

Salem United Methodist Church

1321 Salem Church Road
Irmo, South Carolina 29063
Established 1873



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*The color red is used today as a festive representation of
the Spirit Life during the Sundays following Pentecost.*

PRELUDE

*CHIMING OF THE HOUR and WELCOMING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

***CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP 2145** *I've Got Peace Like a River*
"I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river, I've got
peace like a river in my soul. I've got peace like a river, I've got
peace like a river, I've got peace like a river in my soul."

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Come and worship! Be still and aware of God's presence
within and around you.

**We gather to be still and know the presence of the Triune God,
the Father to whom we come, the Son through whom we come,
the Spirit by whom we come.**

*PRAYER OF APPROACH

Let us pray:

**God, for everything there is a time, and time is now our most
precious commodity. Our clocks are always running from birth
to death: We are like Martha, with our long to-do lists. Slow us
down Lord, and for now simply remind us that only one thing is
needed, that we be still before you and know that you are God.
Amen.**

*HYMN 451

Be Thou My Vision

A TIME OF PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERTORY

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

*DOXOLOGY 95

ANTHEM

Together We Serve

INTRODUCTION TO THE LESSON

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Luke 10:38-42

THE CHILDREN'S MOMENT

We invite children of all ages to come forth for the children's moment.

*HYMN 433

All Who Love and Serve Your City

PROCLAMATION

"Worrisome Distractions"

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 887

Affirmation from Romans 8:15,37-39

Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation
or distress, or persecution or famine, or nakedness or peril or
sword?

**No! In all things we are more than conquerors through the One
who loved us. We are sure that neither death nor life, nor
angels, nor principalities, nor things present, nor things to
come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in
all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in
Christ Jesus our Lord. Thanks be to God! Amen.**

*HYMN OF RESPONSE 399

Take My Life, and Let It Be

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE

*WE FOLLOW THE LIGHT OF CHRIST INTO THE WORLD

*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. **Bold titles**
indicate congregation participation.*

A Welcome to our Guests!

*We are honored that you are worshipping 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!*

Church on the Lake

July 17, 2022

8:30 Worship

Gathering Time and Music

Welcome and Grace of Hospitality

Opening Prayer

***Song 1** *Be Thou My Vision*

1. Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart; naught be all else to me, save that thou art. Thou my best thought, by day or by night, waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.

2. Be thou my Wisdom, and thou my true Word; I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord; Thou and thou only, first in my heart, Still be my Vision, O Ruler of all.

3. Great God of heaven, my victory won, may I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's Sun! Heart of my heart, whatever befall, still be my vision, O Ruler of all.

***Song 2** *All Who Love and Serve Your City*

1. All who love and serve your city, all who bear its daily stress, all who cry for peace and justice, all who curse and all who bless.

2. In your day of loss and sorrow, In your day of helpless strife, honor, peace, and love retreating, Seek the lord, who is your life.

3. In your day of wrath and plenty, wasted work and wasted play, call to mind the word of Jesus, "work ye yet while it is day."

4. For all days are days of judgment, and the lord is waiting still, drawing near to all who spurn him, offering peace from Calvary's hill.

5. Risen Lord! Shall yet the city be the city of despair? Come today, our judge, our glory; be its name, "the Lord is there!"

Scripture Reading Luke 10:38-42

Message "Worrisome Distractions"

Offering

***Song 3** *Take My Life, and Let It Be*

1. Take my life, and let it be consecrated, Lord, to thee. Take my moments and my days; let them flow in ceaseless praise. Take my hands, and let them move at the impulse of thy love. Take my feet, and let them be swift and beautiful for thee.

2. Take my voice, and let me sing always, only, for my King. Take my lips, and let them be filled with messages from thee. Take my silver and my gold; not a mite would I withhold. Take my intellect, and use every power as thou shalt choose.

3. Take my will, and make it thine; it shall be no longer mine. Take my heart, it is thine own; it shall be thy royal throne. Take my love, my Lord, I pour at thy feet its treasure-store. Take myself, and I will be ever, only, all for thee.

*Blessing and Sending Forth

*Post-Service Music

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FELLOWSHIP TIME

Come early (8:15am) 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 9:30am and Sunday Worship Services in our sanctuary at 10:30am at Salem United Methodist Church at the corner of Hwy. 6 and Salem Church Road in Irmo, SC.

Rev. Jeff Childress

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

Name: _____
Address: _____
Phone: _____

STEWARDSHIP AND ATTENDANCE

Week of July 10, 2022

Needed each week to fund unified budget \$13,941.58

Unified budget received \$9,585.00

Needed to meet budget year to date (Inclgd. bldg. fund) \$390,364.24

Unified budget received year to date (Inclgd. bldg. fund) \$324,503.00

Attendance	On Line Viewing
Worship 157 Sunday School 35	134

PLEASE PRAYERFULLY REMEMBER:

Brookdale — Mary Skenes

Embrace Hospice House — Bill Oswald

Generations of Irmo — Carolyn Brower,

Joyce Cook, Dot Corley, Anita Weed

Harbison Shores — Mary Catherine Bickley Erskine

Lexington Extended Care — Ray Keith

Lowman Home Rehab — Bob Davis, Gwen Parnell

Tyborne UCP — Jessica Gore

Special Prayers — Faye Derrick, Leroy Gibson,
Lee McMillan, Margie Oswald, Terry Waites, Ed Thomas

ASSISTING IN WORSHIP TODAY:

Ushers: Lead – Ted Hornsby

Sound Booth: Greg Mayer

Trustee: Mike Haas

Acolyte: Molly Kate Vyskocil

Nursery: Sheri Hood, Maggie Brewton

The nursery will be available during the 10:30 worship hour.

Flower Ministry

The flowers which grace the Holy Altar today are given to the Glory of God by Randy and Natalie Hilliard in celebration of their 40th wedding anniversary.

Church on the Lake is Back!

Our Church on the Lake service at Woodmen of the World, 2000 Johnson Marina Rd., Chapin, is in full swing and will run through September 25th. Join us at 8:30 am for our service. We look forward to worshipping with you there! Rain or shine!

Ongoing Ways to Support the Church

If you are interested in assisting Pastor Jeff with the sacrament of **holy communion**, we encourage your participation and ask you to place your name on the sign-up sheet located in the Welcome Center. Pastor Jeff will contact you prior to your participation to ensure you are adequately prepared. The **flower calendar** is also located in the Welcome Center. Cost is \$95 for two arrangements and is a thoughtful way to honor or memorialize someone special. The arrangements are yours to take following the service. If you would like to donate the flowers, they will be arranged into several different vases to be delivered to shut-ins and the sick.

"Y'all Come Choir "

Do you love to sing but just can't commit to weekly choir practice during the school year? **Summer Choir** is perfect for you!!! Every Sunday during the Summer (June 12 - Aug. 28) we will meet in the Choir room on Sunday mornings at 10am to practice the hymns and a short Anthem. You do not need any choir experience to come and sing. All you need is to have a positive attitude to make a joyful noise to the glory of God!

Ladies Lunch Bunch

Ladies if you'd like to get together for fellowship time over lunch, meet us on **July 25 at 11:30 at Miyo's** at 1220 Bower Parkway.

Sharing God's Love

Our current needs:

Pancake Syrup, Jelly, Oatmeal, Grits, Tea, Small Coffee, Juice, Flour, Sugar, Pasta Dinners, Pasta Sauce, Boxed Baking: Cornbread, Cake Mix, Frosting, Ravioli, SpaghettiOs (Lunch Can), Elbow Pasta, Boxed Pasta Dinners (No Mac 'n Cheese please) Baked Beans, SNACKS: Granola Bars, Trail Mix, Raisins, Lance Crackers and Chips.

Immediate Needs:

Face Masks, King & Queen Size Linens (new or gently used), Grocery Bags and School Supplies

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

247 items were delivered to Sharing God's Love on July 11th.

Sound Booth Volunteers

Salem UMC is looking for volunteers to run the Sound Booth during Sunday Worship services and possibly occasional funerals. If you are interested in learning how to run everything in the booth, please contact Jim Magann at jimmagann@gmail.com. We now have a new streaming system that is so much simpler to use that you don't even have to do anything to run it. All you do is control the cameras and sound. It's that simple!! We would love to have you involved in the life of the church in this way of service.

Lexington Medical Center's Mobile Mammography Van

SUMC is proud to again partner with Lexington Medical Center's Mobile Mammography Van on **Wednesday, August 24th** from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. to provide safe and convenient 3-D mammograms for our community. To schedule an appointment and complete registration, **call 803-791-2486**, and select option #1. Screening will be filed through your insurance. Please contact Jennifer Hodges at 865.437.7950 if you have any questions.

Sermon Notes

THIS WEEK AT SALEM

Sunday, July 17

8:30 A.M. Church on the Lake
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship

Monday, July 18

10:30 A.M. Staff Meeting

Tuesday, July 19

6:45 A.M. Youth White Water Center
7:00 P.M. AA Meeting

Wednesday, July 20

7:00 A.M. AA Meeting

Thursday, July 21

6:00 P.M. Women's Bible Study
7:00 P.M. AA Meeting

Saturday, July 23

7:00 P.M. AA Meeting

Sunday, July 24

8:30 A.M. Church on the Lake
9:30 A.M. Sunday School
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship
6:00 P.M. Community Outreach Zoom Meeting

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
P. J. Garrett — Director of Children's Ministries
Sarah E. High — 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