



**AWAKENING 150  
CONTEMPORARY ORDER OF WORSHIP  
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2018  
8:30 A.M.**

\*PRAISE AND WORSHIP WITH SONG  
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS  
\*PASSING THE PEACE  
OPENING PRAYER  
\*PRAISE AND WORSHIP WITH SONGS  
KIDS' TIME  
JOYS AND CONCERNS  
OFFERTORY  
SCRIPTURE  
SERMON  
INVITATION TO PRAY AT THE ALTAR  
\*CLOSING SONG  
\*SENDING FORTH

Matt Carter

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**THIS WEEK AT SALEM**

**TODAY**

8:30 am Awakening 150 Service  
10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Worship Service  
3:30 pm Children's Play Practice - Sanctuary

**MONDAY**

6:00 pm Cub Scouts – Fellowship Hut  
6:30 pm New Fellowship Building Team

**TUESDAY**

7:00 pm Circle #2 – Jo Hatley's home

**WEDNESDAY**

7:00 pm Choir Practice

**SATURDAY**

5:00 pm Daniel Dickens portrayal of Joseph

**SUNDAY**

7:30 am Millingport Men's Club – Hut  
8:30 am Awakening 150 Service  
10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Worship Service  
2:00 pm Youth Groups meet  
3:30 pm Children's Play Practice – Sanctuary  
6:00 pm Family Movie Night - Hut

**WORSHIP LEADERS FOR DECEMBER 2<sup>nd</sup>**

Worship Leader – Pastor Steve  
Greeters – Tim & Angie Bennett  
Acolytes – Peyton & Emerson Plowman  
Head Usher – John Lowder  
Children's Sermon – Audrey Rigsbee  
Communion Servers – Julie, John & Casey Cummings  
Children's Church – Beth Plowman & Kristen Herlocker  
Counters – Nadine Bowers & Rodrigo Luevano  
Flowers – Ted Hatley  
Outdoor Sign – Allen & Jennifer Hatley

**DANIEL DICKENS – December 1<sup>st</sup>**

You are invited to attend a special monodrama portraying Joseph by Daniel Dickens on Saturday, December 1<sup>st</sup> at 5:00 pm at Salem.

**STANLY COMMUNITY CHRISTIAN MINISTRY CUPS – Dec 2<sup>nd</sup>**

“Yellow Cups” have been placed in Sunday School rooms, the Sanctuary, and Church Office. Change collected should be turned in December 2<sup>nd</sup>.

### **LOVE OFFERING – December 2<sup>nd</sup>**

We will receive a love offering next Sunday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>, to help cover the cost of the fruit bags to be given out at the Love Feast.

### **FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT – December 2<sup>nd</sup>**

Everyone is invited to enjoy a Family Movie Night sponsored by the Love Our Lord Youth Group on December 2<sup>nd</sup> at 6 pm in the Hut. “The Star” is the Christmas story told from the animals’ perspective. Popcorn and drinks will be served.

### **POINSETTIAS / FUEL FUND / LUMINARIES – Due December 2<sup>nd</sup>**

If you would like to place a poinsettia (\$12 each), donate to the Fuel Fund in honor or memory of a loved one, or order a luminary (\$5 each), please place money and form in the offering plate or give it to Lisa Almond. Forms are in Sunday School rooms and Sanctuary. Deadline is next Sunday, Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup>.

### **CHRISTMAS CAROLING – December 9<sup>th</sup>**

It is time again to share the joy of the season with others through caroling! Join our fun and happy crowd of Salem Singers as we visit our shut-ins and other special folks to help them celebrate the season with song. We will meet at the church at 2:00 pm on Sunday, December 9th, go caroling for a couple of hours, then come back to enjoy cookies and hot cocoa. Don't think you can sing? Not a problem -- you can come and drive folks around and still get cookies and cocoa. Put it on your calendar now. You don't want to miss it!

### **GIANT CHRISTMAS CARDS FOR SHUT-INS**

The Mission/Outreach Team is sponsoring the Giant Christmas cards again this year. They are on tables in the Sanctuary. Please help our team make this Christmas special by signing the cards.

### **2019 FLOWER LIST**

Please contact the Church Office if you would like to place flowers in the church in 2019. There are several families who have special annual dates reserved, and these people will also need to contact the Office to verify the date.

### **USED SUNDAY SCHOOL BOOKS/UPPER ROOMS**

We are saving our old Sunday School books and Upper Rooms for Jeff Nance to use in the local prison ministry. Please leave books in your Sunday School class or in the basket near the Church Office.

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2018**  
**11:00 A.M.**

PRELUDE: *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty* arr. J. Behnke

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

CHIMING OF "THE TRINITY" (Father, Son, and Holy Spirit)

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING THE PEACE

CALL TO WORSHIP: *Jesus Be Praised*

OPENING PRAYER

\*HYMN OF PRAISE: *Now Thank We All Our God* #102

\*ACT OF PRAISE: Psalm 84: 1-4  
*For the Beauty of the Earth* (vs 1 & 6) #92

CHILDREN'S SERMON Noe Magana

PRAYER CONCERNS & THE LORD'S PRAYER

GIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY: *Give Thanks* arr. J. LeDoux

\*DOXOLOGY: *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow* #95

ANTHEM: *We Gather Together*

SCRIPTURE: Matthew 6: 25-33

SERMON: "**Righteous Before God: A Grateful Heart**"

INVITATION TO PRAY AT THE ALTAR


\*HYMN OF RESPONSE: *Come, Ye Thankful People, Come* #694

\*CHORAL BENEDICTION: *Breathe on Me, Breath of God*

\*PASTOR'S BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE: *Rejoice, the Lord Is King* arr. J. Payne

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## **MEMORIALS**

### ***General Fund***

In memory of Ronnie Hatley & Tracy Gill by Paula Almond

### ***New Fellowship Building Fund***

In memory of Mr. & Mrs. F. G. Drye by Jackie & Evelyn Drye

In memory of Lorna Graves by the Compassionate Friends Sunday School Class

## **THANK YOU**

Jeanette Eudy wishes to thank everyone for the calls, cards, food, visits and especially the prayers recently. It means so much to Jeanette.

Thank you for supporting the love offering of \$502.50 at our Community Thanksgiving Service last Sunday evening. This money will be given for Hurricane Florence Disaster Relief in Eastern North Carolina.

## **TODAY'S WORSHIP LEADERS**

Worship Leader – Sandy Turner                      Head Usher – Randy Almond  
Greeters – Nadine & Allen Bowers  
Acolytes – Brissa Ferrer & Nicole Magana  
Counters – Donna Bowers & Jim Phillips  
Outdoor Sign – Boyd & Vickie Furr

## **WE ARE PRAYING FOR:**

California wild fire victims, drug overdose victims, those who have lost loved ones and family challenges.

Jake & Karen Ash, Emily Austin, Elaine Baily, Ray Bangle, Jr., Loretta Barringer, Joan Bunn, Jeff & Lana Bunting, Lane Burleson family, Jeff Chance and Jeanette Eudy.

Rachel Glazebrook family, Kimberly Goodman, Ray Harwood family, Tim Harwood, John Hewett family, Lavaughn Lowder, Helen Parker, Tim Parker, Alberta Pascrell and Megan Rogers family.

Kaylan Roland, Alice Rothe, Jo Nell Rowland, George Sellner, Katie Turner Severin family, Gary Shaver, Phyllis & Larry Shoe, Ray Shoe, Ann Smith, James Vick, Peggy Wagoner and JoAnn Wing.

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