

11:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

Salem Global Methodist Church

Greeting & Announcements

Liturgy Pastor Neill

Songs of Praise:
Everlasting God
Holy Spirit

Apostles' Creed

Morning Prayer

Children's Message Selwyn Shaw

Scripture:
Acts 1:1-11

Sermon: Pastor Neill
"The Disciples' Post-graduate Studies"

Closing Song:
Never Once

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!

FELLOWSHIP MEAL-May 20

The May Fellowship Meal will be this 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

GILBERT AND LECTIE HARWOOD SCHOLARSHIP-May 29

Applications are being accepted for the 2026-27 school year. All application materials are due to the Church Office by May 29. Please contact the Church Office or Anne Nance for applications.

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 as soon as possible.

ALL-GENERATION PROM: "UNDER THE STARS" - June 6

All members of the church, including children, are invited to join us for a wonderful night of dancing like King David, snacks and Christian fellowship.

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.



Honoring our Graduates

Our Mission:

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

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Selwyn Shaw, Family Life Coordinator
Audrey Rigsbee, Choir Director
Lisa Hinson, Organist/Pianist
Michael Lanier, Contemporary Music Leader
Lisa Almond, Administrative Assistant

May 17, 2026

9:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

THIS WEEK AT SALEM

PRAYER & PRAISE

Prelude: <i>Rejoice, The Lord Is King</i>	arr. J. Payne
Welcome & Announcements	Andrew Hager
Liturgy	Pastor Neill
Chiming of "The Trinity" (Father, Son, Holy Ghost)	
Call to Worship: <i>Come Holy Spirit, I Need Thee</i>	
Hymn of Praise: <i>Come, Christians, Join to Sing</i>	#158
Apostle's Creed	#881
Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer	
Giving of our Tithes and Offering	
Offertory: <i>He Is Lord</i>	arr. K. Christopher
Doxology:	
<i>Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow</i>	#95
Hymn of Preparation: <i>Crown Him with Many Crowns</i>	#327
Children's Message	Selwyn Shaw
Anthem: <i>Everytime I Feel the Spirit</i>	Choir
Scripture:	
<i>Acts 1:1-11</i>	
Sermon:	Pastor Neill
<i>"The Disciples' Post-graduate Studies"</i>	
Hymn of Response: <i>I'll Fly Away</i>	on screen
Pastoral Benediction	
Choral Benediction: <i>God of Love</i>	
Postlude: <i>Jesus Shall Reign</i>	arr. F. Swann

Today	
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

Tuesday, May 19	
6:00 pm	Dementia Support Group-Hut

Wednesday, May 20	
5-6:30 pm	Fellowship Meal-FB
6:00 pm	Student Bible Study
6:30 pm	Choir Practice

Saturday, May 23	
2-5:00 pm	Drop-in graduation party for Erika Slone-FB

Sunday, May 24	
9:00 am	Worship Service-Sanctuary
10:00 am	Sunday School
11:00 am	Worship Service-FB
4:30 pm	Salem Kids (K-5th)-Hut
6:00 pm	Salem Students (MS/HS)-Hut

LOOKING AHEAD

MAY		
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		Harwood Scholarship materials due
30	TBA	Joyful Hearts to Billy Graham Library

JUNE		
6	6-9:00 pm	All-Generations Prom-FB
7	7:30 am	Millington Men's Club-FB

THOSE WHO NEED OUR PRAYERS:

Debby Baker, Teresa Bangle, Pat Blankenship, Danny Bost, Aurelia Brummett, Cindy Efird, Genny Fast, Josie Faulk, Jim (hospital) & Pam Furr, Juanita Godfrey Family (David's grandmother), Kenneth Hatley (Gary's brother), Kenny Hatley, Ted Hatley, Jimmy Heglar, Derwin Hinson Family, David Hudson, Jamie Isenhour, Rebekah Lanier's family, Roger Lowder, Jacob McDaniel, Sarah Palmer Family, Joe Parker, Beth Plowman, Ruby & Robert Rummage, Rommie Sells, Gaynelle Shires, Shelby Shoe, Karen Whitley, Linda Whitley Family

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're so glad you are here!

CARD MISSION

Shelby Shoe is at Trinity Place for rehab. Please let Shelby know she is in our prayers.

FLOWERS

The flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Lawrence Hatley's birthday on May 22 by Louie & Lauri Sides.

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.