

Sunday: 2024-01-07
9:30 AM Worship with guest speaker John Zerbe
(nursery with Dave & Carla Breese)

Tuesday: 2024- 01-09
7:00 AM Men's Bible Study at Van Wert Hospital Cafeteria
7:00 PM Women's Bible study in church basement

Wednesday 2024-01-10
6:30 PM Music Committee Meeting

Sunday: 2024-01-14
9:30 AM Worship (nursery with Tuzz & Liz Hobbs)
Installation & Ordination of officers
2023 End of Year reports are due
5:00 PM Trustee Meeting

Announcements:

There is a **Sunday School sign-up sheet** at the back of the church. We are asking people to sign up for a month at a time to help with lessons during the church service time.

The **2024 Offering Envelope Boxes** can be found on the white table in the Prayer Room. Please sign your name beside the box number you take for the new year.

The **2024 Flower chart** is at the back of the church. Please take the time to sign up to bring flowers.

The next **Session meeting** is after the Service on January 14th. **Installation & Ordination of officers** will take place during the morning service. **End of year reports** are due January 14. Auditors to get end of year reports to Liz Hobbs on January 17. The reports will be available to the congregation on January 21.

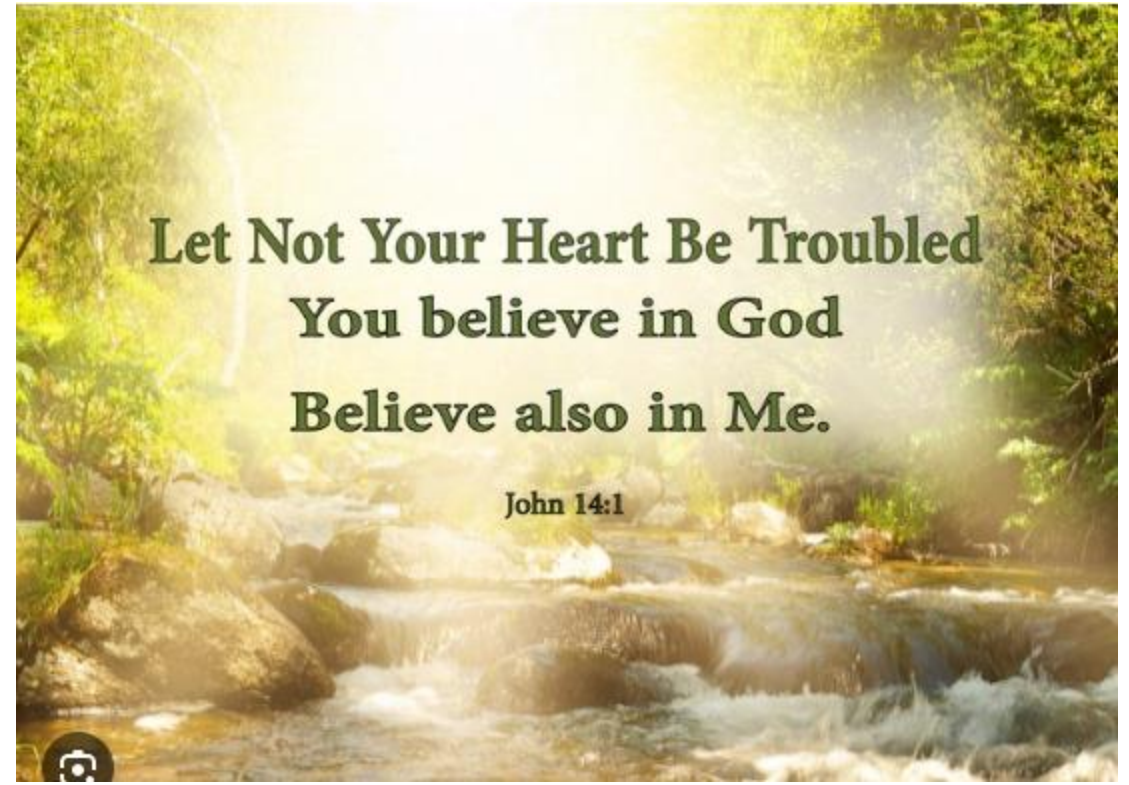
Please take photos and contribute recipes, thoughts, and ideas for the **February Newsletter**. Submit them to secretary@salemchurch.cc.

Upcoming Birthdays

7 th Nell Jean Wienken	7 th Loretta Williams	10 th Dominic Adkins
11 th Chelsey Lloyd	11 th Ashlyn Price	12 th Christina Youngpeter

Upcoming Anniversaries

9th Michael & Lindsay Breese



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Prayer Concerns:

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Cindy (Davis) Barnes (liver transplant)
Sara Beeks (heart)
Charles Boroff (heart issue)
Jason Boyd (terminal cancer)
Dave Burnett (heart issues)
Kim Coil (foot surgery)
Lynn Collins (cancer)
Pastor Tom Emery (long Covid healing)
Marjorie Eutsler
Ellen Friesner
Shana Fryer
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1 John 1:1-2 (NLT)

1 We proclaim to you the one who existed from the beginning, whom we have heard and seen. We saw him with our own eyes and touched him with our own hands. He is the Word of life. 2 This one who is life itself was revealed to us, and we have seen him. And now we testify and proclaim to you that he is the one who is eternal life. He was with the Father, and then he was revealed to us.

John 14:1-11 (NLT)

1 Don't let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God, and trust also in me. 2 There is more than enough room in my Father's home. If this were not so, would I have told you that I am going to prepare a place for you? 3 When everything is ready, I will come and get you, so that you will always be with me where I am. 4 And you know the way to where I am going. 5 "No, we don't know, Lord," Thomas said. "We have no idea where you are going, so how can we know the way?" 6 Jesus told him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one can come to the Father except through me. 7 If you had really known me, you would know who my Father is. From now on, you do know him and have seen him!" 8 Philip said, "Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied." 9 Jesus replied, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and yet you still don't know who I am? Anyone who has seen me has seen the Father! So why are you asking me to show him to you? 10 Don't you believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words I speak are not my own, but my Father who lives in me does his work through me. 11 Just believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me. Or at least believe because of the work you have seen me do.

John 1:18 (NLT)

18 No one has ever seen God. But the One and only son, who is himself God, is near to the Father's heart. He has revealed God to us.

John 1:14 (NLT)

14 So the Word became human and made his home among us. He was full of unfailing love and faithfulness. And we have seen his glory, the glory of the Father's one and only Son.

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