

Nurturing Church Family

Birthdays This Week:

Sharron Nisly, Aaron BreMiller, Flora Gomez, Julie Graber, Melissa Nisly

Anniversaries this Week:

none this week

For the Record

Attendance Oct. 16, 2022:

In person: 38

Zoom: 32 devices (est. 41 people)

General Offering received:

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| October 2 | \$2,965 |
| October 9 | \$1,270 |
| October 16 | \$1,030 |
| Month to date | \$5,265 |

Total monthly requirement \$14,691

The Sabbath Rest Mindfulness Retreat,

led by Juel Russell, is happening in Rockaway Beach November 11-13. There are still 2 private rooms (\$225) and 4 twin beds in the upstairs common bedroom (\$175) available. Details at www.peaceonyourjourney.com. If you are interested, please contact Juel directly, juelrussell@yahoo.com or text 503-871-3488.

Hope for the Future,

an annual gathering of Black, Indigenous and people of color (BIPOC) leaders from across Mennonite Church USA, will be held February 3-5, 2023. Location to be announced. For the latest updates, visit: mennoniteusa.org/hopeforthefuture

Faith-based Peacebuilding Certificate

This fall, EMS launched a new graduate certificate in faith-based peacebuilding in collaboration with the Center for Justice and Peacebuilding at EMU. The 18-credit certificate is designed for faith community leaders who want to more effectively respond to social conflicts, and who seek faith-informed social engagement in complex justice issues. Scholarships are available, with additional funding for African American Mennonite pastors through a new partnership with the African American Mennonite Association. Learn more at emu.edu/seminary/degree-programs/certificate#peacebuilding

No Adult Sunday School next Sunday, Oct. 30.



Salem Mennonite Church

Pastor: **Jerrell Williams:** 214-406-0865, pastor@salemmennonitechurch.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 October 23, 2022

We Gather

Prelude -Jennie Kauffman
Hymn -Chris Lehman
Call to Worship and Invocation -Florence Gingrich
Hymns

We Confess

Prayer of Confession -Florence Gingrich
Assurance of Pardon
Hymn

We Hear God's Word

Message for Children **VT 511** "Come on Children" -Sarah Acosta
Scripture Acts 2:43-47
Message *Members are Held Accountable* -Rev. Jerrell Williams
Hymn

We Respond

Offering /My Coins Count -Jennie Kauffman
Birthday Blessing
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
Sending Words

The giving keeps going...

You have a second chance to support MCC with a "pop-up" shop at SMC on Sunday, **November 13** after the worship service. There was a small selection of items donated to the Menno Marketplace that did not sell during the fall festival and we are bringing them to Salem Mennonite for another opportunity to shop to support MCC.

Congregational Meeting

and Potluck on Sunday, **November 20** after the worship service. (Potluck for first Sunday of the month has been moved to Nov. 20 to be with Congregational Meeting).

Acts 2:43-47 (NRSV)

⁴³ Awe came upon everyone, because many wonders and signs were being done by the apostles. ⁴⁴ All who believed were together and had all things in common; ⁴⁵ they would sell their possessions and goods and distribute the proceeds to all, as any had need. ⁴⁶ Day by day, as they spent much time together in the temple, they broke bread at home and ate their food with glad and generous hearts, ⁴⁷ praising God and having the goodwill of all the people. And day by day the Lord added to their number those who were being saved.

Coming Up

This Week: October 23-29, 2022

Wed 7:00 am Women's Breakfast Meeting (Zoom)
Wed 9:30 am Quilting
Thurs 9:30 am Women's Bible Study (Zoom)
Friday 6:00 pm Community Center (in Fellowship Hall)

Sunday, October 30, 2022

9:30 am Sunday school classes (no adult class this week)
10:30 am Coffee Time
10:45 am Worship Service, message, Rhoda Blough. Mutual Aid Offering.

Full calendar of events at www.salemmennonitechurch.org