

# WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

## SALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH

September 25 - October 1

### Place-sharing

Today's gospel evokes our sympathy. It opens the possibility—described as an impossibility—of place-sharing, trading or sharing places with each other. It also echoes a common theme: the pursuit of wealth in this world can lead us into idolatry and away from faith in Christ. Instead, as the reading from 1 Timothy reminds us, we should pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, and gentleness, so that there is no “poor man named Lazarus” dying at our gates. After all, the greatest treasure—our eternal salvation has already been procured for us through Jesus’ death and resurrection. Knowing this, we can share all we have with our neighbors, even our very place and salvation, confident that God will continue to provide for our needs.



#### THIS WEEKS TEXTS

**Amos 6:1a, 4-7**

**Psalm 146**

**1 Timothy 6:6-19**

**Luke 16:19-31**

#### NEXT WEEKS TEXTS

**Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4**

**Psalm 37:1-9**

**2 Timothy 1:1-14**

**Luke 17:5-10**

Each week we will lift up five church families/members in prayer. We ask that you also remember them in your daily prayers. **THIS WEEK WE WILL PRAY FOR:** Miranda, Sophia, Camdon and Calvin Nelson, Andrew and Derek Nelson, Arlene Nelson, Dr. Charles Nelson, Donna Nelson

**This week the following members will be celebrating their birthdays and we would like to wish them a HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!** Please call the office if you have an upcoming birthday, to ensure we have it in our records. 641.592.1771

25-Jacob Langenbau	26-Ben Stene	29-Konner Rikala
25-Dan Schriever	27-Kristopher Belica	29-Janet Chiu
25- Dalton Thorson	27-Courtney Gulick	30-Paul Sullivan
26-Daniel Rice	28-Hayden Rice	30-Peter Brekken
26-Adam Sauer	28-Randy Anderson	Oct. 1-Jeannie Thompson
	29-Barb Brackey	Oct. 1-Jadyn Hengesteg

### **-WEEKLY GIVING-**

**LAST SUNDAY:** 9/18/22           \$ 3,547

**YEAR-TO-DATE:** 9/19/22       \$ 153,712

**LAST YEAR:** as of 9/19/21      \$ 165,918

**DIFFERENCE YEAR TO DATE:**   \$ - 12,206

**Council Minutes:** Council President Shannon Bruhns will be out of town Sunday, Sept. 25th when Council Minutes are normally included in the announcements and discussed at Coffee Fellowship, she has requested that this be moved out to Sunday, Oct. 2nd. Thank you for your understanding!

**Locked Doors:** Beginning Sunday, Sept. 18th a member of the Board of Property and Management will be responsible for opening the North entrance door, South entrance door, alleyway door (to the kitchen) and the 3 Narthex doors that are not on the time lock system, by 8:00 am on Sundays. There will be a contact list posted at these entrances to call one of those members, should the door(s) be locked when entry is needed. The board member that unlocks these doors is also responsible for re-locking them post worship. Shannon Bruhns - Board of Property and Management facilitator.

**Noisy Offering** is being collected September 25th - October 23rd for the Good Samaritan Ministry here at Salem. This ministry has helped individuals with rent/groceries/fuel, among other critical needs. This ministry follows Jesus' teachings to love one another. Thank you for your contributions!

**Fellowship Breakfast:** is scheduled for Friday, October 7th; 8:00am – 10:00am in the lounge, across from the office. Everyone is welcome! Breakfast will be served until the food runs out or its 10:00am, whichever comes sooner. Breakfast is free. Donations collected will go towards youth activities.



**Card shower:** Violet Kvale will be celebrating her 90th Birthday on October 7th. If you would like to send her a card, please use the address listed below. They ask that you do not send any gifts, but please share a memory.

Valerie Kvale  
803 Hwy 69 South  
Twin Lakes, MN 56089

**Congregational Birthday Party:** The Board of Life and Growth invites everyone to a Congregational Birthday Party on October 16th in the Fellowship Hall, right after worship. This is to honor all of our members birthdays! Grab a cupcake and punch and sit at your birth month table. There will be birthday games and prizes too! Everyone is welcome! It will be fun for all ages!!!



**Prayer Pen Pals:** The Board of Life & Growth is seeking Prayer Pen Pals for 1st graders. This includes sending a letter to a 1st grader and keeping them in your prayers. If you would be willing to do this, please contact Sue Langerud. 641.568.3620

**Volunteers Need:** If you are willing to usher, acolyte, read or sing in the liturgical choir, sign up in the Narthex or call the office. If you would like to learn how to help with sound, monitors or live stream, call the office. Thank you!!!

**Live Stream Sponsorship:** Call the office to reserve your special date. The cost is \$40 per Sunday. **2022 Dates available:** Oct. 30, Nov. 6, Nov. 13

**Salem Office: 641.592.1771**

Mon-Wed: 10am-5pm, Thurs: 10am-3pm, Fri: 10am-4pm

All are invited downstairs after the worship service for fellowship, coffee and a sweet treat. Fellowship is great opportunity to connect with other members of Salem & visitors while students attend Faith Formation & Confirmation. We look forward to seeing you there!

### **SUNDAY 9/25**

9:00am Worship Service-Sanctuary  
 10:00am Fellowship-Fellowship Hall  
 10:00am Faith Formation-Chapel  
 10:00am Confirmation Parent/Student Meeting-Sanctuary

### **MONDAY 9/26**

1:00pm-4:00pm Mission Quilters-Fellowship Hall  
 2:00pm-4:00pm Clothes Closet is OPEN  
 (To schedule a different time, call 641.592.5085)  
 2:30pm-5:00pm Lake Mills Food Shelf is OPEN (101 S. Mill St.)  
 3:15pm Daisies-Room2

### **WEDNESDAY 9/28**

10:00am Adult Bible Study-Fellowship Hall  
 12:00pm Caddetes & HS-Room 2  
 1:30pm Mills Harbour Communion Service  
 2:30pm Lake Mills Care Center Communion Service

### **THURSDAY 9/29**

1:00pm Mills Harbour Bible Study

### **SUNDAY 10/2**

9:00am Worship Service-Sanctuary  
 10:00am Fellowship-Fellowship Hall  
 10:00am Faith Formation-Chapel  
 10:00am Confirmation-Youth Room

### **Pastor Joel Guttormson**

Mon: Off, but on-call

Tues: 10am-Noon, 1pm-5pm (2:30pm Text Study)

Wed: Noon-8:00pm (10am Adult Bible Study, 1:30pm Mills Harbour, 2:30pm LMCC)

Thurs: Noon-8pm (1pm Mills Harbour Bible Study)

Fri: 8am-Noon, 1pm-5pm

Sat: 10am-Noon (service prep)

Sun: 8am-Noon (9am Worship Service, 10am Confirmation)