



Sunday: 04-16-17
7:30 AM Sunrise Service & breakfast
9:30 AM Worship Service (nursery available, not staffed))

Tuesday: 04-18-17
7:00 PM Teens for Christ

Thursday: 04-20-17
6:30 PM V-Fit

Sunday: 04-23-17
9:30 AM Worship Service w/ guest speaker Kevin Clancy
(nursery with Jeff & Kim Coil)
No Sunday School

Announcements:

Teens for Christ continue to meet each Tuesday night at 7 PM at the Nazarene Church in Spencerville. If you need a ride, contact Pastor Tom.

V-FIT is an exercise class happening right here at Salem Church on **Thursdays** from 6:30–7:30 pm.

Upcoming Birthdays

16 th -Bill Evans	16 th -Anne Morris	20 th -Kevin Matthews
22 nd -Elgarda McGee	23 rd -Grant Zielke	25 th -Julia (Morris)Molitor
26 th -Gwenda Blackmore	29 th -Jenny Pugh	30 th -Bob Bolton
30 th -Ruth Evans		

Upcoming Anniversaries

John & Mary Ellen Lloyd 4/21/56



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Prayer Concerns:

Norma Adams (diabetic issues)
Violet Ashton (broken leg)
Arlene Barrientos (Alzheimer's & foot surgery)
Aiden Ellerbrock (serious injuries from a fall)
Natalie Ellerbrock (Stacia Profit's niece)
Doris Evans (cancer)
Alice Gamble (car accident)
Colin Good (diagnosed with emphysema – son of Charlie Good)
Melanie Huddleston (cancer – sister of Kim Coil)
Noell Hunter (Type 1 diabetes)
Sami Jones (shoulder surgery)
Betty Lloyd
Byron Mohr (recovering from bowel hospitalization)
Marian Morris (stage two cancer)
Ronnie Neate (throat cancer)
Joyce Profit (heart issues)
Chris Reichert (health issues)
George Siler (physical therapy)
Thad Summersett (malignant brain tumor – grandson of Warren S.)
Warren Summersett (cancer)
Martha Walker (recovering from heart attack)
Natalie Wilkins (90 years old and failing in health)
Noah Wyatt (son of Stuart Wyatt)
Simon Ibell (deadly birth condition)
Walter Poling (heart attack & possible kidney failure)
Nick Roxo's Family (house fire – neighbor of Evelyn Martz)
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Serving our Country:

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“New Joy-Filled Hope” Matthew 18:1-10
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Easter, April 16, 2017

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TEACHING POINTS

Point One – The Empty Tomb Was a Surprise.

Point Two – God Is in Control.

Point Three – Easter Is a Way of Living Today.

THIS WEEK’S MEMORY VERSE

⁵Then the angel spoke to the women. “Don’t be afraid!” he said. “I know you are looking for Jesus, who was crucified. ⁶He isn’t here! He is risen from the dead, just as he said would happen. Come, see where his body was lying (Matthew 10:5-6 NLT).

ACTION POINT

The women made their way to the tomb that first Easter morning. They felt the earth shake. An angel descended. The guards had vanished. And the tomb was empty. At that moment, the women realized that God had the last word. Death has been defeated. In the darkest of hours, He still was in control. That’s a good thing for us to know in our dark hours. God is still in control, and we can trust Him in all circumstances in this life and in the next.

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