

Do you confess Jesus Christ as your Savior and put your whole trust in him?

Will you nurture this child in Christ's holy church, that by your teaching and example she may come to accept God's love and salvation for herself and to lead a Christian life?

I ask the congregation:

Do you 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 Emma in your prayers and care?

With God's help we will proclaim the good news and live according to the example of Christ. We will surround Emma with a community of love and forgiveness, that she may grow in her service to others. We will pray for her that she may be a true disciple who walks in the way that leads to life.

Sharon, as Emma's mentor you will play a primary role in this congregation's efforts to fulfill our Christian responsibility as a community of faith. Will you accept this responsibility to lead our congregation in fulfilling its baptismal vow? *With God's help, I will.*

Craig, as Caleb's mentor you will play a primary role in this congregation's efforts to fulfill our Christian responsibility as a community of faith. Will you accept this responsibility to lead our congregation in fulfilling its baptismal vow? *With God's help, I will.*

Let us join together in reaffirming the faith into which we were baptized as contained in the Scriptures:

Do you believe in God the Father?

I believe in God the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Do you believe in Jesus Christ?

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried;

On the third day he rose from the dead, he ascended into heaven, is seated at the right hand of the Father, and will come again to judge the living and the dead.

Do you believe in the Holy Spirit?

*I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,
the fellowship of the saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.*

Act of Baptism

Now it is our joy to welcome our new sister in Christ.

Through baptism you are incorporated by the Holy Spirit into God's new creation and made to share in Christ's royal priesthood. We are all one in Christ Jesus. With joy and thanksgiving we welcome you as a member of the family of Christ.

Members of the household of God, I commend Emma to your love and care. Do all in your power to increase her faith, confirm her hope, and perfect her 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, and our service, that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.

Hymn *"Child of Blessing, Child of Promise"* No. 611, Vs. 3-4
Red Hymnal

Proclamation

The Ministry of Music *"I Was Glad When They Said"* Senior Choir
Bass: Travis Worth

Children's Time

Scripture Reading *Exodus 16:2-15*

*Hymn *"In the Midst of New Dimensions"* No. 2238 Black Hymnal

Sermon *Turning Back* Rev. Jack Stubbs

Response

Sung Call to Prayer *"Jesus, Remember Me"* No. 488 Red Hymnal
*Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.
Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.*

Sharing our Joys and Concerns for Congregational Prayer

Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Sung Close to Prayer *"Jesus, Remember Me"* No. 488 Red Hymnal
Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.
Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.

Offertory

Doxology *"For the Fruits of This Creation"* (tune: 688)
For the harvests of the Spirit, thanks be to God; for the good we all inherit,
thanks be to God; for the wonders that astound us, for the truths that still
confound us, most of all, that love has found us, thanks be to God.

Prayer of Dedication

Sending Forth

*Hymn *"Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken"* No. 731, Vs. 1-3
Red Hymnal

Community Time

Announcements and Sharing

*Benedictional Hymn *"Glorious Things of Thee are Spoken"* Vs. 4
Blest inhabitants of Zion, washed in our Redeemer's blood;
Jesus. Whom our souls rely on, makes us monarchs, priests of God.
Us, by his great love, he raises, rulers over self to reign,
And as priests his solemn praises we for thankful offering bring.

*Postlude

*** Indicates for those who are able, please stand.**

Nursery care is available for children 4 years of age and younger during the worship service. Ushers can assist you with your nursery needs and its location. There is also a Cry Room available for your use. Large print and children's bulletins are available from the ushers.

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THIS WEEK AT SALEM

SUN., September 21

9:00 am Worship-F
10:30 am Sunday School-F
10:45 am Worship-L
12:00 pm UMW Unit Meeting-F
3:00 pm Open House at Rev.
 Jack & Laura Jean's
 Home through 5:00pm
6:00 pm Disciple 4-F

(Wednesday continued)

6:00 pm Chimes-F
7:00 pm Choir-F
7:00 pm Lay Leaders-F
7:30 pm Multi-Media Team-F

THURS., September 25

6:00 pm Bible Study-F
7:00 pm Dartball-F

MON., September 22

10:00 am Staff Meeting-F
6:00 pm Youth Task Force-F
6:00 pm UMW-F
7:00 pm SPRC-F

SAT., September 27

5:30 pm Worship-F

SUN., September 28

9:00 am Worship-F
9:30 am Sunday School-L
10:30 am Sunday School-F
10:45 am Worship-L

WED., September 24

9:30 am Bible Study-F
12:05 pm Prayer Service-F