

SALEM CHURCH OF ROUGH & READY

Pastor: Mark E. Mantz

Pianist: Haley Dietrich

Acolyte: Gavin Scheib

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

August 6, 2023

PIANO PRELUDE

\*PROC. HYMN “A New Name in Glory” #417

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

\*SOLEMN DECLARATION

\*CHORAL AMEN

\*CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsively)

P: There is none like you, O Lord, nor are there any works like yours.

**C: All the nations you have made shall come and bow down before you, O Lord, and shall glorify your name. For you are great and do wondrous things, you alone are God.**

—from Psalm 86:8-10, NRSV

\*CALL TO CONFESSION

\*CONFESSION OF SIN (Unison)

(Silent Confession)

**Almighty and merciful God, Our Father in Heaven, we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done. O Lord, have mercy upon us. Spare those who confess their faults. Restore those who are penitent, according to your promises declared to the world in Christ Jesus, our Lord. And grant, O merciful God, for his sake, that we may live a holy, just, and humble life to the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

\*KYRIE, page 518, red hymnal.

\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*PRAISE

P: Praise the Lord.

**\*\*\*C. THE LORD'S NAME BE PRAISED!**

\*GLORIA PATRI, page 491, red hymnal

SPECIAL MUSIC:

MISSION MOMENTS

JOYS & CONCERNS

GENERAL & SILENT PRAYERS

CHILDREN'S SERMON:

\*APOSTLES CREED (Page 6, red hymnal -Unison)

\*SERMON HYMN "How Great Thou Art" #10

SCRIPTURES: Ephesians 6: 10-12

SERMON: "Battle Stations"

OFFERING

\* OFFERATORY RESPONSE, page 506, and Prayer of Dedication

\*THE LORD'S PRAYER

\*DOXOLOGY, page 551, red hymnal

\*CLOSING HYMN "Count Your Blessings" #296

\*BENEDICTION

SILENT MEDITATION

PIANO POSTLUDE

\*Congregation, please stand, if you are able.

All hymns are from BROWN HYMNAL.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY – WELCOME TO ALL. Tenth Sunday after Pentecost.

Altar Flowers are in Honor of Rachel Morrison's 10<sup>th</sup> Birthday.

There will be no Children's Church today. Please join us for Sunday School and Bible study immediately following the service. The Love Offering this month is for Brenda and Toby Tobias.

Monday, August 7<sup>th</sup> – Sunday School Planning Meeting at 7 p.m. We would love to see our committee grow! If you are interested in getting involved with Salem Sunday School, we hope to see you Monday evening.

NEXT SUNDAY, August 13<sup>th</sup> – Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost. We will be celebrating the sacrament of Holy Communion. The acolyte will be Ethan Lenker.

Saturday, August 19<sup>th</sup> – Baking for Missions. Please bring donated items to church by Saturday Morning.

Tuesday, August 22<sup>nd</sup> – It's time for School to Start. We will be pack bags for LMNETS at Christ Church starting at 10 a.m. Here is a list of items that we can use for the first few packs of the year. Pop tarts, Oatmeal packets, Sunny D/Yahoo drinks, Hot chocolate mix, Mac & cheese cups, Ramen noodles, Chef Boy-R-Dee canned pasta, spaghetti, etc. (Generic is great!), Dried fruits, Trail mix/nuts. That should get us started. Thank you!

Saturday, August 26<sup>th</sup> – Men's Fellowship Breakfast at 8 a.m..

Sunday, August 27<sup>th</sup> - Please join us at the Klingerstown Carnival Grounds for the annual church picnic. We will begin fellowship with coffee and doughnuts at 9 a.m. followed by the worship service at 9:30 a.m. We will have chicken at noon. Please bring a salad, covered dish or dessert to share.

Sunday, September 24<sup>th</sup> - There will be a confirmation class meeting right after church. Anyone planning to attend Confirmation class must attend, with one or both parents.

Please give names and addresses of children who would like to receive the extra Vacation Bible School Kits Brock Klinger, Jacob Masser, or one of the Sunday School Teachers.

The Janitor for August is James Dietz.

## PRAYER REQUESTS

Pastor & Jeanne Mantz, Katie Madera, Missionaries in Alaska, Roxane Laudenslager, Janice Deitz, May Keim, Jack Bensinger, Melissa Lenker, Toby Tobias, Russell Smith, Big Creek Missions, Larry Lucas, Larry Peifer, Louise Rothermel, Diane Wehry, Carl Schaible, Jack Wilson, Nancy Warns, Angie Romberger, Mark Smith, Judy Grosser, Jeff Latsha, Nancy Rothermel, Karen Heim Wolf, Darwin Erdman, Kimberly Heim Curtis, Galen Spickler, Kathy Saltzman, Bud Deeter, Brian Mussolini, Mark Aungst, Sherry Erdman, Esther Stoltzfus, Janey Wehry, Kera Spickler, Marlene Updegrave, Frank Pollick, Andy Schreffler, Elaine Wolfgang.

## NURSING HOME

Doris Lucas – Nottingham Village, Northumberland  
Gerry Masser – Nottingham Village, Northumberland  
Darice Wehry – Polk Foundation, Millersburg  
Roberta Huntsinger—Polk Foundation, Millersburg  
Larry Lucas – Tremont Nursing Home, Tremont  
Joyce Masser –Schuylkill Center, Pottsville

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**CHURCH WEBSITES:** <http://www.salemchurchrr.org/> The Salem Church's email address is [secretary@salemchurchrr.org](mailto:secretary@salemchurchrr.org). You can also join the Salem Church group on Facebook for regular updates.

**NEWSLETTER VIA EMAIL--**The Consistory has approved the sending of the RUMBLINGS via email. If you would like a digital, rather than a paper, copy of the newsletter, please send an email to Elaine Dietrich requesting such a change. Her email is [secretary@salemchurchrr.org](mailto:secretary@salemchurchrr.org) Thank you!

**PER CHURCH MUTUAL** – We would like to inform the congregation that Salem is a church that welcomes all sinners to worship and study the Word of the Lord. While we acknowledge that this may include registered sex offenders, we wish to assure the congregation that we do have policies and precautions in place to maintain the safety of all in attendance. We do also ask that if you are attending and have been convicted of a sexual offense, that you please inform either the Pastor or a member of the consistory so that we can ensure proper safety policies are followed while you worship with us.

**REDNER'S SAVE A TAPE PROGRAM--**Salem Church Sunday School is participating in this program. Please, bring your register receipts to the church.