#### **Trunk or Treat on October 27**

Bring the whole family to Salem for Trunk or Treat on October 27, from 4-6 PM! Kids can dress up in their favorite costumes and go from car to car collecting candy in a safe and fun environment. Our parking lot will be filled with decorated trunks, games, and plenty of treats! We're also going to be collecting donations for Valley Outreach. So bring your favorite non-perishable food to trade for a free hotdog and chips.



### **Guest Speaker from Kingdom Workers - Next Sunday**

Next Sunday, Coral Cady-Metcalfe from Kingdom Workers will share about the impact WELS members are making on both physical and spiritual needs around the world. They empower their staff and volunteers to share the good news of Jesus while addressing both the physical and spiritual needs of people around the world. From Jesus Cares and Builders for Christ to foster care support, health care, and providing clean water, Kingdom Workers offers a wide range of volunteer opportunities to help those in need. Join use to learn more about how to volunteer and support this incredible ministry.

### **Lawnmower Auction**

Thanks to generous donations from our members, our church was able to purchase a new mower that, Lord willing, will serve us for many years to come. Members interested in purchasing the old mower (a Hustler zero-turn) are invited to participate in a sealed bid auction. Envelopes will be available at the Connection Center along with details about the mower. To submit a bid, please fill out a bid form and place it in a sealed envelope. The envelope can be turned in to church office staff, or placed in the counter safe. Please direct any questions about the mower to Salem handyman Gordie Erickson.

(gerickson@salemlutheran.org) Sealed bids for the mower will be accepted in the church office until November 6 at noon.

# THIS WEEK AT SALEM

Sun, 10/20 8:00 am Worship

9:15 am Bible Study and JAM (Jesus and Me)

10:30 am Worship

Mon 10/21 7:00 pm Community Men's Basketball

Tues, 10/22 10:15 am Tuesday Morning Bible Study 11:30 am Caring Committee

Wed, 10/23 9:00 am Coffee Hour

9:20 am Midweek Chapel

6:15 pm Choir

6:30 pm Catechism Class

7:15 pm Handbells & Men's Chorus

Sat, 10/26 5:00 pm Worship with Communion

6:15 pm Adult & Teen Open Volleyball

Sun, 10/27 8:00 am Worship with Communion

9:15 am Guest Presenter & Sunday JAM (Jesus and Me)

**10:30 am Worship with Communion** 4-6 pm Trunk or Treat

How beautiful on
the mountains
are the feet of
those who bring
good news,
who proclaim peace,
who bring good
tidings,
who proclaim
salvation,
who say to Zion,
"Your God reigns!"





Thank you Pastor Wolfe, for your faithful work

### **Community outreach in October**

Stuff the shelves for Thanksgiving at Valley Outreach! There are a few items that they always need- oil, flour, canned good, toilet paper, etc. They have also made a special ask for snack-type items and menstrual products. The next time you make a grocery run, throw a few favorites into your cart and bring them back to church.

The second drive, starting next week, will be for WELS Christian Aid and Relief. It is an organization that includes several Salem members that travels into disaster areas to provide physical, practical, and spiritual help. Several Salem members traveled to North Caroline last week and the damage and loss of life there are simply devastating. The best, and most direct way to help them is by donating cash. For more information, contact the church office.

# Camp Croix Kickoff at St. Croix Lutheran Academy

Salem members are invited to the launch of Camp Croix's

Secure Futures capital campaign and building project on Saturday, November 2nd. This event will be held at St. Croix Lutheran Academy, and will provide an opportunity to learn about our camp's vision for a new building that will enhance the safety and camp experience for generations to come. Enjoy fellowship, hear from guest speakers, and discover how you can be part of securing the future of Camp Croix. Camp counselors will be on hand to



provide fun and engaging activities for your children, so they'll have a great time too! The event will run from 2-5 pm. Reservations are required. To RSVP or learn more, scan the QR code or go to the event page <a href="mailto:campcroix.org/">campcroix.org/</a> launch.

### **Ministry Support**

God blessed Salem with offerings this past week of \$10,498.20 for Current Expenses and \$640.15 for Missions. We pray God leads us to generous giving. You can give digitally if you prefer at <a href="mailto:salemlutheran.org/donate">salemlutheran.org/donate</a>.

## **Quarterly Congregational Meeting - November 3rd**

Salem will hold its quarterly meeting on November 3 after the late worship service. All members are encouraged to attend.

## **Church Directories Available for Pickup**

Salem's new picture directories are available in the church office. Call the office or just stop in during regular hours to pick up your copy.

### THREE TICKETS LEFT to Les Miserables at the Orpheum

Getting down to the last tickets for Les Mis! Whether you're a longtime fan or seeing it for the first time, it's an incredible production. We will be going to the 7:30 pm show on November 26. Tickets are \$80 for main floor seats. Sign up right away at the Information Center!

## **Call Update**

Pastor Timothy Wagner continues to hold our associate pastor call. Members are invited to contact him at 920-757-4535 or at <a href="mailto:twagner@riverviewlutheran.org">twagner@riverviewlutheran.org</a>.

### **Festival of Seasons Craft and Bake Sale**

Saturday, November 9, 9:00a-3:00p at SCLA. Enjoy some baked goods and a warm mug while you shop. Lots of vendors! Raffle drawing in the afternoon. <u>StCroixLutheran.org/fos</u>



### **In Our Prayers**

- ♣ For the blessing of rest, both physical rest in this world and eternal rest here and in heaven to come.
- For forgiveness and unity among members and families, that we would imitate the love of Christ.
- For families of Salem celebrating weddings, pregnancies, and every stage of family life.

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