

Nurturing Church Family

Birthdays This Week:

Florence Gingrich, Emily Perez,
Sarah Lind

Anniversaries this Week:

none this week

For the Record

Attendance Jan. 8, 2023:

In person: 70

Zoom: 22 devices (est. 31 people)

General Offering received:

Jan 1	\$na
Jan 8	\$na
Month to date	\$na

Total monthly requirement \$14,691

TRIVIA NIGHT THIS SATURDAY

(Jan. 21) at 6:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall. All ages are welcome. Come enjoy a fun evening, with snacks, hosted by Jerrell!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR MORE FUN AT SMC:

- February 5- **Potluck**
- February 12- **Superbowl Watch Party** at SMC

Kitchen Helpers Needed at DCC

For years we've wanted to grow Drift Creek's facility usage and expand into more weekday operations during the school year....well, that has happened, and when it rains, it seems to pour, as is typical along the Oregon Coast!

DCC is seeking kitchen help during Outdoor School programs for the following weekday dates:

- February 27-March 1
- March 13-16
- March 27-31
- April 3-6
- April 11-14

We are grateful for any and all help! Could be for just a day, overnight, or all days of each program. We are flexible!

We are also seeking volunteers for the following weekend groups:

- January 27-29 (Emmanuel Bible Church)
- February 17-19 (Corvallis Mennonite)
- March 9-12 (DCC Quilters)

We would so appreciate your help! Contact info@driftcreek.org or call the camp office at 971-600-1244 for details.

LOST & FOUND:

- **small plastic sheep**
 - **collapsible reading glasses**
- Retrieve from church office.



Salem Mennonite Church

Pastor: **Jerrell Williams**: 214-406-0865, pastor@salemmentonitechurch.org

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Education Hour: Sundays at 9:30 am • Worship: Sundays at 10:45 am

Salem Mennonite invites all to join us for worship and fellowship. Our prayer is that everyone who enters here may be received as Christ. We celebrate the image of God in all people and publicly affirm that persons of every gender identity and sexual orientation are welcome to participate in our life and ministry.

Mission Statement: Salem Mennonite Church commits to hear and live God's call to be followers of Jesus Christ and to grow as a worshipping community of faith to and reconciliation, where peace, joy and healing are experienced in the church and shared with others.

Salem Mennonite Church Worship Service January 15, 2023

We Gather

Prelude -Jeanette Flaming
Hymn **VT 31** "Come We That Love the Lord" -John Beechy
Call to Worship and Invocation -Sarah Acosta
Hymns **VT 555** "Lord, I Am Fondly"
VT 557 "Spirit of God, Descend"

We Confess

Prayer of Confession -Sarah Acosta
Assurance of Pardon
Hymn **VT 556** "I Bind My Heart this Tide"

We Hear God's Word

Message for Children **VT 511** "Come on Children" -Chris Lehman
Scripture John 1:29-42
Message *Come and See* -Rev. Jerrell Williams
Hymn **VT 84** "To God Be the Glory"

We Respond

Offering /My Coins Count -Jeanette Flaming
Sharing and Prayer Ending with Lord's Prayer*
* forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who have sinned against us

We Go Forth

Closing Hymn **VT 832** "The Lord Lift You Up"
Sending Words

John 1:29-42 (NRSV)

²⁹The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him and declared, "Here is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world!" ³⁰This is he of whom I said, 'After me comes a man who ranks ahead of me because he was before me.' ³¹I myself did not know him; but I came baptizing with water for this reason, that he might be revealed to Israel." ³²And John testified, "I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and it remained on him. ³³I myself did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water said to me, 'He on whom you see the Spirit descend and remain is the one who baptizes with the Holy Spirit.' ³⁴And I myself have seen and have testified that this is the Son of God." ³⁵The next day John again was standing with two of his disciples, ³⁶and as he watched Jesus walk by, he exclaimed, "Look, here is the Lamb of God!" ³⁷The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus. ³⁸When Jesus turned and saw them following, he said to them, "What are you looking for?" They said to him, "Rabbi" (which translated means Teacher), "where are you staying?" ³⁹He said to them, "Come and see." They came and saw where he was staying, and they remained with him that day. It was about four o'clock in the afternoon. ⁴⁰One of the two who heard John speak and followed him was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother. ⁴¹He first found his brother Simon and said to him, "We have found the Messiah" (which is translated Anointed). ⁴²He brought Simon to Jesus, who looked at him and said, "You are Simon son of John. You are to be called Cephas" (which is translated Peter).

Coming Up

This Week: January 15-21, 2023

Mon	2:00 pm	Book Group at Joyce Yoder's
Tues	6:00 pm	Elders' Meeting
Wed	7:00 am	Women's Breakfast (Zoom)
Thurs	9:30 am	Women's Bible Study (Zoom)
Friday	6:00 pm	Community Center (in Fellowship Hall)
Saturday	6:30 pm	Trivia Night (in Fellowship Hall)

Sunday, January 22, 2023

9:30 am	Sunday school classes for all ages
10:30 am	Coffee Time
10:45 am	Worship Service, message, Jerrell Williams; Communion

Full calendar of events at www.salemmennonitechurch.org