



AWAKENING 150

CONTEMPORARY ORDER OF WORSHIP

SUNDAY, MARCH 18, 2018

8:30 A.M.

*PRAISE AND WORSHIP WITH SONG

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*PASSING THE PEACE

OPENING PRAYER

*PRAISE AND WORSHIP WITH SONGS

JOYS AND CONCERNS

OFFERTORY

KIDS' TIME

SCRIPTURE: John 12: 20-33

SERMON

INVITATION TO PRAY AT THE ALTAR

*CLOSING SONG

*SENDING FORTH

** Please stand as you are able.*

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WE ARE PRAYING FOR:

Karen Almond, Jake Ash, Randy Barrier, Woody Barringer, Paula Blackman, Amanda Blankenship, Harmony Blankenship, Tommy Blankenship, Brie Bower, James Coleman, Ricky & Sonya Efird, Megan Frick, Jim & Pam Furr.

David Godfrey's grandfather, Larry Van Hatley, Lori Hatley, Ted Hatley, Sarah Helms family, Levi Huneycutt, Ron Janey, Adam Lowder, Jacob Lowder, Jeff Ridenhour and Jerry Roland.

Phyllis Shoe, Ray Shoe, Kane & Chelsea Simmons & baby, Jennings Smith, Steve Smith, Bonnie Lowder Ward, Lonnie & Trudie Whitley, Shelia Whitley, Robert Wing and Tim Wyatt.

WORSHIP LEADERS FOR MARCH 25

Worship Leader – Pastor Steve

Greeters – Marilyn Tucker & Pat Blankenship

Acolytes – Jaquelin & Brissa Ferrer

Head Usher – Rick Johnson

Children's Sermon – Kelley Bigger

Counters – Vickie Hatley & Martha Lowder

Flowers –

Outdoor Sign – Boyd & Vickie Furr

CARD MISSION

Help Elizabeth Harwood celebrate her birthday on March 29th. Cards may be sent to her at:

Stanly Manor

625 Bethany Road

Albemarle, NC 28001

LOVE OUR LORD YARD SALE-March 24th

Please contact Jaycie Almond (704-961-2122) TODAY if you would like to rent a space for the yard sale. Payment may be made at the yard sale. Set-up will begin at 6:00 am, and the sale will be from 7:00-11:00 am. If you would like to donate items for the yard sale, they may be left at the Church Office or in the Fellowship Hut this week. All items not sold will be returned to the owner.

DANIEL DICKENS-March 24th

You are invited to attend a special monodrama portraying Judas by Daniel Dickens this coming Saturday, March 24th at 6:00 pm in the Sanctuary.

KIDS ON A MISSION CROSSES-March 25th

The Kids on a Mission Youth Group are taking orders for wood/twine/nail crosses. They will be available on Palm Sunday, March 25th for \$5 each. Order forms are in the Sanctuary near the bulletins or on the bookcase by the Church Office. Completed orders may be placed in the offering plate or in Julie Cummings' or Kristy Roland's mailbox.

EASTER EGG HUNT-March 31st

Salem's Easter Egg Hunt will be Saturday, March 31st from 10:00-12:00 noon. There will be fun games, hunting eggs and refreshments. Please bring a canned item for Stanly Community Christian Ministries. For more information or to volunteer to help, please contact Miranda McDaniel at 704-244-6542.

COMMUNICATIONS

When driving by the church grounds, it is always interesting to see the message that is posted on the outside sign. We are very fortunate to have such dedicated individuals who perform this function, week after week. A special thank you to: Jaycie Almond, Dan & Carolyn Baucom, Boyd & Vickie Furr and Allen & Jennifer Hatley.

STANLY COMMUNITY CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES LUNCH

The Missions and Outreach Team needs your help. We are cooking and serving lunch at SCCM on Saturday, April 14th from 11:00 to 12:30 for around 100 people. We need volunteers to help cook, serve, and clean up. More details will follow, but please mark your calendars now, as this is an important activity, and we are hoping for many hands to make light work. Please contact Ed Lipe at 704-463-4336 or ed-lipe@carolina.rr.com to sign up.

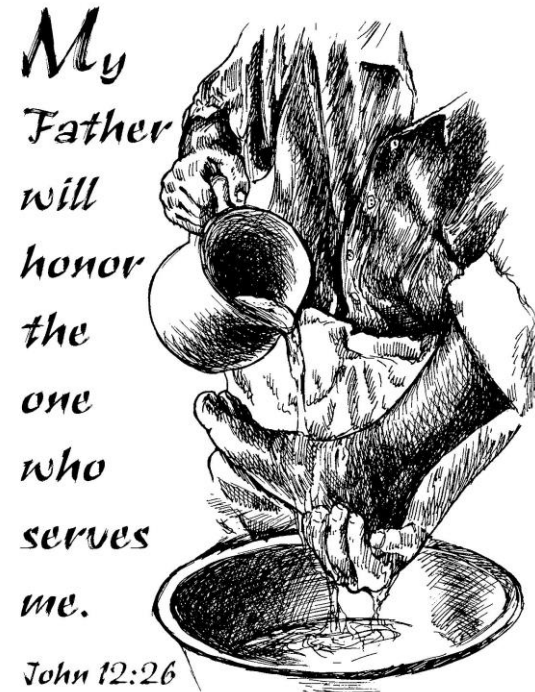
AVAILABLE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

Jeff Nance has a nice hospital bed, lift chair, shower chair and walkers available for anyone who is in need of these items. Please call Jeff at 704-244-1773 for more information.

CHURCH DIRECTORIES

Please see Lisa Almond or stop by the Church Office to pick up a church directory. Extras were ordered and may be purchased for \$12.

It is important to contact the Church Office with any corrections to the information in the directory. These corrections will be listed in the bulletin and upcoming newsletter.



SALEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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ALBEMARLE, NC 28001

704-982-1671

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Website: www.salem4christ.org

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**ORDER OF WORSHIP
UNDAY, MARCH 18, 2018
11:00 A.M.**

PRELUDE: *At the Name of Jesus* arr. D. Wagner

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

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

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CALL TO WORSHIP: *Come, Now Is the Time*

OPENING PRAYER

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I Love to Tell the Story (verse 1) #156

CHILDREN'S SERMON Pastor Steve

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