



**FOOD Pantry**  
OF WAUKESHA COUNTY

End hunger. Start here.

**Food Pantry Sunday at Salem, September 14<sup>th</sup>!**

**News from Marie...**



**Come One,  
Come All !!!**

You are personally invited to attend the opening of our **new church school program** on Sunday,

September 7<sup>th</sup>. Following worship, we will gather in the fellowship area to view the decorated classrooms and get a preview of the new rotational church school for preschoolers thru fifth graders. You will have the opportunity to sign up to assist the classes throughout the year. The theme we will start with is, "Digging Into the Bible". What a great place to start and lay the foundation for our church school children. They will be learning about the Bible through science, computers, cooking, games, art, videos, music, and storytelling. There is something for everyone! There is something for you! Plus, after you have had a chance to preview, we will all share in a wonderful pancake breakfast. So mark your calendars now to attend this wonderful morning. We will also showcase the junior and senior high, plus the adult church school Bible study as well. We are looking forward to seeing everyone there.



Beginning September 24<sup>th</sup>, we will meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of every month from 6-7 pm for PIZZA, fellowship, and Bible study.

Youth Sunday is November 23<sup>rd</sup>!



**Join the Choir!**

The Salem Adult Choir is ready to start singing again! Please join us on Thursday evenings at 7:15 pm starting on Sept. 4<sup>th</sup>. Our new Music Director, Josh Barker, is excited about his first year with our choir, Please join us! No experience necessary. ☺



**Handbell Practices at Salem**

Our wonderful Handbell Choir is ready to start ringing the bells! Regular Thursday night weekly practices will begin September 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm. We appreciate the musical talent and leadership of our Handbell director, Brenda Lindsay. *We welcome new members...No experience necessary!*

**PILGRIMAGE**  
*into the*  
**Last Third of Life**

**7 Gateways to Spiritual Growth**

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Tuesdays, Sept. 9 – Oct. 21

2:00 pm or 7:00 pm

(Afternoon class will take place at Salem. Evening class will meet in homes of class members.)

Join us this fall for a seven week class that will explore God's presence and gifts to us as we pilgrimage on our journeys into the last third of our lives. Content includes:

- Doing Inner Work
- Living In & Out of Community
- Facing Age & Dying
- Living with Limitations
- Prayer & Contemplation
- Redeeming Loss & Suffering
- Leaving a Legacy

Pastor Jorge will lead the class. Please sign up on the poster in the narthex by Labor Day, Sept. 1<sup>st</sup>!

**"I'M... the Legend of the Son of Man"  
Saturday, Sept. 20  
10:00 am - Noon**



Salem will welcome special musical guests: author Jonathan Richard Cring, accompanied by Janet Clazy on horns on Saturday, September 20<sup>th</sup>. Prior to their presentation, we will begin with a light brunch, provided by the Spiritual Growth Ministry Team. Then at 11:00 am,

Jonathan and Janet will be doing a presentation based on Jonathan's book, "I'M ... the legend of the son of man: the story of Jesus told in the first person".

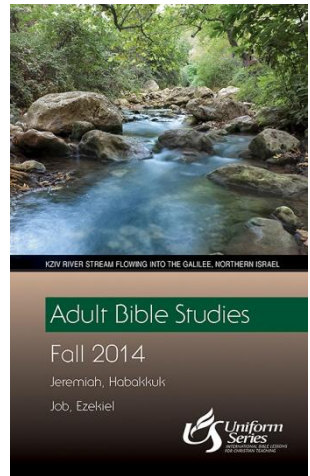
Speckled with song and music, the presentation will last less than an hour and will take us on a journey through the entire life of Jesus of Nazareth, with the added perspective of Jonathan's wit, humor and insights. Jonathan tells us that, "the premise is that Jesus returns to Bethlehem after his resurrection to reminisce about his life and also to give opinions about humanity and even insights on our particular time."

Jonathan Cring is the author of eleven books and fourteen screenplays.

Please join us for this interesting and exciting morning of drama, song, and music! Sign up on the kiosk today!

**New ADULT CHURCH  
SCHOOL CLASS  
this fall!**

We are excited to announce a new Adult Bible Study Class for church school this fall! This Bible-based, Christ-focused, United Methodist-approved curriculum is used by over 400,000 students and teachers each week.



Based on the *Uniform Series*, this quarterly study presents stimulating lessons that explore the biblical message and how to apply it to daily life. The curriculum helps adults move from a focus on the Word to reflection on personal, family, church, and community concerns.

The author of the study is Stan Purdum, recently retired pastor, who holds a master of divinity from Methodist Theological School in Ohio and a doctorate in ministry from Drew University.

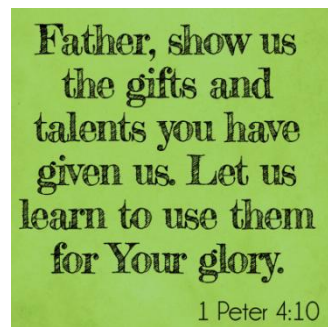
**Ministry Team Fair:  
"Sharing God's Gifts"**

**Sunday, September 21**

The Ministry Teams and Administrative Committees of Salem would like to invite you to join them on Sunday morning, September 21, for "Sharing God's Gifts", a Ministry Team Fair.

Scripture tells us in 1 Peter 4:10 that we are stewards of the manifold grace of God and that each of us have been given gifts from God, and we are to use these gifts in serving.

Come and learn about each of our ministry teams at Salem and how they are serving others. Discover how you might be able to share your gifts and talents. A fun filled informative event you won't want to miss!



**SALEM DARTBALL**

The 2014-15 Church League Dartball season is fast approaching! Games are played on Tuesday nights at various local churches beginning at 7:00 pm. The season begins in

mid-September and ends in March. Salem has a great team, and we are always looking for new members (full time or part-time). This is a fun way to meet other church members and enjoy a time of fellowship and good activity. Any questions? Or to sign up call Gerry Reichert, (262)547-1192. Watch for postings on the kiosk in the narthex for further information.

# Outreach Ministry News



Hope Center is a non-profit organization that has been serving the basic needs of food, clothing, furniture, and financial assistance in Waukesha County for more than twenty years.

## “Project Move” Volunteers Needed

There is a constant need for appliances, furniture, and other household items for people that are relocating from a shelter or a family residence. They need basic items for the next step into independence and self-reliance. Homelessness sometimes is not about a roof over one's head so much as it can be about having a bed instead of an air mattress, a refrigerator instead of an ice chest, or a sofa instead of a lawn chair.

## Kitchen Goods Needed

Hope Center is in need of kitchen items for their clients. They have a shortage of the following items: Coffee pots, toasters, crock pots, flatware, and utensils. Please make sure they are clean and in good repair.

## Clothing Needed

Through June 2014 Hope Center has given away over 5,300 pieces of underwear and over 7,200 pairs of socks! That should give you an idea of the demand they have for the most **basic items** in their Clothing Shop.

## Hope Center Outreach Meal

Salem will be serving the Outreach Meal at the Hope Center on Friday, Aug. 29. We will need to supply servers, help with the clean up, and provide milk and desserts for about 80 men, women, and children. Food and servers should arrive at the Hope Center at 5:00 p.m. If you can help, please sign up on the kiosk.

## “Second Hand Rose”

### Soup and Style Show Luncheon

Hope Center Benefit

Saturday, September 20, 11:00 am

St. Luke Catholic Church

18000 W. Greenfield Ave in Brookfield, WI

Homemade soups, artisan breads, and desserts.

Gently worn fashions to be modeled and sold to the highest bidder.

\$25.00 per person. Pre-sold reservations only.

Register with Laurie at 262-549-8726, or go to [HopeCenterWi.org](http://HopeCenterWi.org).

## News from Interfaith

### Get a Jump on Christmas!

*Celebrate the Season of Joy*

Each year Salem has supported Interfaith Senior Programs by participating in providing items for their annual Holiday Giving Project. They provide a gift to 500 low-income seniors and adults with disabilities each December. This year is no different, however we will be collecting items a little earlier! Between Sept. 7 and Oct. 12, Salem will be collecting:

- \$10 Pick 'n Save, Walgreens, and Walmart Gift Cards (please attach activation receipt)
- \$5 McDonald's Gift Cards
- Large print puzzle books: word search, crossword, Sudoku
- Decks of playing cards
- Pens and pencils
- Books of 20 Forever Stamps

### Volunteers Make a World of Difference!

Interfaith is currently looking for volunteers for the following activities:

**Fall Yard Cleanup:** Interfaith needs our help to prepare homes for winter. Pick a day between October 18 and November 16, and Interfaith will coordinate the rest!

**Driving:** Many seniors or adults with disabilities can't drive anymore, but that doesn't mean they don't have places to go! Assist someone in need by driving them to medical appointments or to the grocery store.

**Tutors:** Be a part of students' learning and achievement by becoming a tutor. School will be back in session before you know it, and that means the need for tutors will skyrocket!

Contact: Jo Jones, Volunteer Manager, at 262-522-2404 or [JoJ@InterfaithWaukesha.org](mailto:JoJ@InterfaithWaukesha.org) to sign up or for more information.

Thank you, Salem,  
for your support of  
our Outreach  
Projects and  
events!!!





## Who's Our Neighbor?

Pastor Jorge will be walking in Salem's neighborhood and will distribute information about Salem's Ministries to homes and apartments during the evenings in September and October. If you would like to join him, please contact him. What a wonderful way to meet our neighbors and share your enthusiasm about Salem with others!



### Automatic Giving

We'd like you to consider

"automatic giving" as a way to simplify your tithes and offerings to Salem. It is convenient for you and provides much-needed consistency for our church. Collection basket offerings can fluctuate significantly from week to week but when contributions are automated, the church receives funds on a steady, uninterrupted basis. Simply contact your own bank to authorize a payment to Salem on a regular basis (weekly, bi-monthly, monthly, etc.). Thank you for your support of Salem's many ministries!



## TUTORS WANTED

The Literacy Council of Greater Waukesha (LCGW) will be organizing its annual "90 Tutors in 90 Days" campaign! LCGW volunteers are needed to work with our students in improving their reading, writing, math and English speaking skills. LCGW will be hosting the following prospective tutor informational meetings:

- **Monday, September 8, 5:30-6:30 p.m.**  
Starbucks (1390 Capitol Dr., Pewaukee)
- **Thursday, September 11, 1-2 p.m.**  
Café De Arts (136 E. St Paul Ave., Waukesha)
- **Monday, September 15, 5:30-6:30 p.m.**  
Starbucks (21481 E. Hwy 18, Waukesha)

To learn more about this agency's mission or how to become a volunteer tutor, please contact the Literacy Council office at (262) 547-7323 or visit the website at [www.waukeshaliteracy.org](http://www.waukeshaliteracy.org)

## Christian Disciple Farm

We are thankful for your support and prayers as we attended the Christian Disciple Farm on August 11-15. It was an amazing experience. This was the 10<sup>th</sup> year that Salem has sent youth and adults to volunteer at this Christian day camp for special needs children, teens and their siblings. This year's theme was "Workshop of Wonders." We discovered how the ordinary becomes extra ordinary with God. We learned to work together to have everyone use their imagination and creativity to build their faith.

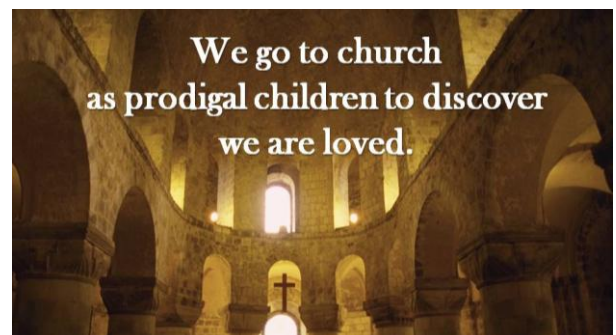
### Participants in CDF 2014:

Sasha Bauer	Nathan Broege
Isaac Chapin	Emilie Cochran
Maddi Loppnow	Emma Hietpas
Regan Andrus	Karen Teschner
Kyle Callen	Grace Callen
Bryan Callen	Kendra Fischer
Ben Manns	Allyson Manns
Andrea Andrus	Deborah Chapin
Amy Manns	

### I go to church...

Not because a sermon is preached, though it can be helpful;  
Not because good music is provided, though I obtain much benefit from that part of the service;  
Not because other people go, though following the crowd is alright when the crowd is going the right way;  
Not because I'm afraid God will punish me if I am absent, though neglect of church attendance brings spiritual poverty;  
Not because I agree with all the religious ideas and lifestyles of everyone who goes. I don't; it is not possible;  
I go because Jesus went even when he could not agree with the scribes and Pharisees, nor the congregation.  
I go because God is my Creator and my friend, the source of all that is worthwhile in my life and in my world.

*-First United Methodist Church, Upland, CA*





## Fall & Winter Church Office Hours

Our Church Secretary, Amy Manns, will be in the office on Tuesday – Thursday, 9:00 am until 1:00 pm. Pastor Jorge will continue to be in his office Mondays through Thursdays

from 9:00 am until mid-afternoon. He will continue to have Fridays set aside as his Sabbath day. Marie's office hours will be Mondays 8:30-12:30, Tuesdays 9:30-12:00, and Wednesdays 8:30-11:15.

### **New Address for Helen Jinkins:**

3217 Fiddlers Creek Dr., Suite 105  
Waukesha, WI 53188.

She is now at Merrill Hills Manor. Her phone number is: 262-542-7025.



September	4	Clarisse Crusan
	5	Don Callen
	6	Doug Lindsay
	7	Gary Rongstad
	7	Kurt Guenther
	9	Pat Bohning
	10	Dick Tesch
	10	Maggie Bringa
	18	Marlys Tesch
	19	Bob Stuempfig
	20	Noah Mitchell
	20	Eve Paddock
	22	Jacob Lindsay

### Serving Salem in September:

#### **Sunday, September 7**

Greeters: Brian & Debbie Campbell  
Acolyte: Seth Hernandez  
PowerPoint: Harriet Young  
Worship Leader: Marie Broege  
Liturgists: Rick Andrus & Peggy Barnes  
Children's Time: Marie Broege  
Serving Communion: OPEN  
Flowers: Bob & Bonnie Stuempfig  
Refreshments: OPEN

#### **Sunday, September 14:**

Greeters: Greg & Kim Newton  
Acolyte: Cole Cochran  
PowerPoint: Paul Becher  
Worship Leader: Judy Schimpf  
Liturgists: Carol Becher & Sheryl Crusan  
Children's Time: Marie Broege  
Flowers: Sue Lewinski  
Refreshments: OPEN

#### **Sunday, September 21:**

Greeters: Brian & Eileen Fischer  
Acolyte: Alison Campbell  
PowerPoint: John Klopp  
Worship Leader: Kim Newton  
Liturgists: John Klopp & Bill Pardoe  
Flowers: Greg & Kim Newton  
Refreshments: Nurture Ministry Team

#### **Sunday, September 28:**

Greeters: Ken & Judy Schimpf  
Acolyte: Isaac Chapin  
PowerPoint: Gary Wollenzien  
Worship Leader: Ken Schimpf  
Liturgists: Harriet Young & Donna Reichert  
Children's Time: Judy Schimpf  
Flowers: Dick & Marlys Tesch  
Refreshments: OPEN

### LECTIONARY

<b>Sept. 7</b>	Exodus 12:1-14 Psalm 149 or Psalm 148 Romans 13:8-14 Matthew 18:15-21
<b>Sept. 14</b>	Exodus 14:19-31 Exodus 15:1b-11, 20-21 Romans 14:1-12 Matthew 18:21-35
<b>Sept. 21</b>	Exodus 16:2-15 Psalm 105:1-6, 37-45 or Psalm 78 Philippians 1:21-30 Matthew 20:1-16
<b>Sept. 28</b>	Exodus 17:1-7 Psalm 78:1-4, 12-16 Philippians 2:1-13 Matthew 21:23-32