

Salem United Methodist Church

1321 Salem Church Road
Irmo, South Carolina 29063
Established 1873
July 18, 2021



July 18, 2021 8th Sunday After Pentecost A Service of Word

*The color green is used to denote the worldly mission
of the Church of Jesus Christ.*

PRELUDE

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP *Psalm 89 (Response 2)*
*O Lord, your love is constant; you are faithful to all
generations.*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

***THE CALL TO WORSHIP AND OPENING PRAYER**

We gather together in the name of Jesus Christ—members
of God’s family,
and brothers and sisters to one another.
There are no outsiders here among us;
no one has any special standing or bragging rights.
For we have been brought together by the redeeming love
of Jesus.

Let’s join together in worship!

Let us pray:

**God of love, you abide with us; you provide for all our
needs and guide us in your ways. Out of gratitude for
your care, we gather before you to offer our thanksgiving
and praise. Use us for your work of caring, that all may
feast at the table of abundance, walk without fear, and
drink deeply from the cup of compassion. Amen.**

***HYMN 203** *Hail to the Lord’s Anointed*

A TIME OF PRAYER & LORD’S PRAYER

ANTHEM

On Eagle’s Wings

*GOSPEL READING

Mark 6:30–34, 53–56

THE CHILDREN’S MOMENT

*HYMN 2158

Just a Closer Walk with Thee

PROCLAMATION

“Faith and Compassion”

*HYMN OF RESPONSE 261

Lord of the Dance

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE

*THE CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

*POSTLUDE AND DEPARTING

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

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

July 18, 2021

8th Sunday After Pentecost

8:30 Worship A Service of Word

Prelude

Call to Worship Psalm 89 (Response 2)

O Lord, your love is constant; you are faithful to all generations.

Welcome / Announcements

Opening Prayer

***Song 1** *Hail to the Lord's Anointed*

1. Hail to the Lord's Anointed, great David's greater Son! Hail in the time appointed, his reign on earth begun! He comes to break oppression, to set the captive free; to take away transgression, and rule in equity.

2. He comes with succor speedy to those who suffer wrong; to help the poor and needy, and bid the weak be strong; to give them songs for sighing, their darkness turn to light, whose souls, condemned and dying, are precious in his sight.

3. He shall come down like showers upon the fruitful earth; love, joy, and hope, like flowers, spring in his path to birth. Before him, on the mountains, shall peace, the herald, go, and righteousness, in fountains, from hill to valley flow.

4. To him shall prayer unceasing and daily vows ascend; his kingdom still increasing, a kingdom without end. The tide of time shall never his covenant remove; his name shall stand forever; that name to us is love.

***Song 2** *Just a Closer Walk with Thee*

1. I am weak, but thou art strong; Jesus, keep me from all wrong; I'll be satisfied as long as I walk, let me walk close to thee.

Refrain:

Just a closer walk with thee, grant it, Jesus, is my plea, daily walking close to thee: Let it be, dear Lord, let it be.

2. Through this world of toil and snares, if I falter, Lord, who cares? Who with me my burden shares? None but Thee, dear Lord, none but thee.

[Refrain]

3. When my feeble life is o'er, time for me will be no more; guide me gently, safely o'er to thy shore, dear Lord, to thy shore. *[Refrain]*

***Song 3** *Kum Ba Yah*

1. Kum ba yah, my Lord, kum ba yah. Kum ba yah, my Lord, kum ba yah. Kum ba yah, my Lord, kum ba yah. Oh, Lord, kum ba yah!

2. Someone's praying, Lord, kum ba yah. Someone's praying, Lord, kum ba yah. Someone's praying, Lord, kum ba yah. Oh,, Lord, kum ba yah!

3. Someone's crying, Lord, kum ba yah. Someone's crying, Lord, kum ba yah. Someone's crying, Lord, kum ba yah. Oh, Lord, kum ba yah!

4. Someone needs you, Lord, kum ba yah. Someone needs you, Lord, kum ba yah. Someone needs you, Lord, kum ba yah. Oh, Lord, kum ba yah!

5. Someone's singing, Lord, kum ba yah. Someone's singing, Lord, kum ba yah. Someone's singing, Lord, kum ba yah. Oh, Lord, kum ba yah!

6. Let us praise the Lord, kum ba yah. Let us praise the Lord, kum ba yah. Let us praise the Lord, kum ba yah. Oh, Lord, kum ba yah!

*Gospel Reading Mark 6:30–34, 53–56

³⁰ The apostles gathered around Jesus, and told him all that they had done and taught. ³¹ He said to them, “Come away to a deserted place all by yourselves and rest a while.” For many were coming and going, and they had no leisure even to eat. ³² And they went away in the boat to a deserted place by themselves. ³³ Now many saw them going and recognized them, and they hurried there on foot from all the towns and arrived ahead of them. ³⁴ As he went ashore, he saw a great crowd; and he had compassion for them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things.

⁵³ When they had crossed over, they landed at Gennesaret and anchored there. ⁵⁴ As soon as they got out of the boat, people recognized Jesus. ⁵⁵ They ran throughout that whole region and carried the sick on mats to wherever they heard he was. ⁵⁶ And wherever he went—into villages, towns or countryside—they placed the sick in the marketplaces. They begged him to let them touch even the edge of his cloak, and all who touched it were healed.

Proclamation “Faith and Compassion”

***Hymn of Response** *Lord of the Dance*

1. I danced in the morning when the world was begun, and I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun, and I came down from heaven and I danced on the earth. At Bethlehem I had my birth.

[Refrain:]

Dance, then, wherever you may be; I am the Lord of the Dance, said he. And I'll lead you all wherever you may be, and I'll lead you all in the dance, said he.

2. I danced for the scribe and the Pharisee, but they would not dance and they would not follow me; I danced for the fishermen, for James and John; they came to me and the dance went on. *(Refrain)*

3. I danced on the sabbath when I cured the lame, the holy people said it was a shame; they whipped and they stripped and they hung me high; and they left me there on a cross to die. *(Refrain)*

4. I danced on a Friday and the sky turned black; it's hard to dance with the devil on your back; they buried my body and they thought I'd gone, but I am the dance and I still go on. *(Refrain)*

5. They cut me down and I leapt up high, I am the life that'll never, never die; I'll live in you if you'll live in me; I am the Lord of the Dance, said he. *(Refrain)*

*Benediction

*Postlude

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WORDS OF WELCOME

We bid you a warm welcome this morning. We hope you will join us and will tell others about this service. Please also consider joining us for Worship Services at 10:30 A.M.

STEWARDSHIP AND ATTENDANCE

Week of July 11, 2021

Needed each week to fund unified budget \$14,088.99

Unified budget received \$8,463.00

Needed to meet budget year to date (Inclgd. bldg. fund) \$408,580.71

Unified budget received year to date (Inclgd. bldg. fund) \$303,399.22

Attendance

Worship 173 Sunday School 59

On Line Viewing

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PLEASE PRAYERFULLY REMEMBER:

Generations of Irmo — Carolyn Brower,

Joyce Cook, Anita Weed

Harbison Shores — Mary Catherine Bickley Erskine

Lexington Extended Care — Ray Keith

Lowman Home — Gwen Parnell

Rice Estates — Ed Brower

Tyborne UCP — Jessica Gore

Portside at Grande Dunes — Bill Oswald

Special Prayers — Leroy Gibson,

Quinton Meetze, Voncille Meetze, Margie Oswald,

Molly Kate Shealy, Barbara Thomas, Norman Thomas

Baptist Hospital — Terry Waites

ASSISTING IN WORSHIP TODAY:

Ushers:	Lead – Bill Sills Sandra Sills
Sound Booth:	Cory Anderson John Hood Jim Magann
Trustee:	Mike Haas
Nursery:	Sheri Hood, Julia Rose Hood

During the interim, the nursery will be available only during the 10:30 worship hour. Children's Church will resume at a later date.

Flower Ministry

The flowers which grace the Holy Altar today are given to the Glory of God and in honor of Lily and Kempton Meetze by Tracy and Kevin Meetze.

Our Christian Sympathy

We would like to express our heartfelt sympathy to **Sandra Hinson** and family upon the death of her sister, **Linda Williamson Timmons.**

Escape

July 18th August 1st, 15th & 29th

Join us for "Escape", which is a time of fellowship and devotion. We will meet outdoors on the playground side, unless weather forces us indoors, from 5:00 to 6:00.

3rd Grade Bibles

If you have a 3rd grader who you would like to receive a Bible during our **Christian Education Sunday Service on August 22nd**, please notify Ashley Anderson or the church office no later than **August 13th**.

Nursery Coordinator

We are looking to hire a nursery coordinator! If you or someone you know is interested in or would like to find out more about this position, please contact Ashley Anderson at 678-300-0029 or ashley.poppell@gmail.com.

NEW Study Coming

"Talking to God"

Join us for a 4-week study on prayer and talking to God. We will meet in the Seekers Classroom from **6:00 - 7:00pm on Monday** nights in August (**August 2, 9, 16, 23**). This class is free but please contact Jim at jimmagann@gmail.com to sign-up.

Special Thanks

We'd like to pass along a special thank you to our **Family Ministries and Staff Parish** committees of Salem for hosting and planning our farewell and welcome receptions. A lot of hard work and preparations have gone into these events and we are thankful to those who gave of their time to ensure the success of these special occasions.

SOUND BOOTH

We are looking for a few people who would be willing and would like to assist in the Sound Booth on Sunday Mornings during Worship. You may work as many or as few Sundays per month as you would like and will not miss any part of worship in the process. If you would like to learn the system and be on a rotation, please contact Jim at jimmmagann@gmail.com.

Sharing God's Love

Our current needs: tea, small bags of sugar & grits, coffee, peanut butter and jelly, breakfast bars, baking mixes and pancake mix, king and queen bedding, new large size underwear (2X & up), children sock-all sizes.

Drop off containers are located in each Sunday School Room, Church Office lobby and in the hallway next to the Fellowship Hall entrance.

170 items were delivered to Sharing God's Love on July 8th.

EVENT

Unity Through Identity. Friday, August 20 6:00PM-9:00PM and Saturday, August 21 9:00AM - 2:00PM. We invite everyone to take part in this special weekend as we welcome Jamie and Donna Winship to Columbia to lead us in "Unity through Identity". Jamie and Donna have spoken all over the country and help people to learn to live fearlessly in their true identities in Christ. This is open to all ages 12 through 112. If you have questions, please contact Jim Magann jimmmagann@gmail.com and please go to www.eventbrite.com and type in the search bar "Unity through Identity" to register. This event is free but registration is needed in order to have a count for lunch, which is provided, and seating. The event will be held at Reconciliation Ministries at 3120 Kay Street, Columbia, SC.

Streaming Service

Beginning this Sunday, July 18, we will no longer include slides of the Order of Worship on the streaming service. If you would like to have the Order to follow, please contact Marie at smethodist@aol.com to be added to the bulletin email list.

THIS WEEK AT SALEM

Sunday, July 18

8:30 A.M. Outside Worship
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship
5:00 P.M. Escape
5:00 P.M. Youth Group

Monday, July 19

6:00 P.M. Bible Study

Tuesday, July 20

7:00 P.M. AA Meeting

Wednesday, July 21

7:00 A.M. AA Meeting
7:00 A.M. Prayer Meeting

Thursday, July 22

7:00 P.M. AA Meeting

Saturday, July 24

7:00 P.M. AA Meeting

Sunday, July 25

8:30 A.M. Outside Worship
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship

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>

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday
8:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon 1:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.
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OUR MINISTRY TEAM

Jeff Childress — Pastor
Ashley Anderson — Children's Ministries
Sarah Bridges — Director of Music
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