

SALEM  CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS
OCTOBER 29 & 30, 2011

WELCOME TO SALEM and to the services of God's house and the fellowship of this congregation. We hope that you will be both comforted and challenged by the Word of God today. If you are new to our community, we hope you will consider making this your church home. If you are already a member, be sure to extend a friendly greeting to those around you. **Visitors and members** please list your name, address and phone on the attendance sheet. Join us for Sunday School, offering opportunities for all ages (9:30-Lamartine & 10:15-FdL).

PRAYER CONCERN

- † Sympathy to Laura Jean & Rev. Jack Stubbs & the Deming family, Laura Jean's mother, Mirabel passed away. Memorial service - Nov. 19, Cargill UMC, Janesville; visitation 10:00am- service 11:00
 - † Natalya Rager & her father in Russia, prayers
 - † Lynn Kottke's stepmom, Mary Lee Eckert, Hospice
 - † Kerry Sheridan, recovering, knee surgery, prayers
 - † Bruce Seibel, recovery going well, prayers
 - † Eden Marie, Yngsdal's great-granddaughter, Still in hospital, had setback, continued prayers
 - † Carol Potratz, daughter-in-law of Ruth Potratz, brain cancer, treatments, prayers
 - † Becky, Jenifer Corbin's sister, lung cancer, prayers
 - † Danny, Doris Haag's grandson, continued prayers
- *ALL OTHER UNSPOKEN PRAYER CONCERNS***

PRAYERS FOR OUR SHUT-INS

St. Francis: Geraldine Sasada **Walnut Grove:** Gerald Palmer
Woodlands: Linda Commo, Elmer & Mildred Wohler
Lutheran Home: Florence Meyer, Elda Hankwitz, Sally Thome
Home: Jane Buck, Charles Westphal, Howard Bertz

PRAYERS FOR THOSE SERVING IN THE MILITARY

Chris Klebs, husband of Heidi Klebs
 Eric Pease, son of Joe & Dorene Pease
 William Burgdorf, son of Rick & Lee Burgdorf
 Chad Quandt, son of Richard & Kathy Quandt
 Andrew Schmidt & David King, nephews of Catherine Mingus
 David Proffen, nephew of Dorene Pease

YOUNKERS COMMUNITY DAYS - Friday, Nov. 11 & Saturday, Nov. 12 - Great Savings on TWO days! Salem members and friends are asked to help sell coupons. They are \$5.00 each and *Salem keeps 100% of the dollars raised from the sale.* All you have to do is pick-up some packets and sell them to family, friends, coworkers, etc. Here's your chance to help Salem without much effort and everyone benefits. Each booklet includes coupons, percentage off coupons and bonus buys to use throughout Youngers. Booklets are offered before and after services or from the church office. Get yours today!

BOOKS BETWEEN BITES will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 8 at 12:10pm at Salem-FdL. This is a great opportunity to hear a book review on your lunch hour. Bring a lunch; beverages available. *Unbroken: A World War II Story of Survival, Resilience and Redemption* by Laura Hillenbrand. Reviewer is Michael Mentzer, managing editor of The Reporter.



FAMILY MINISTRY FUN TIME! Sunday, November 13 from 3:00-5:00pm at the Cunningham's Home (W8951 Hwy 23-7 miles west of 41). Activities for all ages... roast marshmallows, make s'mores, play games, talk and sing around the campfire. Bring your chairs/blankets to sit on. Contact Julie in the church office if you need a ride; we will car pool as needed. If the weather does not cooperate, we'll have *Family Ministry Fun Time* in Fellowship Hall at Salem-FdL.

SALEM SERVES LOAVES & FISHES on Wednesday, November 16 at Church of Peace. We need help serving; especially clean-up. If you can help, it would be appreciated. A sign-up sheet is on board in the entrance area. If you're on the Loaves & Fishes team, please donate \$10.00 for the serving date. Anyone may help by donating toward this local mission; just mark your gift Loaves & Fishes.

ASTOP SPEAKER AT SALEM - Linda Selk-Yerges, Director of ASTOP Sexual Abuse Center, will be a guest speaker on Tuesday, Nov. 15 in Fellowship Hall at 7:00pm. She will be speaking on Sexual Assault in the FdL area and what ASTOP does in the community. This event is sponsored by Circle of Love and is **OPEN TO EVERYONE** at Salem UMC.

GATHERING TOGETHER... The United Methodist Women of Salem will gather together at 12:00 noon on Sunday, November 13 for lunch, followed by the Thank Offering Program. You are invited to join us!

16th Annual Salem Men's Fellowship



Chili Supper

Saturday, November 12th at Salem-FdL

Come and enjoy chili and all the fixin's!

Featuring Kosloske Chili & Other Gourmet Soups
 Individual \$6.00 (under 6 yrs. Free); Family \$22.00

Take-outs available!

Tickets available in the church office or from Salem Men's Fellowship members.

WORLD COMMUNITY DAY-November 4 at 1:30pm at Church of Peace. Please join us for a time of worship and fellowship. All women are invited.

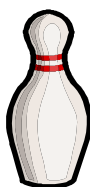
MORNING GLORY CIRCLE will gather on Thursday, November 3 at 9:15am at Salem-FdL. Hostess is Sue Williams. A field trip to visit the new Just Fare Market, an equal exchange market, will follow the fellowship time. Members and friends are invited.

APPLE HARVEST YARD SIGNS ~ if you have a sign, please bring it back. There is box located by the office to place it in.

SALEM AD SPONSOR FOR OCTOBER

Catherine Mingus

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!



YF (1st-6th graders) Harvest Bowling

Party! Join us from 1:00-3:00pm on Sunday, November 20 at Ledgeview Lanes. Cost is \$6 a person for three games and shoes. Snacks and soda will be provided. If interested in attending, contact

Becky at 921-8605 or rebecca.towne@att.net. Permission slip will be needed to attend.

BISHOP'S FALL RETREAT FOR CLERGY AND

LAITY - Please join Bishop Linda Lee for a retreat on Saturday, November 12 from 9:00am-3:30pm at the Kalahari Resort, Wisconsin Dells. Together we'll explore the idea of "Beloved Community." What does it mean to live as a Beloved Community? Who belongs? How can we shift focus from "ME" to "WE" thinking? Cost is \$15 (includes lunch). For more info or how to register, contact Shelly in the church office.

BEAUTIFUL 2012 CALENDARS ~ SUM Youth is selling calendars and note pads after church services. Calendars are \$7 each and the note pads are \$2 each. Help sponsor the youth! If you have any questions or would like to help sell please contact Becky in the office or rebecca.towne@att.net.

YOUR FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Giving Needed for October (5 weeks):	\$33,505.00
Received through October 16 (3 weeks):	\$14,801.27
Giving Needed for Sept. (4 weeks):	\$26,804.00
Received through Sept. 25 (4 weeks):	\$20,226.19
MISSION GIVING (As of October 16)	
October - CWS Blankets	\$531.00
MILE OF PENNIES	4,215 feet

LYRIC OPERA OF CHICAGO TRIP on Friday, January 20, 2012 for the performance of "The Magic Flute" by Mozart's at 2:00pm. For all the trip info please see posters on boards and on table in office area or at www.salemchurch.com.

S.U.M. YOUTH NIGHT ~ we'll gather together in fellowship at Salem-FdL on Friday, November 18 from 6:00-9:00pm. We'll play games and have a Bible Study. Bring a friend or two! Permission slips needed to attend. Please RSVP to Becky at church or rebecca.towne@att.net.

CROP WALKERS please turn in your envelopes and money to Alma Grace by November 7. Thank you for taking part in this worthwhile event and for turning your money in promptly.

THE 9TH ANNUAL DONUTS FUNDRAISER FOR RED CROSS is here. The sale benefits Disaster Services in FdL County. Orders for delicious Bob & Bonnie's Donuts will be taken until November 1. Orders must be picked up on November 11 from 6:30-11:30am at the Main Street Fire Station. To order, call MarJean Buck at 922-3146 or Red Cross office 922-3450 or online www.newredcross.org.

VOLUNTEERS FOR NOVEMBER 6TH

Ushers: Sue Gerritson, Tammy Immel
Cassie Immel, Mackenzie Immel

Greeters: Alma Grace, Jean Zuelke

Liturgist: Harold Barfknecht

Sound: Alexa Bertz, Luke Rankin

Acolytes: Matthew Riley, Joseph Voight

Nursery: Lois Farina, Mitchell Riley

CARDS! CARDS! CARDS! Be sure to stop in Fellowship Hall and check out the new cards for Thanksgiving and Christmas (also birthday, anniversary, etc). Cards available individually or by the box (please don't take cards from closed boxes).

ADVENT STUDY OFFERED ~ *Christmas Gifts That Won't Break* by James W. Moore. For a description of study please see November newsletter or contact Julie in the office. Study will be held at Salem-FdL on Wednesdays, 10:00-11:30am; starting November 30 **OR** Thursdays, 6:00-7:30pm; starting December 1 and will be led by Julie Francis. Cost is \$7.00.

Advent Bible Study Registration Form

To reserve your spot, complete this form and drop it in the offering plate or mail or drop off at the church office by Sunday, November 13.

_____ **Wednesdays, 10:00-11:30am at Salem-FdL**

_____ **Thursdays, 6:00-7:30pm at Salem-FdL**

Name _____

Phone _____