

Sunday: **08-13-23**
9:30 AM Worship (nursery with Bob & Kathy McCollow)
Gideon Speaker: Ray Etzler
Gideon Offering
5:00 PM Trustee Meeting

Sunday: **08-20-23**
9:30 AM Worship (nursery with Bob & Denise Pugh)
10:45 AM Session Meeting

Announcements:

The **2023 Gymanfa Ganu** is on **Labor Day Sunday, September 3rd**. The meal begins at 4:30 PM and the singing begins at 7:00 PM. Ben Williams will be the director, Connie O'Neill and Joyce Morris will be the organist/pianist, and Susan Leffel and Adam Rohrbaugh will grace us with their singing.

The **2023 Drive Your Tractor to Church / Blessing of the Harvest** (with a potluck lunch) is on **September 17**.

Please take photos and contribute recipes, thoughts, and ideas for the upcoming newsletter. Submit them to secretary@salemchurch.cc

Upcoming Birthdays:

19th Melia Richards 20th Austin Kimmet 22nd Jan Jones
27th Barb Owens 30th Kelly Lloyd

Upcoming Anniversaries:

17th Kory & Tamara Mullenhour
27th Tom & Carol Emery

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Prayer Concerns:

Cindy (Davis) Barnes (liver transplant)
Edie Basham (back surgery)
Charles Boroff (heart issue)
Jason Boyd (terminal cancer)
Dave Burnett (heart issues)
Lynn Collins (cancer)
Stephanie Dillon (lymphoma - LaDonna's stepdaughter)
Pastor Tom Emery (long Covid healing)
Dave Espinoza (lung transplant)
Marjorie Eutsler
Deb Fair (cancer)
Shana Fryer
Stephanie Gamble (eye issues)
Diana Glass (cancer)
Jane Harter
Jerry Holscher
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