

Salem United Methodist Church

1321 Salem Church Road
Irmo, South Carolina 29063
Established 1873
July 19, 2020

Trust in God under Adversity

A Psalm of David when he fled from his son, Absalom.

O Lord how many are my foes! Many are rising against me;
Many are saying to me, "There is no help for you in God."

Selah

But you, O Lord, are a shield around me, my glory and the one
who lifts up my head. I cry aloud to the Lord, and he answers
me from his holy hill.

Selah

I lie down and sleep; I wake again, for the Lord sustains me.
I am not afraid of ten thousands of people who have set
themselves against me all around.

Rise up, O Lord! Deliver me, O my God! For you strike all my
enemies on the cheek; you break the teeth of the wicked.

Deliverance belongs to the Lord;
may your blessings be on your people!

Selah

STEWARDSHIP AND ATTENDANCE

Week of July 12, 2020

Needed each week to fund unified budget \$14,088.99
Unified budget received \$15,770.00
Needed to meet budget year to date (Inclgd. bldg. fund) \$394,491.72
Unified budget received year to date (Inclgd. bldg. fund) \$299,602.52

Attendance

Worship 46

Includes 10:30 service and Preachin' on the Porch

PLEASE PRAYERFULLY REMEMBER:

Generations of Irmo — Carolyn Brower,
Joyce Cook, Anita Weed

Pruitt Health — Ed Brower

Springfield Place — Doris Monts

Tyborne UCP — Jessica Gore

White Oak Manor — Emily Manley

Homebound — Leroy Gibson,
Gloria Gordon, Betty Jaco, Ray Keith

Special Prayers — Amy Carter, Clarice Gibbons,
Becky Gobble, Donald Grooms,

Wayne Haltiwanger, Dale Jenkins,

Juanita Kelley, Jessica Mack,

Quinton Meetze, Voncille Meetze,

Barbara Pereira, Larry Salters

NHC Lexington — Ruth Smith

Prisma Health Children's Hospital — Molly Kate Shealy

ASSISTING IN WORSHIP TODAY:

Ushers: Lead – David Thomas
Bill Sills

Trustee: Mike Haas

Our Christian Sympathy

We would like to express our heartfelt sympathy to
Susan Burke and family upon the death of her husband,
Frank Burke.

The nursery is not staffed,
but is available if needed.

Preachin' on the Porch

Due to our inability to meet for our lake service at Woodmen of the World, we are offering an alternate service during the interim called "Preachin' on the Porch." We are gathering on the cemetery side of the church at **8:30 each Sunday** and welcome those interested and comfortable with joining in. Like COL, this service provides a casual setting to worship and fellowship while social distancing. Bring your chair and pick your spot or join us from your car. We welcome all those who are interested and respect those who choose to remain home during this time.

Sunday School for Youth and Children

After much discussion and in abundance of caution and safety, we will not be offering Sunday School for Youth and Children at this time. We will reassess the situation once it gets close to school starting back and base the next step on how those decisions are made. We thank you for your understanding in this matter.

Confirmation Sunday July 26 at 10:30 service

Graduation Recognition

Graduation Recognition will now be **August 2**. This will be a sending forth service for High School and College graduates. All graduates are welcome to attend either service as we will recognize them at both.

Church/Committee Meetings

While we strongly encourage the importance of social distancing, we also want committees and/or small groups to feel comfortable utilizing our larger gathering spaces such as the fellowship hall to engage in church business or committee meetings. Please remember to call the church office to book your space prior to meeting.

The Mission Committee will meet on
Monday, July 27 at 7PM.
in the Fellowship Hall

Epworth Children's Home

A little over a month ago Epworth Children's Home in downtown Columbia experienced a fire in a storage shed. The damage was limited to that one building and the only losses were to supplies and materials used for the campus needs and for the children's comfort. We at Salem have had a long history of support for that mission program. We have done that primarily through the two annual offerings: Mother's Day and Labor Day. We missed our Mother's Day offering because of our inability to gather together. We will receive that offering on today.

Epworth Children's Home suggested supply list:

Tilex, Duffel Bags, Brooms & Dust Pans, Mops & Bucket, Alcohol Free Mouth Wash, Floss, Laundry Detergent, Face Masks, Paper Plates, Paper Cups, Plastic Utensils, Nail Clippers, Twin Comforters, Socks (Men & Women), Underwear (Men & Women), Spray Bottles, Windex, Bath Towel and Washcloth Sets, Dish Towels, Plastic Laundry Baskets, Liquid Hand Soap, Soap Holders, Lysol Spray, Bleach, Clorox Wipes & Spray, Hand Sanitizer, Pine Sol, 3.0 ShopVac, Ziplock Bags, Hair Dryer, Hair Dryer with Comb;

or go to the following web sites for additional items:

Amazon Wish list:

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/Y8A4WEGNPX18/ref=hz_ls_biz_ex

Walmart Registry: <https://www.walmart.com/lists/view-events-registry-items?id=8766965e-0a2e-4eab-8138-64b481c72c37>

Sharing God's Love

Our current needs: bottled water, instant grits & oatmeal, canned soup, canned fruit and spaghetti sauce.

School supplies needed: back packs, composition notebooks, #2 pencils, dividers, 2 pocket folders w/prongs, mechanical pencils, cap erasers, notebook paper (collage rule), colored pencils, blue pens and 3" x 5" index cards.

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

July 19, 2020 7th Sunday after Pentecost A Service of Word

The color red is used to denote the presence of the Holy Spirit.

PRELUDE

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP *Psalm 3(musical response)*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

***WORDS THAT CALL US TOGETHER** *Psalm 3*

Musical Response

O Lord, how many are my foes! Many are rising against me;
Many are saying of me, "There is no help for him in God."

But you, O Lord, are a shield about me, my glory, and the lifter of my head.

I cry aloud to the Lord who answers me from his holy hill.

Musical Response

I lie down and sleep; I wake again, for the Lord sustains me.

I am not afraid of ten thousand people who have set themselves against me on every side.

Arise, O Lord!

Deliver me, O my God!

For you strike all my enemies on the cheek, you break the teeth of the wicked.

Deliverance belongs to the Lord; your blessing be upon your people!

Musical Response

A TIME OF PRAYER & **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

THE OLD TESTAMENT READING *Psalm 3*

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many are saying to me, "There is no help for you in God."

Selah

But you, O Lord, are a shield around me, my glory and the one who lifts up my head. I cry aloud to the Lord, and he answers me from his holy hill. *Selah*

I lie down and sleep; I wake again, for the Lord sustains me. I am not afraid of ten thousands of people who have set themselves against me all around.

Rise up, O Lord! Deliver me, O my God. For you strike all my enemies on the cheek; you break the teeth of the wicked. Deliverance belongs to the Lord; may your blessings be on your people! *Selah*

PROCLAMATION

"Breath"

SONG OF RESPONSE

Breath on Me, Breath of God

PRAYER OF RESPONSE

You have made us for yourself, O Lord,

And our hearts will not rest until they rest in you.

In comparison to this big world, the human heart is only a small thing.

Though the world is so large, it is utterly unable to satisfy this tiny heart.

As water is restless until it reaches its level, so the soul has not peace until it rests in God.

O Lord, it is our prayer that we find our rest, our satisfaction, our revitalization, our breath in you. Fulfill our life and our living by your grace, O Lord. In your son's name we pray. Amen.

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE AND DEPARTING

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

Bold Titles indicate Congregation Participation.

If you have a prayer request, please fill out the blue prayer card and place them in the offering plate.

Attention Guests and Salem Members

Please ensure your family is signed in as you enter or depart the sanctuary today. Having a record of your attendance enables us to contact you in the unfortunate event someone is diagnosed with COVID-19. Thank you in advance for your adherence to this request.

Preachin' on the Porch

July 19, 2020

Prelude

Welcome / Announcements

Opening Prayer

***Song 1** *There Is a Balm in Gilead*

Refrain:

There is a balm in Gilead to make the wounded whole; there is a balm in Gilead to heal the sin-sick soul.

1. Sometimes I feel discouraged, and think my work's in vain. But then the Holy Spirit revives my soul again.

(Refrain)

2. Don't ever feel discouraged, for Jesus is your friend, and if you look for knowledge he'll ne'er refuse to lend.

(Refrain)

***Song 2** *Take Time to Be Holy*

1. Take time to be holy, speak oft with thy Lord; abide in him always, and feed on his word. Make friends of God's children, help those who are weak, forgetting in nothing his blessing to seek.

3. Take time to be holy, let him be thy guide, and run not before him, whatever betide. In joy or in sorrow, still follow the Lord, and, looking to Jesus, still trust in his word.

4. Take time to be holy, be calm in thy soul, each thought and each motive beneath his control. Thus led by his spirit to fountains of love, thou soon shalt be fitted for service above.

***Song 3** *Dona Nobis Pacem X3*

a. Dona nobis pacem, pacem. Dona nobis pacem.

b. Dona nobis pacem. Dona nobis pacem.

c. Dona nobis pacem. Dona nobis pacem.

Scripture Reading

Psalm 3

Proclamation

"Breath"

***Closing Song** *Breath on Me, Breath of God*

1. Breathe on me, Breath of God, fill me with life anew, that I may love what thou dost love, and do what thou wouldst do.

2. Breathe on me, Breath of God, until my heart is pure, until with thee I will one will, to do and to endure.

3. Breathe on me, Breath of God, till I am wholly thine, till all this earthly part of me glows with thy fire divine.

4. Breathe on me, Breath of God, so shall I never die, but live with thee the perfect life of thine eternity.

* Benediction

* Postlude

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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: _____

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday

Office hours are flexible during this time. If you need to see someone in the office please call ahead.

1321 Salem Church Road, Irmo, SC 29063

Website: saalemumcsc.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

Bill Childs — Pastor of Visitation

Ashley Anderson — Children's Ministry

Sarah Bridges — Director of Music

Mary Catherine Greenway — Communications Coordinator

Stephanie Knott — Pianist

Angie Lain — Business/Finance Manager

Miriam Y. Lovett — Organist

Jim Magann — Youth/Outreach Ministries

Tina Overton — Director of Creative Ministries

Marie Wicker — Administrative Assistant

E-Giving

Please prayerfully consider giving to Salem United Methodist Church through our e-Giving program. Scan the QR code below to be taken to Salem's donation page to present your offering.



You can also visit the link:

<https://giving.ncsservices.org/App/Giving/ncs-2365>