Salem United Methodist Church June 2013 Newsletter

#180 Years and Still Loving, Serving and Celebrating



SALEM Methodist Protestant Church 1833





SALEM United Methodist Church 2013

12 High Street, Brookeville, Maryland 20833

To the Salem UM Church Family-

Salem UMC 180 years:

Still Loving, Serving, and Celebrating People don't live to be 180 years old, but churches do! Yes, Salem Methodist Protestant Church held its first worship on Sunday, May 26, 1833. So that makes Salem 180 years old. And yes, we are still, loving, serving, and celebrating! There are no records of what the congregation was like in 1833 or how many people made up the congregation, but how they embodied their faith has been passed down through the generations to what and who we are today.

In 1833 the world was both different from and similar to 2013. Different in that our nation was still young. Andrew Jackson was serving his second term as president. Life was much slower. One either walked or traveled under the power of horses. Steam power was in its infancy. There was no electricity, centralized heating or air conditioning, telecommunications, nor any other conveniences that we take for granted today. Yet similar in that the early part of the nineteenth century was a time of spiritual, moral, and civic instability in our country. The cities were hubs for crime, promiscuity, and alcoholism. Many put their trust in Reason rather than in God and stopped going to church. In many ways, the cultural conflicts of the early nineteenth century are similar to the cultural conflicts today. What did Christians stand for back then? Preaching the Gospel, reducing poverty, promoting Christian morals, and educating both children and adults. Because of their efforts, a revival of Christianity occurred in the nineteenth century known as the Second Great Awakening.

Today many put their trust in something other than God and aren't going to church either. In fact many see the church as irrelevant. In the midst of the cultural wars today, what do we as Christians really stand for? In this anniversary year for Salem, we will be trying to answer this question in our Summer Sermon Series. We would love to hear from you. What do you think Christians should stand for 180 years later in 2013?

One thing is certain; God's love for humanity has existed long before 1833 and will exist long after 2013. Thanks be to God! But how is God counting on us to proclaim Christ in a non-Christian environment?

Standing Firm in Christ, Rev. Sue

Worship Schedule: Summer Sermon Series: What Do Christians really stand for?

- June 9 "Compassion" Luke 7: 11-17 Sunday School Recognition and Disciple Bible Study Graduation
- June 16 "Forgiveness" Luke 7: 36-8:3 Father's Day
- June 23 "Healing" Luke 8: 26-39
- June 30 "Do Not Judge" Luke 9: 51-62
- July 7 "Rule of Law" Luke 10: 1-11, 16-20
- July 14 "Loving Our Neighbors" Luke 10: 25-37
- July 21 "Slow Down, You Move Too Fast!" Luke 10: 38-42
- July 28 "Prayer" Luke 10: 38-42
- August 4 "It's Not About the \$\$\$\$" Luke 11: 1-13
- August 11 "Don't Be Afraid" Luke 12: 13-21
- August 18 "Sometimes Ya Gotta Say, 'No" Luke 12: 32-40
- August 25 "Doing What's Right" Luke 12: 49-56

Legacy Fund, Five Years Later

Last month we celebrated the 180th Birthday of Salem United Methodist Church in Brookeville. We also celebrated the 5th Anniversary of the creation of our Legacy Fund. So perhaps this is an appropriate time to review our accomplishments thanks to the Fund. The Fund was the brainchild of Anna and Clyde Unglesbee, and the capital campaign to fund the Fund was introduced to the Salem membership on May 4th, 2008. Clyde challenged our church family to participate in a three year capital campaign to raise \$175,000 to honor 175 years in the life of Salem.

Thus the last of Clyde's grand visions for Salem was born, named the Legacy Fund. The source and purpose of the Fund as Clyde presented it to the congregation was and is as follows:

1. The Legacy Fund will be created and sustained from gifts, donations and bequests from church members and other friends of Salem. All contributions to the Legacy Fund will be maintained separate from the regular operating budget.

2. The purpose of the Fund is to provide funding for items that are outside the normal operating budget. They may include, but are not limited to: (a) capital improvements; (b) ground and building repairs; and (c) financing of new and innovative programs.

In response to Clyde's challenge, over 100 of our church members and friends contributed more than \$195,000 to the Fund, \$99,500 of which was a bequest from the estate of Barbara (Bobbie) Charles. The current balance in the Legacy Fund is almost \$70,000. Since inception, the Fund has provided \$126,000 to finance important improvements, such as:

- 1. An outstanding loan from Sandy Spring Bank of \$28,000 was paid off.
- 2. In the Parsonage, we removed old carpet, refinished hardwood floors, painted the interior, installed new kitchen flooring, garage door opener, new furnace, and energy efficient vinyl clad windows.
- 3. In the Community Hall, the Church School area was painted, installed clear plastic windows in all doors to conform to Safe Sanctuary standards, and all new air-conditioning. Downstairs the Social Hall was completely remodeled, new furnace and base board heating units installed, and stairs carpeted.
- 4. Improvement to the Sanctuary included exterior painting, carpentry repairs to the base of the bell tower, chimney and flue repairs.
- And outside, we have all new mowing equipment, built a flood control swale at 310 Market Street to divert storm water from our property which was inundating one of our neighbors, paid for

Hey Kids! It's a Very Veggie Summer!

professional landscaping assistance for all of our front gardens and the playlot, and installed a new, high-tech locking system for all exterior doors.

All in all, we think Clyde would be very proud, as we should be also, of all we have accomplished with his dream. The Legacy Fund has provided the capital needed at critical points the past five years. Thank you all for your past and future support of the Fund as we go forward in God's ever changing, always exciting new world.

Buck Bartley, Member of the Legacy Fund Committee

Ministering to our Children

Mother's Day 2013



This year the emphasis for Mother's Day was Imagine No Malaria and the suggestion was an Alternative Mothers Day Gift of Bed Nets or funds for Imagine No Malaria which is used to reduce the number of deaths from malaria on the African continent. Rev. Janet used this theme to tell the children about the disease and some ways to eliminate it. David Beye made a fantastic Mosquito and some of the children, using the flower given in honor of Mothers Day, tried to crush him. However, with the help of Chet Babylon and Brandon Savage, a bed net was placed over the children and the mosquito could not reach them. What a beautiful lesson in love and caring for others in need.



Join us every Sunday during the 10:00 service for the adventures of Bob and Larry and all your favorite Veggie Tales characters. Begins Sunday, June 16 and runs through Labor Day. Children come to worship, stay through the children's message, and then go to the community hall for Veggie Tales fun! Adults needed and welcomed. Talk to Rev. Janet if you are willing to be a Veggie Volunteer.

Salem UMC Acolyte Schedule

June

- June 2: Andrew Sterling
- June 9: Lexi Groves
- June 16: Jacob Weinberger
- June 23: Melody McWilliams
- June 30: Amy Roberts

July

- July 7: Brianna Groves
- July 14: Andrew Sterling
- July 21: Melody McWilliams
- July 28: Amy Roberts

August

- August 4: Jacob Weinberger August 11: Lexi Groves August 18: Melody McWilliams
- August 25: Amy Roberts

Substitute: Savannah Miller

URGENT NEWSLETTER NOTICE:

Effective with this Newsletter, a deadline will be published for <u>receipt</u> by the publisher (currently Velma Durant) of each item intended to be in the <u>following</u> Newsletter. This will be a <u>firm</u> deadline for which no deviation will be allowed (except with approval from the full Council).

The Olney Day Parade



May 19 dawned with showers, the cool and cloudy and the thought creeping into minds was 'will the parade be cancelled?' It was not and the people showed up to march, Bill Henderson brought his beautiful 1937 Packard, Anne Ennis and Rev. Sue brought all the signs, while Nancy and Rob Morrell managed bags and bags of lollipops and we were ready to go. Everyone had fun: along the way lollipops were tossed or given to the any and everyone who looked like they needed a treat. Our "walkers" passed out flyers about Day Camp and the upcoming Concert and Spaghetti Dinner to support our ASP upcoming adventure into the world of helping those less fortunate.



A special thank you to Bill Herndon for the use of his car, Bob Brown for the signs, and for the Salem twelve who made Christ known through us to Olney.

FROM THE CONGREGATION



The windmills in their brilliant reds and yellows to represent the "tongues of fire" that fell on the disciples and all that were gathered in the Upper Room on the day of Pentecost. May 19th was Pentecost Sunday and Rev. Sue's message was entitled "Fire."

Since I have started working on the newsletter, I have not written anything of my thoughts for publication since I do most of the write-ups on the stories in the newsletter. However, during the sermon on Pentecost Sunday, Rev. Sue presented a series of questions that would not leave my thoughts. All of them together basically asked the question "What do you think of church?"

After giving us a few minutes in group(s) discussion, Rev. Sue called us back to worship and asked us to comment on our discussion. Several people made comments, some of which I couldn't hear, but what I did hear sounded good. I fought with myself in making a comment and finally "just had to." The church is a building the congregation built in 1833 and called it God's House. A place for God to dwell? No! We dedicated the building to God and asked Him to meet us there.

There is a song we sing at Salem that says in part "I am the church, you are the church, WE are the church together..." God's house is in our hearts and souls. We meet at "God's house" as often as we can to share our faith and renew our spirits. This is done in several ways. To name a few: fellowship, music and sermons from the word of God which include scriptures and maybe even a little history. Let's talk about OUR church, Salem United Methodist Church. When we walk in the door, the first thing we do is great our brothers and sisters in Christ. As you shake their hands or give them a Christian hug you are passing God's love between you. That love spreads when strangers walking through the door can feel it and know "God lives here." Have I just contradicted myself? I said the building was not God's dwelling! So think about it; you come in and bring God with you, God is living there in you, I come in and bring God with me, and so on. When the service starts, God and God's love have filled the house. With the addition of the scripture reading and the music add the message God has given our Pastor, and our love for God is increased even more than what we came in with. It's a wonder someone doesn't lift their hands toward heaven and praise the God of our salvation and the God of the universe.

I am the church, you are the church, we are the church together. Let's remember that and as we come to worship know that when we leave we are taking God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit with us. Allow the cashier at your favorite grocery store see that love, the person in the car ahead of you or beside you see that love. Lest I forget, let the members of vour household see that love: sometimes it's hard, but as God's disciples we must force ourselves to maintain our Christian experience in the most difficult circumstances. These can be and are a drain of the spiritual renewal we received on Sunday and we "can't wait" to return to get a "refill" of God's love. In truth, God's House just turned into a filling station! A filling station where we go as often as possible to refill our hearts and souls with the joys of God's everlasting love.

Salem Women's

May 11, UMW dinner:

Good planning, lots of ideas and help made for another successful fundraiser for Salem's Methodist Women. Thanks to the men for helping in the heavy work and cleanup. Rumors have us profiting almost \$2,000.00 for a delicious dinner. A special thanks to Sandy Spring Lions for their generous donation. Stay tuned for our next adventure. Our goal is to start renovating a very old kitchen. Bobbie would be pleased!!!!! Follow up meeting June 20th @ 6:00 pm in the hall. Pizza and drinks provided.

Lois Erisman

PEOPLE HELPING PEOPLE

Who better needs our help if not our Children! Check out below and look for the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board. Also time for ALL Adults who do not have the Safe Sanctuaries certificate to give Rev. Janet a call and join me in the training. Velma

<u>Adults needed for Very Veggie Summer</u> (a.k.a. Playful Praise or Summer Sunday <u>School).</u>

Our Sunday school teachers get a summer vacation too, so please consider volunteering a Sunday with our children this summer. Each Sunday comes with its own Veggie Tales video, coloring sheets, and stickers. All you have to do is show the video, enjoy coloring and conversation with our children, and take them outside to play if there is any time left over. Adults must be at least 18 years old and Safe Sanctuaries certified (we can get you certified if you aren't already – it just takes a short training session and a background check). Contact Rev. Janet at 240-472-0763 or

<u>youth@salemunitedmethodist.org</u> or sign up on the Very Veggie Summer calendar on the bulletin board to volunteer.

DISCIPLES 4

In a recent class, one of our assignments was to read Psalm 97 each day and write one sentence describing God, followed by "The Lord is king! Let the earth rejoice." Virginia Smith submitted the following:

- 1. God is just and cares for His Own, the Lord is king! Let the earth rejoice.
- 2. Even the earth and birds of the air praise His name. The Lord is King! Let the earth rejoice.

- 3. The atmosphere praises the God of the universe. The Lord is King! Let the earth rejoice.
- 4. Even the gods of this world bow down to worship. The Lord is king! Let the earth rejoice.
- 5. The morning breaks fair for the righteous even in the mist of storms. The Lord is king! Let the earth rejoice.

Now, it's your turn. Read Psalm 97 and describe God in your own heart from what you read. Share if you would like, I'll be glad to print the "verses" as they come to me. With or without your name write them on a piece of paper and put them in the newsletter box in the Choir room.

CONGRATULATIONS

Rob and Barb McClosky are grandparents again! Camryn Rae McClosky was born on May 21st to Todd and Lindsey McClosky.

Congratulations, Graduates!

Graduation season is coming. Please join us in congratulating our Salem scholars! On June 2, we will recognize our high school graduates at the 10:00 service.

Youth Group

June 2, regular youth group meeting, 6:30-8:00 p.m. The Spaghetti Dinner and Concert will be the theme of the meeting.

June 9, end of the year Killer Bunnies-themed party. 6:30-8:00 p.m. Come for green gelatin with evil pineapple chunks, cheese balls, large prune Danishes, carrots, cabbage, water, and KILLER BUNNIES! Bring your favorite Killer Bunnies food to share! (Adults, don't worry. Killer Bunnies is a card game we play in youth group. We really aren't killing rabbits... (2)

THE GATHERING



Rob Morrell as he presents his program on "Deaf By Design: Ethical Issues in Studying Hereditary Hearing Loss"

"Christians as Scientists Support Group"

At the Gathering on Sunday May 17, I talked about the ethical issues that society is facing as the genes that cause deafness are being discovered. Although the Deaf Community often has a unique perspective about the uses, and possible misuses, of genetic information, we all should be aware of the changes that are accelerating around us. We are facing unprecedented ethical challenges while at the same time we live in an increasingly 'post-Christian' world.

What role will the Church have in a Brave New World of genetic manipulation? Are there special obligations for scientists who are also Christian? Can scientists stay true to their Christian principles, or even voice them in their workplace? If you're a scientist, do you feel that you have to hide your Christianity at work and take care in what you say?

I don't think I'm alone in having these concerns. Perhaps it's time for a Support Group for Scientists at Salem. If you would like to participate in an informal discussion of these topics, share your experiences or listen to others, please contact Reverends Sue and Janet.

-- Dr. Robert Morell, NIH scientist and member of Salem Church

Happenings

<u>ATTENTION:</u> Mark your calendar: Remember Christian Day Camp is coming to Salem July 8-12, 2013! Are you ready? There will be Fun, Games, Crafts and most important the word of God to share with the children.

ASP

ASP Happenings

ASP crews prepared a wonderful breakfast on May 19th to raise money for their next adventure. They raised \$575.00 on this fundraiser and we thank everyone who participated.



As we enjoyed our breakfast, we could watch a slide show of past adventures.

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May 26, 1833 Salem Methodist Protestant Church was born: in 1910 a new larger church was built across the street from the original building. In 1997 an addition was added to the church to join the Cemetery, Parsonage and Orndorff Hall. It is a beautiful church; however, the building isn't the church as we have all heard the past few weeks. During her reminiscing of the church history, Rev. Sue read Comments from some of our elderly members. Fascinating stories told of long ago. Wouldn't it be nice to have personal records to pass on to future generations as they plan the next major milestone in Salem's history?

Please consider writing your own memories of Salem, the People, the jobs they held, the jobs you

had and your favorite memory. Rev. Sue will be able to guide you in writing your own Salem story.

It would be nice to have a list of everyone who has worked on the newsletter and when it was first published. Does anyone know how to contact any former pastors?

Memorial Day Service

At 9:30 am on Memorial Day we gathered at the cemetery for a short memorial service led by Rev.Sue and Mrs. Liz Brigham. The VFW presented colors, with the pledge to the flag, and singing "America the Beautiful," Rev. Sue read John 15:12-17. Mrs. Brigham gave an inspiring talk about a Medal of Honor recipient. Debbie Ambrose closed the service by singing "God Bless America."

UPCOMING EVENTS

Thursday, June 6 Book Club <u>Behind the</u> <u>Beautiful Forevers: Life, Death and Hope in</u> <u>a Mumbai Undercity</u> by Katherine Boo - Nonfiction

Katherine Boo spent three years among the residents of the Annawadi slum, a sprawling, cockeyed settlement of more than 300 tin-roof huts and shacks in the shadow of Mumbai's International Airport. From within this "sumpy plug of slum" Boo unearths stories both tragic and poignant - about residents' efforts to raise families, earn a living, or simply survive.

This will be the last Book Club meeting until September.

The Gathering: Sunday, June 16 following 6:00 pm potluck, 6:30 to 8 pm. Come join us for fun and spiritual refreshments only worshipping God can provide.

Subject will be:

Christians as Scientists Support Group

R.O.M.E.O.



Seated left to right, Randy Kennedy, Ron Sterling, George Robinson, Rick Myers, Chuck Sterling, and Buck Bartley

R.O.M.E.O. is still going strong on Monday mornings at 9 am at Dempsey's in Ashton. All men are welcome.

<u>Church Council:</u> Thursday, June 27, 7:15 pm in Salem Community Hall.

Coffee Hour Hostesses

Hostesses/Co-Hostesses for the June time frame are:

6/2 Debbie A.
6/9 Anne E. & Joyce H.
6/16

6/23 Pustis family

Birthdays and Anniversaries

If your name should be on one of these lists, please add it to the list on the bulletin board. We don't want to leave you out. Thank you.

Our June Birthdays are:

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Savage, Debbie	06/07
Craswell, Janet	06/09
Benson, Timmy	06/11
Morell, Mary	06/12
Odbert, Fred	06/12
Odbert, Emily	06/13
Barrett, Rhonda	06/18
Savage, Brandon	06/18
McClosky, Aubrey	06/21
Van Horn, Danielle	06/23
Beye, Gene	06/24
June Anniversaries.	

Beye-Craswell, Gene and Janet	06/03
Roberts, John and Carole	06/22

HEALTH NEWS FROM THE PARISH NURSE

Life Line Screening:

Again Salem will be hosting Life Line health services screening on Tuesday, June 18 in the Community Hall. Prices vary per test. For more information and to register visit www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners.

<u>Organ Donation: Think About Making A</u> <u>Difference!</u>

Did you know that almost every hour of every day, someone in the United States dies waiting for an organ transplant? But it doesn't have to be that way and you can help make a difference and save a life! Anyone can sign up to be an organ donor through the Maryland MVA but this is not an option many people are aware of or choose. But there's an easier way to give the gift of life now. Did you know that you can add "Registered as an Organ Donor" to your Facebook timeline as a "Life Event"? You can also click on a link and register as a donor in only a few minutes. It's easy to do! Here's how to do it using Facebook: 1. Go to your profile page; 2: Where you type your status event, click on "Life Event"; then **3.** Click "Health & Wellness" and then "Organ Donation"; 4. Enter all the details you want to share with your FB friends: then 5. Click "Save."

To register officially through Donate Life America (a non-profit alliance of state and national registries), either click on "sign up with the appropriate registry" before you save your LIfe Event or go directly to

www.donatelifemaryland.org and follow the instructions.

(original source: "Sharing is Caring" in Johns Hopkins Health, Spring, 2013, page 5)

As always, I am available anytime to answer your questions, if I can. My email address is stahleybrn@comcast.net; my home phone number is 301-774-1080.

Maryellen Brown

In Our Community

In keeping with Alex's memory and spirit - the Register, Run & Enjoy Community Fun: Alex's Run on June 23rd

The Alex Popeck Never Back Down Foundation is again hosting Alex's Run, an event honoring the memory of Alex Popeck and raising money for scholarships for Montgomery County high school students who are Difference Makers in their community, school or family. The 5K (3.1 mile) run-walk is for people of all abilities. Registration is \$20 per person, includes a race t-shirt, refreshments and begins at 8:30am at OBGC on Route 108 at the Freeman Fields in Olney. To register, volunteer, or sponsor, visit www.apnbd.org

Follow us on twitter: @APNeverBackDown

Like us on Facebook: facebook.com/AlexPopeckNeverBackDown

(Note: Anyone wanting more information on Alex Popeck, a short write-up will be sent with the request.

If you are interested in learning more about him contact me and I will give you the story.) Velma Durant

Sandy Spring Lions Club: Monday, June 24 at 7:00 pm, in Salem Community Hall.

Eyeglass Collection: Salem will continue to collect used eyeglasses, cell phones and hearing aids to donate to Lions Club. Please leave them in Salem Community Hall.

Manna Food Center: 9311 Gaither Road, Gaithersburg, MD 20877, or online at www.mannafood.org; to volunteer call 301-424-1130.

Olney Help: P.O. Box 430, Olney, MD 20832; to volunteer call 301-774-6829. They still have need of dried peas/beans (small bags), sloppy Joe sauce, crackers, cookies, granola bars, canned chili, pancake syrup, pasta side dishes, frosting, and canned meats. Please place items in the box in church hallway. <u>No glass jars.</u>

DEADLINE FOR JULY NEWSLETTER:

<u>21 JUNE 2013</u>

A Warm Thank You

In a note from Joanne Burroughs, Charlotte Bryan's daughter, she writes: "I do speak of Salem with Mom to try to keep the memories of her church in her mind. She talks about going to church often and I know those thoughts come from her memories of Salem as her church was so much a part of her life.

"Mom appreciated the card sent by Joann Keister, It's displayed in her room..."

Prayer Shawls:

Prayer Shawls are available in Salem Community Hall. There is no cost; if you know anyone you want to share a prayer with all the time, see Carole Roberts or Rev. Sue for a shawl. The comfort they give is well worth the effort of delivering one to your friends, family or co-workers. They will thank you!

AND THE ANSWER IS –



Left to right Charlyne Lewis, her twin Charlie and younger sister, Mary Catherine I wish to thank Carole Roberts and John Howes for their guess, sorry it was wrong!



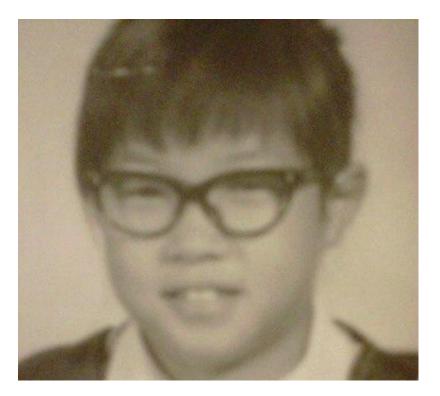
Charlyne

Charlyne wrote:" Something about me: I was born in DC at the "old Sibley" hospital, attended Catholic Schools, and I loved to solve mysteries. I would have made a good sleuth. I lived in Mt. Rainier as a kid and always had pets (21 cats at one time growing up). My family lived in Riverdale during my teen years and I married my best friend and sweetheart.

I love to 'hit the malls', am an avid gardener and 'green thumber.' I traveled 13 times across & back over the United States with hubby."

OUR NEXT CHALLENGE ...

DO YOU KNOW WHO THIS IS?



Answer in July's Edition of the Salem Newsletter.

I hope you are enjoying these flashes from our past. Remember, if you know anyone in this picture (I will give you a hint, it's one of the girls), e-mail me at <u>velma_durant@yahoo.com</u> or stop me in Church and let me know

Salem United Methodist Church

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2 8:15am Worship	3 9:00am ROMEOs at Dempsey's in	4 10:00am Prayer Partners at Joanne	5 9:00am "Upper Room" Bible	6:30pm Cub Scouts, Den 3, Hall	7 10:00am Knitting	1
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