



February 17, 2019
Pastor Matthew Hunt

***Our Mission:**
We are called to help
all people find their
way to God.*



***Our Vision:**
Sharing God's grace
and abundance
with all.*

PRELUDE	Laura Kammerer
WELCOME	Pastor Matthew Hunt
CALL TO WORSHIP	Liturgist - Patrick Peters
PRAYER OF INVOCATION (In Unison)	
*HYMN #467	<i>Fill the World with Love</i>
NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE	LUKE 6:17-26
CHILDREN'S MESSAGE #511 Verse 1	<i>Strong Gentle Children</i>
CHORISTERS "Go Into the World"	Natalie Sleeth
OFFERING INVITATION	
OFFERING MUSIC	Laura Kammerer
*OFFERING RESPONSE	<i>Doxology #46</i>
*OFFERING PRAYER OF DEDICATION (In Unison)	
HYMN #575	<i>Come and Find the Quiet Center</i>
MESSAGE SCRIPTURE	JOEL 2:12-13
MESSAGE	Pastor Matthew Hunt
SILENT PRAYER, PASTORAL PRAYER, LORDS PRAYER (Debts)	
HYMN #227	<i>In the Garden</i>
BENEDICTION	Pastor Matthew Hunt
*RESPONSE #445	<i>Go in Peace</i>
POSTLUDE	Laura Kammerer

♦ Denotes when to stand if able

Please sign the Ritual of Friendship (in the red pad) and hand it to your neighbor to sign. The last person should tear it off and put it in the offering plate.

**Are you remembering to pray for at least
1 minute a day?
Re:Charge Program
Our Youth Program
For God to send people to Salem**

Fasting

Too often the focus of fasting is on the lack of food. Instead, the purpose of fasting should be to Take your eyes off the things of this world and to focus completely on God. Fasting is a way to demonstrate to God, and to ourselves, that we are serious about our relationship with Him. Fasting helps us gain a new perspective and a renewed reliance upon God.

LOOKING AHEAD

The **Shrove Supper** will be on March 5. Be prepared to eat some potato pancakes (as well as pancakes & sausage)!

Ash Wednesday starts off the Lenten season on March 6 at a 7 pm service.

Have a Heart for Health Month starts this Sunday. Each week we ask that you bring different items to share with those in need:

Feb. 3 - shampoo, conditioner, feminine products, hand & body lotion

Feb. 10 - detergent and dish soap

Feb. 17 - liquid body wash, razors, and deodorant

Feb. 24 - Toilet tissue, tissues and paper towels

SALE!!!

Everybody likes a good sale, right? We have shirts from 2 Connect Groups **Be-YOU-tiful and How's Your Soul?** On sale now for the fantastic price of only

\$5!

Will be on sale at Fellowship Time. **Surely you have a friend who would love to get a new shirt!**

If you would like a record of your **2018 giving** for tax purposes, please ask Barb to print you a copy. We are only printing them for those who ask.

This is also a great time to donate to missions of the church:

BJ's Café (Sat. Meals)

Funeral Luncheons

Health Fair

Loads of Love

Paws & Prayers

God's Garden

As well as other missions outside the church.

DON'T MISS OUT

Sign up for a Connect Group at Fellowship Time. Books are \$15 if you'd like one.

Thank you to our leaders and hosts for the upcoming Connect Groups **"The Life You've Always Wanted"**

Leaders are Jayne Clouser, Connie Sue Novotny, Brian Stitt, and Sue Welch.

Hosts are Bill Beard, Cassie Edwards, Katie Edwards, Annette Newquist, Patrick Peters, and Phyllis Robertson

YOUTH

go bowling today at 11:45. Bring money for lunch.

Don't forget to make a donation or sign up to rock in the Feb. 23

Rock-a-Thon For Transitions

See members of the Worship Ministry (Jayne Clouser, Lonita Fox, Jeff Moran-King, John King, Annette Newquist, Heather Spory) at fellowship time today and next Sunday.

Thanks!

WELCOME TO SALEM

Please visit our WELCOME TABLE in the back corner of the sanctuary for information and if you have any questions about Salem.

We have “BAGS OF FUN” for children who need something extra to do during service. They are hanging by the Welcome Table.

We have a nursery available for those with babies and small children. Please ask an usher to show you where it is located.



Join us for Fellowship Hour immediately after worship in Fellowship Hall (located across the Interlink and downstairs). Drinks & donuts/bagels are provided. This is a great way to get to know others in our Salem family!

Worship

Sundays at 9:00 am in the Sanctuary

Study For All

at 10:30 am on Sundays

Re:Charge for Pre-K in room 205

Re:Charge for Elementary in room 206

Re:Charge for youth in the youth room

Faith Trek for adults in the Lounge

Adult Study in the Library

Journey 2 for adults in room 204

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Salem Evangelical United Church of Christ is an ‘Open and Affirming’ congregation. We believe that...

welcome everyone is

“No matter who you are

or where you are

on life’s journey,

You are welcome here”