

Salem Methodist Church
Order of Worship
Sunday, August 31, 2025 11:00 a.m.

Prelude: *His Eye Is On the Sparrow* arr. J. Dixon

Welcome & Announcements Mason Burrage

Opening Prayer Pastor Neill

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

Call to Worship: *Seek Ye the Lord* (Audrey's pick)

Hymn of Praise: *O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing* #57

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Giving of our Tithes and Offering

Offertory: *Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus* arr. H. De Cou

Doxology: *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow* #95

Children's Message Selwyn Shaw

Anthem: *Lead Me to That Rock* (Bill's pick) Choir

Scripture: *Luke 14:1, 7-14*

Sermon: *"Picking the best places"* Pastor Neill

Hymn of Response: *Make Me a Servant* on screen

Benediction

Choral Benediction: *The Lord Bless You and Keep You* (Jimmy's pick)

Postlude: *What a Mighty God We Serve* arr. M. Parks

THIS WEEK AT SALEM

Today	10:00 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Combined Worship Service-Sanctuary
Monday, Sept. 1		Church Office closed
Tuesday, Sept. 2	7:00 pm	Nominations Committee-Hut
Wednesday, Sept. 3	6:00 pm	Youth Bible Study-Hut
	7:00 pm	Choir Practice
Sunday, Sept. 7	7:30 am	Millingport Men's Club-FB
	9:00 am	Worship Service-Sanctuary
	10:00 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Salem Too Worship Service-FB
	4:30 pm	Salem Kids (K-5th grade)-Hut
	6:00 pm	Youth Group (MS/HS)-Hut

Our Prayer Concerns:

Larry Almond Family, Keith Anderson, Daryl Christy, Sam Eudy, James Michael Furr, Jim & Pam Furr, Jim Furr's brother-in-law, Cynthia Goodman, Faye Hall, Ann Hatley, Reggie Hatley,

Roger Lowder, Rodrigo Luevano, Jr., Lori Meyer, Nathan Nance, Joe Parker, Lee Preslar, Robin Ray, Richard Rothe, Selwyn Shaw, Shelby Shoe, Erika Slone, Sherrill Smith, Darrell Story, Kate Tesch, Tim Wyatt

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SALEM KIDS UPDATE

We are so excited to announce that beginning on Sunday, September 7, Salem Kids (Kindergarten-5th grade) will meet every Sunday from 4:30-6:00 pm in the hut. We learn, laugh, play, craft, and snack together as we praise Jesus! We are honored that Nadine Bowers, Daniela Carpenter, Carly Kenley, and Brooke Burrage will all be helping to lead. Invite friends and family to join us!

ADULT MISSION TRIP

Salem will be going on a mission trip October 22-25 to Plymouth, NC. We will be staying at Plymouth UMC and working through Carolina Rebuilding Ministries. Please let Tim Bennett or Pastor Neill know if you would like to participate or for more information.

BACKPACK BUDDIES PROGRAM

Some items we could use are protein items (pop top cans of spaghetti & meatballs, spaghetti-o's, pouches of tuna or chicken, etc.) packs of nuts or trail mix, cheese or peanut butter crackers and individual cereals. Thank you for your support.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

September collection: stuffed animals, dolls, small cars, girl & boy toys

NEWSLETTERS

September newsletters are in Sunday School rooms, church mailboxes, in the mail or have been emailed. There are a few extra in the Narthex or at the mailboxes.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN SEPTEMBER

2	6:30 pm	Nominations Committee – Hut
7	7:30 am	Millingport Men's Club - FB
8	7:00 pm	PPRC (Staff Parish) – Hut
11	7:00 pm	Finance Team – Hut
15	7:00 pm	Neill preaches at Love's Grove Revival
17	6:00 pm	Fellowship Meal at Friendship GMC
	7:00 pm	GMC Camp Meeting at Friendship GMC
21	6:30 pm	Bishop Greenway's teaching - FB



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

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