Salem Lutheran Church 2101 North Virginia Port Lavaca, Tx 77979 RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

June 2018







Salem Lutheran Church "Sharing the love of Christ"

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From the Pastor's Computer:

I would like to share an update with you on the two offerings that Salem sent to the 2018 Southwestern Texas Synod Assembly. Our Lenten Offerings were designated to the main Assembly offering which was going to the ELCA Fund for Leaders. It was announced that the North Texas/ North Louisiana Synod had given a little over \$25,000 at their assembly a week earlier. Salem gave a total of \$2,399.61 to this offering. Our assembly total was \$69,255.23. Quite impressive and very important for the training of our future leaders.

The second offering was the Tiemann Endowment Fund for Leadership Development, which will generate scholarships for lay and clergy from within our synod. The goal was \$39,000 and the assembly offering raised the total in the fund to \$57,170.23 which is a bold statement of the appreciation within the synod for the 18 years that Bishop Ray was our Bishop.

I am proud and celebrate our giving to specific causes that catch our interest and at the same time I am concerned with lack of consistent support of Salem's ongoing ministry through our regular offerings. Our giving dropped once again in May and we will find ourselves in the hole once our bills are paid. I will be sharing some of my thoughts about stewardship in the coming months.

Waster Dan

Have a blessed month. Your servant in Christ,



REMEMBER:

Chancel Choir is on rest during the summer.

Announcements

Men's Breakfast June 13, 2018 at 7:00 a.m.

June 10, 2018

Special Called Congregational Meeting in the Sanctuary immediately following worship.

The Children and Youth Sunday School classes will be taking a break for the summer. Classes will resume with the new school year.



The Young Women's Bible study group that meets at Ruthie Boyd-Robertson's home will be taking a break for the summer.

The Spiritual Formation Bible study group that meets in the church Conference Room will be taking a summer break too.

If you are interested in joining them in the fall, please contact Ruthie for more details. Dates will be posted when the groups resume.

A Properties meeting will be held on June 26th at 6pm in the Fellowship Hall to discuss upcoming projects and plans for property the Properties Team. Committee Everyone is invited... men, women, old and young!

If you have any questions, please contact Retha Hahn, 361-920-1248.

Treasurer's Report

A full report was not available for the newsletter, but May's offering totaled

\$13,025.33



Salem Lutheran Church Council Meeting Wednesday, May 9, 2018

Attendance:

Pastor Dan, Mike Rothmann, Joel Anderson, Cathy Hahn, Clarice Thiede, Dottie Caldwell, Wanda Hahn, Retha Hahn and Lindy Cain

Devotional – Cathy Hahn Psalms 103

Prayers and Concerns – Sandra Ruddick had to have her foot amputated and had a heart attack shortly thereafter. She is still in ICU as of this meeting.

Treasurers Report – We are \$300+ in the black! Yeah

Pastor's Report – Progress has been made in fixing the sound system. Equalizer was removed and the buzzing was stopped. Still having some trouble with some of the microphone wires, but, planning on working on it again in the very near future. We need to find someone to take over IT duties at the church. It would be preferred to have someone take over technical issues and someone to take over creative issues. Finally, we need to have acolyte training and confirmation training. Women's retreat in June.

Proclaim Report – Nothing this month

Nurture Report – A church group will start meeting this month to go through the implementation of Faith 5 for Sunday school in the future.

Response Report – Nothing this month

Property Report – We have currently received 3 bids for lawn care and are also trying to develop a mowing schedule for members. They are all still in review and a decision has not been made. The custodial services contract was written earlier this month. Retha passed out the new contract to council members and Pastor Dan made a motion to approve the new contract and Cathy 2nd all voted to approve. Iron fencing has been ordered for the front of the church and is being generously donated. Electrician has finished installing new breakers in the sanctuary and he is redoing the legend on the breaker box.

The light above the pulpit have been fixed. We have received a bid for the roof in the office building. We are removing the skylights. Pastor Dan made a motion to spend the extra \$250 for the 30 year shingles and it was 2nd by Lindy. All members approved. The council also decided to not file any disputes with the wind storm insurance company. Retha is also putting together a list of approved vendors for the church. Finally, the playground should be in place soon!

Old Business – congregational meeting coming up soon for Endowment Fund Status. Also, Castle construction has ordered new doors and we are ordering new locks with new door handles.

New Business – Senior Sending is ready to go! Endowment Fund meeting is scheduled for June 10th.

Calendar – need to add council meeting to June calendar.

Closing Prayer – All – The Lord's Prayer

Adjourned – Mike 1st Lindy 2nd



Father's Day Card printable!

DEAR DAD I LOVE YOU MORE THAN
Happy Father's Day



Happy Birthday in June to:

Ashley Hahn: June 2nd James Durham: June 4th David Howell: June 4th Lorena Barjenbruch: June 6th Margaret Gosnell: June 6th Sonny Gottschalt: June 6th Jack Thormahlen: June 7th Bryan Tschatschula: June 10th John Barjenbruch: June 12th Kathy Konrad: June 14th June 15th Brianna Farmer: Paul Kelm June 18th Justin Boyd: June 24th Dianna Hahn: June 26th Melba Tanner: June 28th Clay Bates: June 29th Riley Svetlik: June 30th

Happy Anniversary in June to:

June 7th: Clint & Laurel Myers June 7th: Bill & Dianna Sturm

June 18th: Damon & Martha Vickery June 29th: Bobby & Retha Hahn June 30th: William & Virginia Hahn

"Sharing the Love of Christ" ATTENDANCE:

SUNDAYS of May: Worship Service:

<u>06</u> <u>13</u> <u>20</u> <u>27</u> 54 116 78 80



May 6, 2018: Joe Bonuz

May 13, 2018:

Cassie, Ethan & Kolden Adcock Martha & Jackson Blackman Susan Blackman John & Collin Hahn Kennedy & Grayson Kelly Tommy May Bill & Linda Peters

May 20, 2018:

Joe Bonuz Kayla & Iris Boyd-Robertson Caleb Matula

May 27, 2018:

Cheryl Billo Candace Harabis Caleb Matula Serenity & Aaron Oliphant



Jennifer Hahn 1516 Schofner Dr. Port Lavaca, TX 77979

Terry & Clarice Thiede 119 Spyglass Hill Port Lavaca, TX 77979

Pastor Dan & Debbie Zellmer 3277 FM 2615 Victoria, TX 77905

Happy Father's Day June 17, 2018 In order to keep track of our members and their unfolding need for prayers and support, we have to rely on you and your family members to keep us updated. Please call the church office at 361-552-9379 or me on my cell at 361-652-3214 when there is a change in your or your loved one's condition or treatment plan. That includes when surgery is scheduled and especially when you return home. Making sure your family members have these phone numbers as well.

Your servant in Christ, Pastor Dan

ANSWERED PRAYERS:



NEW PRAYER CONCERNS:

Sandra Ruddick Vera Hahn Geri Caraway
Leroy Hahn Dustin Caraway Levi Weber
Ronald Squyres Karen Fowler Ben Anderson
Ricky Marek Kathy Konrad Cindy Schneider

Cathy Propst

CONTINUED PRAYER CONCERNS:

John Mills Rita Boudreaux Candice Harabis

Dorothy Featherston Wynde Albrecht Pustejovsky

Buddy Winder Fred Knipling Lloyd Bales

TRINITY SHORE RESIDENTS:

Sonny Gottschalt

TODAY'S ASSISTED LIVING RESIDENT:

Betty Sue Kupatt

BROOKEDALE RESIDENT: VITALITY COURT RESIDENT:

Ruth Hahn Nelson Marek

PORT LAVACA NURSING HOME RESIDENTS:

Rick Turpen Annette Ueckert Annie Halliburton

THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY:

Shaughnessy Howell - Tripler AMC, Honolulu Zane Williams (grandson Buddy and Lucille Winder)

Joe Workman (nephew of Kay Ham)

The Salem Star east, Him."

"We have seen his star in the east, and have come to worship Him." Matthew 2:2

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OFFICE HOURS

8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Closed for Lunch from 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.