

Salem Presbyterian Church

Sunday, June 4th, 2017, Day of Pentecost

Pastor: Rev. Thomas Emery

Organist: LaDonna Allenbaugh

The flowers are given to the glory of God Gwenda Blackmore



Prelude
Lighting of the Candles

Welcome & Prayer

Call to Worship Psalm 104:24-34 544

*Hymn: Groeswen *Welsh Hymnal*, 42

Prayer of Confession: **Our God, we come in humility, confessing who and what we are. We are often unresponsive for we are afraid. When Your Spirit speaks, we turn deaf ears, for we fear what You might call us to do. When Your Spirit touches our lips, we close our mouths, embarrassed to speak Your Word. When the wind of Your Spirit blows, we close the windows of our hearts, afraid the breeze will disrupt our ordered lives. When the fire of Your Spirit touches us, we quench the flame, afraid of the new life it might bring. Forgive us, in Jesus' Name we pray. Amen.** *(Let us now have a moment of silence to offer our personal prayers of confession).*

Assurance of Pardon

Response **Glory Be to the Father** Inside Front Cover

Joys & Concerns of the Church

Prayers of the People

Prayer Response **The Lord's Prayer**

Graduate Recognition

Scripture Readings	Numbers 11:24-30	129
	John 20:19-23	989
	Acts 2:1-21	992

Time for Children

*Hymn: Breath on Me, Breath of God 164

Sermon: "Wind of the Spirit" Rev. Thomas Emery

*Apostle's Creed: **I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy Catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Offertory – *ushers will receive our tithes and offerings*

*Response **Praise God** Inside Front Cover

*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn Ebenezer *Welsh Hymnal*, 11

*Taking the Light into the World

*Charge and Benediction

*Congregational Response **Three Fold Amen** Inside Back Cover

**Those who are able are invited to stand.*



Financial Update:

Needed Weekly:	\$1,934.00	Needed to Date:	\$42,548.00
Rec'd 05-28-17:	\$1,230.46	Rec'd to Date:	\$42,813.04

Sunday:

9:30 AM
10:45 AM

06-04-17

Worship (nursery with Liz Hobbs)
Sunday School

Sunday:

9:30 AM
10:45 AM
5:00 PM

06-11-16

Worship (nursery with Dave & Carla Breese)
Sunday School
Trustee Meeting

Wednesday:

7:00 PM

06-14-16

Music Committee Meeting

Friday:

4:30-7:00

06-16-16

Ice Cream Social



Announcements:

The Adult Sunday school will be continuing the "The Path to The Cross" series today. This will put in perspective on a personal level the meaning of Christ's sacrifice on the cross.

We need people to take photos for the newsletter. Submit them to secretary@saalemchurch.cc.

Byron Mohr is doing much better. He thanks us for the prayers.

Birthdays in June

4th- Chad Pugh
8th- Tammy (Lloyd)

6th- Cassy Emery
10th- Dillon Ellerbrock

Upcoming Anniversaries in June

2nd- Ron & Barb Owens



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Prayer Concerns:

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Elizabeth Adkins (liver surgery)
Violet Ashton (broken leg)
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Natalie Ellerbrock (Stacia Profit's niece)
Doris Evans (cancer)
Colin Good (diagnosed with emphysema – son of Charlie Good)
Larry Howell
Melanie Huddleston (cancer – sister of Kim Coil)
Noell Hunter (Type 1 diabetes)
Sami Jones (shoulder surgery)
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Betty Lloyd
John Lloyd (rehab at Van Crest)
Marian Morris (stage two cancer)
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TEACHING POINTS

Point One – God created the church at Pentecost.

Point Two – Its objective is to tell the world about the love of God found in Jesus Christ.

Point Three – Pentecost created a new community unseen before.

THIS WEEK’S MEMORY PASSAGE

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ACTION POINT

After receiving the Spirit, Peter addressed his speech to the crowd, which he knows includes many who called for Jesus' crucifixion. He spoke not words of revenge or anger or bitterness, and he proclaims to them that God still holds out to them the promise of the gift of the Holy Spirit -- "to you and to your children and to all that are far off, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to him." Many were convicted and wanted to know what they could do. "Repent," Peter replies, "turn your lives around."

We also have heard the good news of the Resurrection. We have been baptized into the life of Christ and the love of God. And now we seek to live -- to think, speak, act, hope -- as people whose faith is a dynamic power in our lives. That faith is not an accomplishment or a guarantee that our troubles are over. Our faith characterizes us as people, a work in progress, who are constantly being forgiven, healed, challenged, and called to serve. Let us ask the Holy Spirit to guide us daily in our walk with God.

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