

11:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

Salem Global Methodist Church

Greeting / Announcements / Birthdays

Litany

Pastor Neill

Songs of Praise:

Ancient of Days

God So Loved

Morning Prayer

Children's Message

Selwyn Shaw

Scripture:

Acts 17:22-31

Sermon:

Pastor Neill

"Too Many Wrong Gods"

Closing Song:

God of Wonders

Sending Forth to Serve

11:00 SONG REQUESTS

The Salem Worship Team wants to thank you for your support as we continue to build up this new group! We are implementing a song request box, located near the offering box on the table near the door. Feel free to write in any song on the papers there that you'd like to hear in worship. Whether we've done it before or not, all requests are welcome, and as many and frequently as you'd like. The box is a permanent fixture. We're here to serve the body and will continue to strive for the best worship experience we can!

LADIES' NIGHT OUT—May 12

Salem's annual Ladies' Night Out is Tuesday, May 12, for all single ladies of the church and community in the Fellowship Building. Social time is at 5:30 pm and dinner at 6:00 pm. Please RSVP to the church office.

2026 HIGH SCHOOL & COLLEGE GRADUATES—May 17

Salem will honor our graduates during the worship services next Sunday. We are excited to celebrate this important milestone in our young people's lives.

FELLOWSHIP MEAL—May 20

The May Fellowship Meal will be on Wednesday, May 20, from 5:00-6:30 pm in the Fellowship Building. The menu will include spiral sliced ham and the trimmings. Our special entertainment, Lee Ward and The Southern Express Band, will provide bluegrass gospel music. All proceeds will go toward the Cemetery Paving Fund. Checks may be written to Salem GMC for contribution purposes. Please come out and help support our cemetery project.

GRADUATION PARTY FOR ERIKA SLONE—May 23

Eric and Jennifer Slone invite you to a drop-in graduation party honoring Erika. Everyone is welcome!

When: Saturday, May 23 from 2-5:00 pm

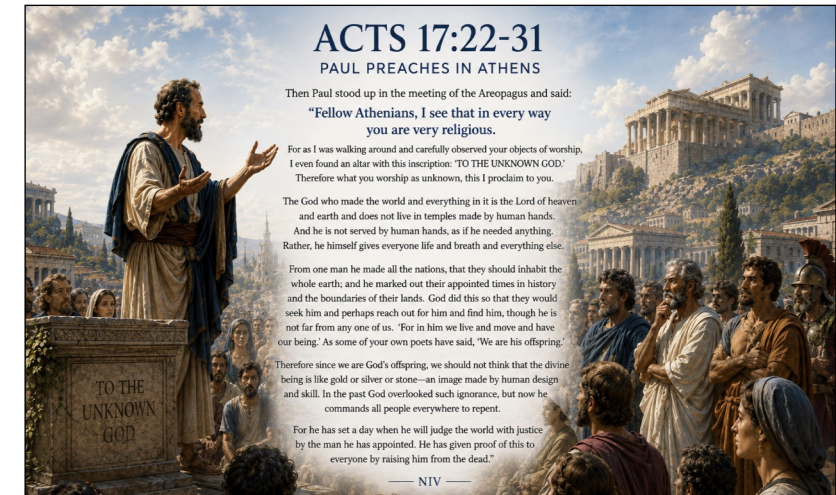
Where: Salem's Fellowship Building

JOYFUL HEARTS TRIP—May 30

The Joyful Hearts will visit the Billy Graham Library and eat lunch on May 30. We need to know how many are going so transportation can be arranged. Please contact Penny Hatley or Lisa Clayton

BACK TO SCHOOL CLOTHING EVENT

Salem will host a clothing giveaway event in July to provide our community children with clothing for school. To do this, we need donations of clean used clothing for students aged preschool through high school. Please bring them to the office or Mission Room for sorting and storage. Hangers and clothes racks are also welcome. For more info call/text Marlys Lipe.



Our Mission:

***"To Know Christ's Love,
To Grow in Christ's Love,
To Share Christ's Love"***

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Michael Lanier, Contemporary Music Leader
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May 10, 2026

9:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

THIS WEEK AT SALEM

PRAYER & PRAISE

Prelude: *Variations on "O Waly Waly"* arr. J. Linker

Welcome / Announcements / Birthdays Robert Lipe

Litany Pastor Neill

Chiming of "The Trinity" (Father, Son, Holy Ghost)

Call to Worship: *There's Something About That Name*

Hymn of Praise: *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling* #384

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Giving of our Tithes and Offering

Offertory: *God, Give Us Christian Homes* arr. L. Gadd

Doxology:
Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow #95

Children's Message Selwyn Shaw

Anthem: *Happy the Home Where God Is* Choir

Scripture:
Acts 17:22-31

Sermon: Pastor Neill
"Too Many Wrong Gods"

Hymn of Response: *Surely the Presence of the Lord* #328

Pastoral Benediction

Choral Benediction: *God of Love*

Postlude: *Hymn of Joy* arr. F. Bock

Today
9:00 am Worship Service-Sanctuary
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship Service-FB

Tuesday, May 12
5:30 pm Ladies' Night Out-FB

Wednesday, May 13
6:00 pm Student Bible Study
6:30 pm Choir Practice

Sunday, May 17
9:00 am Worship Service-Sanctuary
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship Service-FB
12:30 pm Graduate Luncheon-FB
4:30 pm Salem Kids (K-5th)-Hut
6:00 pm Salem Students (MS/HS)-Hut

LOOKING AHEAD

MAY
12 5:30 pm Ladies Night Out-FB
17 12:30 pm Graduate & Family Luncheon-FB
19 6:00 pm Dementia Support Group-Hut
20 5-6:30 pm Fellowship Meal-FB
23 2-5:00 pm Erika Slone's Graduation Party-FB
24 9:00 am Confirmation Sunday
25 Church Office closed
29 Gilbert & Lectie Harwood Scholarship materials due
30 TBA Joyful Hearts to Billy Graham Library

JUNE
6 6-9:00 pm All-Generations Prom-FB

THOSE WHO NEED OUR PRAYERS:

Debby Baker, Teresa Bangle, Pat Blankenship, Danny Bost, Aurelia Brummett, Cindy Efird, Genny Fast, Jim & Pam Furr, Juanita Godfrey Family (David's grandmother), Jo Hatley, Kenneth Hatley (Gary's brother), Kenny Hatley,

Ted Hatley, Valrie Hefty, Derwin Hinson Family, David Hudson, Jamie Isenhour, Roger Lowder, Sarah Palmer Family, Joe Parker, Beth Plowman, Ruby & Robert Rummage, Rommie Sells, Gaynelle Shires, Shelby Shoe, Linda Whitley Family

WELCOME

Welcome to Salem! Whether you are searching for a new church home or just visiting, we pray you feel the warmth of our community and the presence of God. We are so glad you are here!

FLOWERS

The flowers are given in honor of God's Grace and Love by Kenny and Penny Hatley.

DOXOLOGY

During the singing of the Doxology we raise our hand in praise and thanksgiving of how good God is. Please join us as you are able.

YOUTH MISSION TRIP 2026: June 21-27

If you would like to support the mission trip, we are seeking:

1. Prayer Partners: To pray daily for a participant and provide at least one note and a treat.
2. Food Donations for 40 people: elbow noodles, green beans, trail mix, protein/granola bars, snack packs, cereal, instant rice, refried beans, grits. Please let Selwyn know if you are providing any food items.
3. Baked Goods: Homemade cookies and cakes are appreciated. Please contact Selwyn for more information.