral), color markers (8 - 10 count), colored pencils (10 or 12 count), yellow highlighters, black dry erase markers, glue sticks, scissors, erasers & cap, notebook paper (college), composition books (college & wide-ruled), three-ring binders (1", solid colors), letter-size index dividers (5 or 8 count), two-pocket portfolios w/prongs (poly, solid colors), white ruled index cards (3x5), #2 pencils.

Boxes are located in each Sunday School Room and a cart is in the hallway next to the Fellowship Hall entrance.

93 items were carried to SGL on July 8th.

THIS WEEK AT SALEM

Sunday, August 11

8:30 A.M. Church on the Lake
9:30 A.M. Sunday School for all ages, Nursery provided
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship
5:00 P.M. Kid's Club

Tuesday, August 13

6:30 P.M. Finance Committee Meeting
7:00 P.M. Church Council Meeting
7:00 P.M. AA Meeting

Wednesday, August 14

7:00 P.M. Choir Practice

Thursday, August 15

7:00 P.M. AA Meeting

Friday, August 16

4:00 P.M. Farmers Market

Saturday, August 17

7:00 P.M. AA Meeting

Sunday, August 18

8:30 A.M. Church on the Lake
9:30 A.M. Sunday School for all ages, Nursery provided
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship
5:00 P.M. Kid's Club

Farmers Market

Livingston Farms from Swansea will be in our church parking lot on **Friday** afternoons from **4 until 7 o'clock**. They will be selling farm fresh produce. This is a project of the Evangelism Committee that we hope will become an annual summer/fall program.

Shred 360 Event

Salem United Methodist Church is excited to announce that we will be partnering with Shred 360 to host a FREE community shredding day on **Friday, August 30th**, from 4-7 p.m.

Simultaneously, we are having an on-site back-to-school supply drive, which will be picked up the same day and donated to H.E. Corley through Shred 360.

Every vehicle is allowed 3 bags/boxes of material to be shredded. Bring a school supply donation and be sure to check out the Farmer's Market while here!

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday
8:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon 1:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.
1321 Salem Church Road, Irmo, SC 29063
Website: salemumcsc.com
E-mail: smethodist@aol.com

Phone 803-781-1626

*In case of an emergency,
call 843-209-9273 or 803-422-9400*



OUR MINISTRY TEAM

Gary Phillips — Pastor
Sarah Bridges — Director of Music
Angie Lain — Business/Finance Manager
Marissa Hill — Communications Coordinator
Miriam Y. Lovett — Organist
Jim Magann — Youth/Outreach Ministries
Tina Overton — Director of Creative Ministries
Marie Wicker — Administrative Assistant

OUR CHURCH ON THE LAKE VOLUNTEERS

Phillip & Millie Fore, Co-Chairpersons
Cindy Bollinger, Tom Bouknight
Barbara Chandler, David & Callie Dunn,
Leroy Gibson, Sharon Greene, Davis McMeekin,
Sandra Sills, Ann Stewart – Akers, Joan Tweed
Music Coordinator: Matthew Smith