Lumberjack Days Parade Float

We're looking for people to help make our parade float a success. We need members to help us decorate the float and prepare water bottles on July 20th at 10 am, and we need people to walk and/or ride in the parade on July 21st. Check out the sign-up sheets in the church entry or email Pastor Wolfe (rwolfe@salemlutheran.org) if you are able to help. We are also in need of people to help pick up water bottles from Sam's Club. If you have a truck and/or trailer, please talk to Pastor Wolfe right away. If you're ready to volunteer, grab a t-shirt from the table in the narthex. See you there!

Community Meal with the Connect Center

The Salem Caring Committee and Outreach Committee have volunteered to provide a community meal on Friday,

July 26, 5:30 pm-7 pm. The Connect Center in Stillwater has asked churches in the area to do this on the last Friday of each month. This is a collaborative effort to provide healthy and delicious community meals.



Call Meeting and Quarterly Meeting

Salem will hold our next quarterly meeting after worship on July 28th. We will extend another call for associate pastor. All members are encouraged to stay for the meetings.

Stillwater Summer Tuesdays

Join the Fun at Stillwater Summer Tuesdays! A huge thank you to Jane Grobe for organizing supplies, planning crafts, and coordinating volunteers. We still need a few more volunteers for July and August. Enjoy live music, food trucks, and a movie while sharing information about our church and school. If you're interested, talk to Jane Grobe or email igrobe@salemlutheran.org.

Blood Drive in August

SIGN UP NOW to donate blood at Salem Lutheran Church

DATE: August 12 TIME: 1 – 6 pm LOCATION: Gymnasium

Sign up online via the Red



<u>Cross website</u> or contact Laura Gruetzmacher at 651-491-5988 and she can guide you through the process to sign

Salem Social Group Outing

The Salem Social Group plans to attend the "Bright Star" musical at The Art Barn in Osceola, WI on Sunday, August 11, at 2 PM. Tickets are \$15. We have a block of 25 reserved. A signup sheet is on the information table in the narthex. The deadline to sign up is July 14. Payment to Idella Staab. Her contact is 715-338-5297 or stbchec@somtel.net.

Tuesday Morning Bible Study

Our Tuesday morning Bible study on the book of Revelation has almost overgrown our meeting space in the fireside room. We invite more members to attend and put us over the top so we have to find a new place to meet! The group meets every Tuesday morning at 10:15am.

July Food Drive for the Food Shelf

Salem's Caring Committee is sponsoring a food drive in July for the local food shelf. They are in need of nonperishable food items and always in need of personal items. They especially welcome monetary gifts so they can purchase what's most needed them-



selves. Thank you for helping us share the love and charity of Jesus!

Gifts Sought for New Mower

After many years of faithful service, Salem's trusty old lawn mower needs to be replaced. If members would like to make a special offering to help us purchase this much-needed piece of equipment you are invited to mark an envelope clearly and put your gift in the offering plate or bring it into the church office. Thank you to everyone who cares for our lawns and our lawnmowers!

Salem Scholarship Fund

Support Salem's Scholarship Fund! This year, three of our members are receiving scholarships matched by MLC. Your contributions to this fund not only support their education but also help reduce the strain on our general fund. Join us in making a difference—direct your offering to the scholarship fund today!

Before Care Supervisor Needed

Salem School is in need of a supervisor for our beforecare program for next school year. For more details, email rklatt@salemlutheran.org.

Help Wanted for 2024-2025 School Year

Join us in the lunchroom for the 2024-2025 school year! If you're interested in learning more about working with us, contact Lynn Jay at lunch@salemlutheran.org. Available positions are:

Food Service Aide - This position performs routine servicelevel duties to assist with food preparation, serving, and clean up of the lunchroom and school kitchen.

Food Service Assistant Manager- This position supervises and coordinates the activities of workers engaged in receiving, preparing, cooking, and serving food in the school lunchroom.

New Scoreboard Needed

This past spring, some of the lights on the gymnasium scoreboard burned out. We will be fundraising during the school year to cover the cost, but welcome any additional donations if members wish to give to the new scoreboard. Thank you for your continued support.

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Ministry Support

God blessed Salem with offerings this past week of \$24,687.20 for Current Expenses and \$1,390.15 for Missions. We pray God leads us to generous giving. You can give digitally if you prefer at salemlutheran.org/donate.

THIS WEEK AT SALEM

Sun, 7/14 9:00 am Worship with Communion

10:15 am Summer Bible Study

Tues, 7/16 8:15 pm Salem Softball at Lily Lake Park

Thurs, 7/18 6:30 pm Bible Basics Study

Fri, 7/19 Funeral for Charlie Danner

Sat, 7/20 9:00 am Parade Float Decorating and

Water Bottle Prep

5:00 pm Worship

Sun, 7/21 9:00 am Worship

11:00 am Lumberjack Days Parade



In Our Prayers

- ♣ For opportunities and words to serve others and share our Savior of grace with them.
- ♣ For thanksgiving for all the Salem members who contribute to our church in so many ways.
- † For blessing on those who are homebound or suffering in mind or body.

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