

April 21-22, 2018

How Can I Serve at Salem?

At Salem, we are all about making disciples who make disciples. Head on over to www.salem-bc.org/missions1 to get involved with outreach at Salem, and www.salem-bc.org/committees to help carry out our church's mission by serving on a committee.

Compassion Sunday

Compassion International partners with churches and denominations across the world to help children in need find sponsors who can pray for and support them. We will have an information table in the lobby in Building D on **Sunday, April 29 before and after the 11 AM service**. Please stop by to talk with June and Tolga to learn more about Compassion, and how you could become a child's sponsor!

Love Your Neighbor Seminar

We are blessed with a growing South Asian community in the Triangle. The Love Your Neighbor Seminar will help us learn about the South Asian culture, and the influence of Hinduism and its belief system. The conference is **Friday**, **May 11 from 7 PM-9 PM**, **and Saturday**, **and May 12 from 9 AM-3 PM**. The cost is \$25 and \$5 for lunch. You may also bring your own lunch. Register and learn more at **bit.ly/lyn_1805**.

Priscilla Shirer Simulcast

On **Saturday, April 28, 2018 from 9:00 AM to 4:30 PM**, we will be hosting the Priscilla Shirer Simulcast! Doors open at 8:30 AM and registration is \$5 (lunch on your own). Go to **www.salem-bc.org/upcoming-events** to register!

BAPTISM THIS WEEKEND!

JUSTIN BOECKLER

THE HILL WORSHIP SERVICE

Gear Up For VBS 2018!

This year's Vacation Bible School is June 18-22! We are offering both morning and evening sessions. Spots are filling up quick, so head on over to www.salem-bc.org/game-on to register your child today!

Wee Worship & Kid's Church Appreciation Breakfast

Thank you to all those who serve with Wee Worship and Kid's Church. We could not do it without you! Join us for a drop-in style breakfast **this Sunday, April 22 from 9:15 AM-10:30 AM** in the Fellowship Hall.

Singspiration

This Sunday, April 22 from 7 PM-9 PM, the Salem Music Ministry will present an evening of gospel music featuring the senior adult choir! Join us in the Chapel for a wonderful evening of worship.

LIFT Coffee & Tea Ladies Fellowship

Hey, ladies! Are you looking for a way to get to know other women in our community? Join us for coffee and tea **this Tuesday, April 24, from 7 PM-8 PM** at the Cafe in Building D. Please bring a friend! RSVP to LeAnne Olive at **leanneolive@gmail.com**.

Ladies Book Club

Our next ladies book club meeting is on **Wednesday**, **April 25 from 9:30 AM-11 AM** at the Cafe in Building D. We will discuss *Church of the Small Things* by Melanie Shankle. Please purchase and read a copy of the book before the meeting, and feel free to bring a cup of coffee!

A Not So Terrible Parable

Come out on **Sunday, May 6 at 6 PM in the Worship Center**, for this year's Children's Choir musical, *A Not So Terrible Parable*. It will be a fun musical about the Good Samaritan with tasty treats to follow!

Seagroves Scholarship

We are currently accepting applications for the Seagroves Scholarship Fund for the Fall 2018 college semester! For more information and to apply, visit www.salem-bc.org/seagroves-scholarship-fund.

Deadline to apply is Sunday, May 6.

Wednesday Night Meals

Wednesday night meals are a great way to create community. Menus and prices are available at www.salem-bc.org/wednesday-meal.

Slugs and Bugs Concert

All elementary school age children and their parents are invited to our Slugs and Bugs concert on **Friday**, **May 18**, **2018 at 6:30 PM**! It is sure to be a joy-filled musical experience. Seats are filling up, so book your FREE tickets and get more information at **bit.ly/sb_1805**!

Summer Camp for Students

On July 23-28, we are taking our middle and high school students to Caswell to grow in their faith and build community. This year's camp theme is "Reimagine," and we will study Jesus's teachings on the kingdom of God. **The registration deadline is Monday, July 16**. Find out more and register at www.salem-bc.org/student-ministry.

From the Heart

Congratulations go out to Elsbeth Meyer regarding her baptism last Sunday! It was great for the community to get to hear the bell ringing again!

We appreciate the music ministry for bringing Aaron Shust in for last weekend's concert. Aaron did a nice job of leading us in worship and it made for a great Saturday night.

I kicked off the proposed Mission Statement roll out last Sunday, with a look at Joshua 1 and the Great Commission in Matthew 28:19-20. Your pastors believe that Salem must be a place where disciples are making disciples. We also believe that this must be our focus, purpose, message, and mission. You should have received a note with details about this in the mail recently. The statement being proposed is related to, but much more succinct, than the current mission statement: We will glorify God, making disciples who pursue Jesus, and share His story.

Thank you for all you do for the Kingdom, here at Salem and beyond.

Your Pastor,

J Beckett

Last Week's Snapshot



ATTENDANCE: 929



LAST WEEK'S GIVING: \$39,737.98

WEEKLY BUDGET: \$40,494.38



YTD GIVING: \$534,276.51

YTD BUDGET: \$607,415.70



BUILDING FUND: \$7,799.50

This Week at Salem

Saturday, April 21 6:00 PM The Hill Worship Service

Sunday, April 22

8:30 AM Classic Worship 9:45 AM Bible Fellowship Groups 11:00 AM Blended Worship 4:00 PM Sunday Night Activities

Wednesday, April 25

5:15 PM Fellowship Meal 6:30 PM Wednesday Night Activities 8:00 PM The Collective

