

Stewardship of Prayer

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This Week at Salado United Methodist Church

Sun., Jul 20	9:00 am Traditional Service in Worship Center 10:00 am Sunday School (Adult, Youth & Children) 11:00 am Band-Led Service in Worship
Mon-Thurs.	7:00-10:00 am Prayer and Meditation in Chapel
Mon., Jul 21	9:30 am Monday Morning Bible Study in Rm 117
Tues., Jul 22	9:00 am Primetimers in YAC
Wed., Jul 23	7:30 am Men's Breakfast in Worship Center 8:30 am Men's Bible Study in Room 118 6:00 pm Youth FourTwelve in the YAC 6:00 pm Handbell Choir in Portable #3 7:00 pm Choir in Chapel
Sun., Jul 27	9:00 am Traditional Service in Worship Center 10:00 am Sunday School (Adult, Youth & Children) 11:00 am Band-Led Service in Worship Center

Attendance: July 13, 2025

In-person: 186
Online: 38
Total: 224

Financial Update

June 2025	Year-to-Date
Inc: \$ 68,656.56	\$ 360,838.58
Exp: \$ 69,909.76	\$ 412,115.07
Diff: \$ -1,253.20	\$ - 51,276.49

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IS THE BIBLE JUST A STORY?

Salado United Methodist Church
Sixth Sunday after Pentecost
July 20, 2025

9:00 am Choir-Led Service

*Stand as you are able
(Our services are live-streamed via YouTube)

Welcome

Introit Briana Frederickson

* Hymn No. 369 “Blessed Assurance” (vs. 1-3)

* Affirmation of Faith No. 889

* Gloria Patri No. 70 “Glory Be to the Father”

Pastoral/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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

* Hymn No. 127 “Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah” (vs. 1-3)

Children’s Sermon Leslie Van Cura
Children preK-4 to 2nd grade may attend Children’s Church in room 124. The nursery is also available for ages 4 and younger. All other children should rejoin their families at this time.

Mission Moment

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

* Doxology No. 95

Special Music “Trust In God” Terry Livingston

Scripture Lesson Matthew 13:34-35

Sermon Paul Corder
“Got Questions? Is the Bible Just a "Story"?"

* Hymn No. 451 “Be Thou My Vision” (vs. 1-3)

* Benediction

* Sending Forth “God Be with You till We Meet Again” (v.1)

We Go Forth To Serve!

11:00 am Band-Led Service

*Stand as you are able
(Our services are live-streamed via YouTube)

* “Holy Water”

Congregational Response

* “Trust In God”

Welcome and Announcements

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Offertory Prayer

Offertory “Goodness of God”

Scripture Lesson Matthew 13:34-35

Sermon Paul Corder
“Got Questions? Is the Bible Just a "Story"?"

* “Same God”

* Benediction

We Go Forth To Serve!

Announcements

* Don’t forget to check-in this morning! Use the “**Check-In**” QR Code to the left or the sign-in sheets located in the atrium and foyer to register your attendance. To use the QR Code, just capture the code with your phone’s camera and it will bring you to the Salado UMC Worship Check-In page. We ask all members and visitors of our services to check in. Thank you for joining us this morning!

* **Join Our Family of Faith:** If you would like more information about becoming a member of Salado United Methodist Church, please scan the QR code to the right.

* **Fellowship meals and the Wednesday Night Study will be on break through August 6.** If you would like to meet in the sanctuary on Wednesday evenings, please contact the office for accommodation.

* **M&M Kids will not meet July 23.**

* **Youth, Choir and Handbells will continue to meet through the summer.** Please check church publications and your emails/texts from activity leaders for any changes.

* The **Young Adults class will be off the rest of July.** They will start a new study, “The Gospel of Mark: A Beginner’s Guide to the Good News” by Amy-Jill Levine on August 6. Contact Morgan at birdmorgan2@gmail.com for more information.

* **Salado Family Relief Project Backpack Bell & Coryell County Communities in Schools & SUMC’s Coats for Kids:** Donate between July 9 - August 3 to help purchase backpacks, school supplies, and assist with other back-to-school related expenses for families in need. The SUMC Local & Foreign Outreach Fund will donate the first \$1,000 to the fundraiser. All additional donations received will be added to the total for distribution.

* **Salado Gathering to pray for peace in our schools, world, country and in our hearts** will take place at 6:00 pm on August 7 in the Salado ISD Administration building at 601 N. Main Street.

* **Sunday altar flowers** can be ordered in honor or memory of a loved one or for a special occasion. On Sunday the flowers are placed on the altar, we will acknowledge the giver/event in the bulletin. The giver may take the arrangement home after the 11 am service or pick up in the office on Monday. Flowers are \$40. Please call the office to schedule a date.