

March 1, 2009

Salem Mennonite Church
Kidron, Ohio

Darrell Ediger, Pastor

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| Sunday School | 9:30 a.m. |
| Worship Service | 10:30 a.m. |

Praise the Lord! Leah and Rebecka Hackett, Choristers
with Salem Band and the Joyful Jammers
Here I Am to Worship Overhead
Grace Greater Than All My Sin
I Stand Amazed in the Presence

Welcome Darrell Ediger, Worship Leader
Please sign and pass the Welcome Pads.

KYB (*Know Your Bible*) Sherry Horst
Ages K - 5th Grade

Scripture Hebrews 12:5b - 11

Message Luke Ediger
"Discipling One Another - Bringing People to the Feet of Jesus"
(Part II)

Hymn of Response Brown Hymnal (FG) #677
They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love

Sharing

Offertory
Sweet Hour of Prayer

Announcements

Closing Hymn
I'll Fly Away Overhead

Postlude

Thank you to Luke Ediger for bringing the morning message that God inspired him to share with Salem. Also, thank you to the Salem Band and the Joyful Jammers for leading us in worship of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Last Sunday's Guests

Melanie Lyle - Bluffton, OH

Prayer Concerns and Joys

- New address for: Jen Amstutz
6810 Ed Lane
Canal Winchester, OH 43110
Cell: 330.465.2398
- *(MMN Request)* MMN Board continues meeting today and tomorrow in Harrisburg, VA, following participation in the Damascus Road Anti-Racism Training prior to the meeting. Pray that board members will have energy for the tasks at hand.

Since the Lord has given me 82 years, my friends at Salem have given me flowers and many birthday greetings and a special song, for which I am very grateful. Thank you! Harold Himes

Today

People to People Collection

9:10-9:30 & 10:10-10:30 a.m. Blood Pressure Checks

Today is your last chance to sign up (on the bulletin board) for the ***Lasting Flame Marriage Seminar***. See the brochures in the literature rack for more information.

SWAP - We will have a short meeting after church to finalize a date for our SWAP trip this summer.

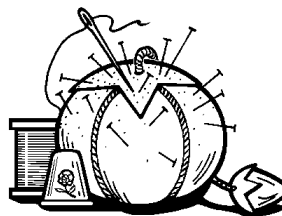
5:00 p.m. SYF - Input at Nussbaum's

Monday

7:00 p.m. Spiritual Council Meeting

Tuesday

6:00 - 9:00 p.m. Extra Sewing



Wednesday

All Day Sewing - WIM March Project: Health Kits - 100 bags are available in the main foyer with a list of needed items inside each bag.

6:30 p.m. Mini Notes

7:15 p.m. Kingdom Choir

7:00 p.m. Adult Choir

Thursday

8:30 a.m. Breakfast Break at Das Dutch Kitchen Restaurant. Come join us for a good time of fun, food, and fellowship. Bring friends and family.

Saturday

8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. SYF - Machinery Sale coordinated by Nofsinger's and Badertscher's

Next Sunday

Immediately following the worship service, there will be a congregational meeting to discuss and accept the proposal of a job description for an additional staff position at Salem. See your church mailboxes for the Church Board motion along with a job description.

- 4:00 p.m. SYF - Cabinet meeting
- 5:00 p.m. SYF - Input by Cabinet at Nussbaum's
- 5:00 p.m. JHY - Input at Rachel's

Attention parents and nursery workers: The nursery rooms have been relocated. Please look for signs on the doors.

Mini Notes (age 5 - 2nd grade) and Kingdom Choir (3rd grade and up) will begin rehearsing on **Wednesday, March 4.** Mini Notes, 6:30 - 7:00 p.m.; and Kingdom Choir, 7:15 - 8:00 p.m. We will not be rehearsing the Wednesday before Easter.

On March 15, 2009, at 3:00 p.m., come join us at the Riceland Flow Care gymnasium for a day of sport, gaming, and fellowship with family and friends of Salem Mennonite Church. Mark your calendars now for a day of healthy fun playing volleyball, basketball, and space will be available for board and other games. As a church, we continue to look for ways to spread the blessings God has given each of us at Salem. This event is an opportunity to extend our blessings to others in the area who may be interested in learning more about Christ. Additional details will be made available over the coming weeks, so check your bulletins.

Reception Committee

Today - Jack & Shelley Salsburey, Paige Nofsinger & Lydia Hartzler
March 8 - John & Sandy Amstutz, Clay and Tanner Nussbaum

Ushers Today - Angelo Napolitan & Rachel Augspurger
March 8 - Dan Horst & Shawn Horner

Sunday School Nursery Today - Marianne Cameron & Johanna Badertscher
March 8 - Maxine Hershberger & Diann King

Worship Service Nursery Today - Lori & Kacy Napolitan - Toddlers
Chris Daniels - Infants
March 8 - Ed & Lucas Roshong - Toddlers
Chris Daniels - Infants

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| <u>Attendance</u> | <u>Offering</u> | | |
| Feb. 22 S.S. - 104 | Feb. 22 | General | \$6,847.25 |
| Worship - 149 | | Designated | <u>\$ 284.97</u> |
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Happy Birthday To:

Tuesday Gabe Clark
Kesia Hartzler
Shawn Horner
Ounkham Vilayseng
Wednesday Patty Brown
Bev Hershberger
Saturday Marlene Johnson
Tracy Bolyard



Please remember to save your **Our Family** brand labels and place them in the box under the church mailboxes. Be sure to include the UPC symbol when cutting off the labels. Every label helps our SYF raise funds for future mission trips. Thanks!

OrrVilla Community Event this month will feature the Orrville Music Club, on Thursday, March 12, at 7:30 p.m. Please join us at Maple Terrace for an enjoyable evening featuring a variety of musicians and music styles. For more information, call 330.683.4455.

OrrVilla Retirement Community is looking for a person to help with groundskeeping. Job includes lawn mowing, mulching, trimming, and assisting the head groundskeeper in keeping the grounds looking attractive. Job will run from April 1 till late summer. Please apply at OrrVilla Maple Terrace, 333 E. Sassafras St., or call 330.683.4455 for more details.

Climate Change Education and Advocacy Workshop at Unitarian Universality Fellowship, March 12, 7:00 p.m. See the poster on the bulletin board for more details.

A nurse on the pediatric ward, before listening to the little ones chests, would plug the stethoscope into their ears and let them listen to their own hearts. Their eyes would always light up with awe, but she never got a response equal to four-year old David's comment. Gently she tucked the stethoscope into his ears and placed the disk over his heart. "Listen," she said....."What do you suppose that is?" He drew his eyebrows together in a puzzled line and looked up as if lost in the mystery of the strange tap - tap - tapping deep in his chest. Then his face broke out in a wondrous grin and he asked,
"Is that Jesus knocking?"

