



Salem Scribbles

April 2020

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ACTIVITIES



April 5th – Palm Sunday

April 9th - Maundy Thursday

April 10th - Good Friday (*but Sunday is Coming*)

April 12th – Easter Sunday



May 7th – National Day of Prayer
On Thursday

Love one another. John 13:34

May 25th – National Memorial Day

(Note: Many advent and activities are postponed or cancelled. Always check first before venturing out. This includes more than just Salem UMC of Zionsville. Stay Safe)

GREETINGS TO OUR SALEM FAMILY

Psalm 18:2

The LORD is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer; my God is my rock, in whom I take refuge...

FAITH over FEAR

This truly is a tough time for our families, friends, community, country and the world...but together we will get through it.

Your Salem Church Family and Friends are here if you need help or support in any way. Please give any of us a phone call or send an email. Hopefully you have a church directory listing members. And there are many friends who also attend Salem. Several folks have called many who are part of the Salem Family just to say 'hi' - friends staying in touch with friends...and family too.

As a reminder, if anyone would like or needs to contact Pastor Gina, her information is listed below. She does accept text, email and Facebook messages as well as phone calls.

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Call a friend today! Stay in touch!

RING THE BELL - RING THE BELL LET THE WHOLE WORLD KNOW

Even with the current state of affairs of striving to Stay Safe - Stay Healthy - Stay Home...there are volunteer bell ringers for Salem Church. Every Sunday at 9:30 a.m. volunteer(s) ring the church bell letting all know that our Salem family is still here...as is our Lord and Savior, Jesus. Volunteer bell ringers so far are the Mehlhop's, Hand's, Ben Pauley, Overman's & Thomas', Lizama's, Randel's and Ottinger's.

Eric & Tina Hand





7th Becky Cervenka
 9th John Holmes
 13th Brian Kidder
 18th Mollie Earnhart
 20th Martha Randel
 24th Annie Moon

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

7th Rev. Jim Ewing (84) 8th Cole Beanblossom
 10th Joyce Starkey 13th Kyle Bright
 16th Sarah Hasewinkel 18th Clara Curry
 20th Karrie Hamerin 20th Warren Killian
 23rd Dylan Hamerin 27th Sharyn Taylor
 24th Avalyn Jean DeLucio (Diane Ward's relative)

APRIL ANNIVERSARIES

1st Scott & Ann Hokanson
 6th Roy & Deanna King
 13th John & Mary Ann Holmes
 14th Andy & Donna Ricketts
 19th Jeremy & Kelli Starkey
 24th Aaron & Rhonda Shipley
 30th Shon & Suzanne Hough



(If you or a family member is not on our birthday and/or anniversary monthly list used in Scribbles and would like to be, please give name/month/day to Martha Randel SiSRandel@gmail.com)

	PRAYER LIST	<i>Complete List is On-Line</i>
Maddy Anderson	Louise Hoagland	Danny Price
Arnold's Grandson	Ruthie Dawson Jett	Donna Price
Brenda	Libby Keck	Don Quick
Connie Chamberlin	Roberta Keith	Keith Quick
Christy - Danelle Friend	Gina Kirkland	Carolyn Reutter
John Cummings	Gail Klotz	Micah Romig
Virginia Crose	Jennifer Lee	Marlene Schneider
Jim Curry	Sorin Martin	Deputy Sam Scott
Marge Curry	Sue Martin	Aaron & Ronda Shipley
Eleanor Ruth "Baby Evans"	Gerald McGowen	Deb Shook
Carla Fletcher	Ashley Medaris	Stephanie Seifts
Bonnie Earnhart	Jim & Linda Miller	Mark Starkey
Mary Ann Feeley	Mark Mizen	Marvin Starkey
Tom Fenton	Barb Montelegre	Ann Stum & Brenda
Lisa Flynn	Carol Moyer	Aaron Taylor
Richla Grayson	Charlie Noble	Jane Taylor
Sharlene Grizzle	Ashleigh Overman	Brenda & Steven Taylor
O Hamilton	Paula Overman	Ritchie Thatcher
Rush & Ruth Harmon	Jessica Pabst	USS Theodore Roosevelt
Mr. Harney	Annie Palmer	Martha Vail
Travis Heckart	Rev. Wayne Patton	The Walkers
Marty Hill	Jon Peterson	Warren's Cousins

Pray for our Salem UMC family. Pray for our troops, near and far; persecuted Christians everywhere; people in hospitals and nursing homes; and those who suffer from conflicts around the world including terrorism. Pray for victims of natural disasters. Pray for victims of church fires, wildfire, storms and flooding. Pray for peace and safety for any and all refugees who are God's children throughout the world. Pray for those with unspoken requests. Pray for wisdom by our politicians, and pray for our country and the world. Pray for our local first responders, EMS, medical teams, fire fighters and police who give immediate help for those in need. Pray for those 'on the front line of defense' - doctors, nurses, all medical personnel and support staff, those who are still working to provide us our needs such as groceries. Pray for our protectors, border patrol officers, security guards, and for victims of crimes. Pray for our church family as we look to a way forward. Pray for our community, country and the world in this time of uncertainty due to the coronavirus. Special prayers for those on the FRONT LINES. And do continue to pray for "Old Man Cline!" {All Mankind}

Apologies for misspelling of any names... to update information for prayer list please contact Martha at SiSRandel@gmail.com ... Co-Editor.

Prayers for the Wilson Family with the passing of wife/mother Nancy and daughter/wife/mother Kathy Wilson Bennett.

Prayers for the Myers family with the passing of Reta Lou Myers (wife of Bill and mother of Brad Myers who works at Akards.)



"And this is the testimony: God has given us eternal life, and this life is in his Son."
 ~~John 5:11 (KJV)

SALEM in PICTURES



Haven Starkey's Debut at Salem UMC with Instructor Tina Hand as she Performs "Amazing Grace"



Miss Clara Demonstrates How to Properly Wash Hands!

Miss Clara Visits Salem



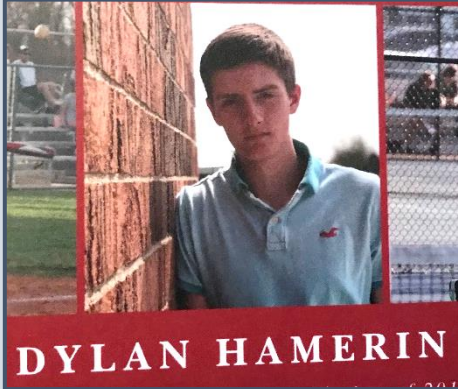
Sharlene Grizzle Enjoys a DQ Dilly Bar at Parkwood



Charissa & Luke Garrigus As of March 23, 2020 One Year Anniversary!



**"We love because He first loved us."
~~1 John 4:19**



DYLAN HAMERIN
For making Dean's List again at University of Indianapolis Way to go Dylan!!

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Large enough to serve. ✝ Small enough to care.



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A HUGE thank you to March Fellowship Providers, Greeters, Acolytes and Ushers. Also, for Special Music (with Charlie on Trumpet), Bob Overman (with assistants, Paula, Marie & Starr) for coordinating the Lenten Breakfasts with speakers Bob himself, Ben Pauley and Charlie Noble. Other speakers were scheduled - we'll catch them in 2021! And YOU for being there!

♥ A Prayer in the Time of a Pandemic ♥

May we who are merely inconvenienced remember those whose lives are at stake.

May we who have no risk factors remember those most vulnerable.

May we who have the luxury of working from home remember those who must choose between preserving their health or making their rent.

May we who have the flexibility to care for our children when their schools close remember those who have no options.

May we who have to cancel our trips remember those who have no safe place to go.

May we who are losing our margin money in the tumult of the economic market remember those who have no margin at all.

May we who settle in for a quarantine at home remember those who have no home.

As fear grips our country, let us choose love. During this time when we cannot physically wrap our arms around each other, let us yet find ways to be the loving embrace of God to our families and neighbors.

COMFORT - HOPE - PEACE be with you.

AMEN