# SALEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

## 12 High Street Brookeville, MD Electronic Bulletin ONLINE WORSHIP ONLY

April 11, 2021 Service Time: 9:30 A.M.

Online Live Worship: <u>https://SalemUMC.live</u> OR Join Zoom Fellowship Worship

9:15 A.M.—Catch up with your Salem friends. 9:30 A.M.—Watch the service "together" on Zoom. 10:30 A.M.—Prayer requests are gathered. Rev. Emily will join us to address any questions from the service and to spend time with the congregation. Click here to participate: https://zoom.us/j/93461431149?pwd=eWk4VmorU1pvYW5nTXFkcG9ZUDNWUT09

## **Announcements**

## Welcome Alan Naylor!

Alan joins us today as our new Music Director. Alan is a classically trained musician who has worked throughout the DMV area and the United States as an actor and musician from national tours to world premieres, and off-Broadway to the Olney theatre. More about Alan as well as links to his music will be posted on the website.

## **Combined Bible Study and Joys and Concerns Time**

Joys and Concerns Sharing: Wednesdays 6:30-7:00 P.M Immersion Bible Study: *Mark* by Emerson B. Powery Wednesdays April 07–June 02 from 7:00-8:00 P.M. Readings for Wednesday April 14: Chapter 2 in the book and bible readings Mark 2:1-12, 3:1-6, 5:1-20, 5:21-43, 6:53-56, 7:24-30, 7:31-37, 8:22-26, 9:14-29, 10:46-52

Click here to participate: https://zoom.us/j/94812192432?pwd=T256VnIzQ1VwVk83eGljeGRLL3pNQT09

## **Dealing with Our Devices**

Thursday, April 15 from 1:00–2:00 P.M. in the Community Hall

Do you have a frustrating iPhone or iPad? You're not alone! We will gather in the Community Hall to learn some "iDevice" basics such as: what the different icons mean, what different

"swipes" do, how to Facetime, how to make the images bigger, how to adjust the sound. What would make your life easier? Before you come try to think of at least one thing you want to learn about your device. Please let Rev. Emily know if you plan to participate.

## **Islam Chat**

Thursday, April 15, 2021 on Zoom from 6:30-7:30 P.M.

https://zoom.us/j/96648750779?pwd=ZkJ6bnRDTFVuQXRhTXdwcGRNK29zZz09

Are you curious about Muslims, the Middle East, or Arabic? Join Chris Hart to chat about Islam and more. Chris spent six years as an Arabic translator in the military and attained a high level of proficiency in the language. There is an inseparable connection between language and culture. To be proficient in a language you must be familiar with the culture which includes history, politics, religion, and customs. Our goal is to learn in an unbiased way—Chris will not share ideas about "right" or "wrong." Instead, we'll discuss history, cultural development and religion from an outsider's perspective. Come with your curiosity and send in your questions ahead of time to <u>emily@salemunitedmethodist.org</u>.

#### **Reopening for In-Person Worship**

Beginning May 02, in-person worship will resume. Details to follow.

Rev. Emily takes her Sabbath Day on Fridays and a vacation day on Federal holidays. In the event of an emergency when she is off, please call (301) 774-7772. She is available the remaining days 9:00 A.M. – 6:00 P.M.

## **Worship**

#### Preparing

Prelude Welcome and Announcements Opening Prayer Call to Worship with Body Prayer Song: UMH #534 "Be Still My Soul"

## **Proclaiming**

Prayer for Understanding Scripture: 1 Corinthians 12: 12-27 Sermon: Beach Body of Christ

#### Responding

Song: TFWS #2227 "We are the Body of Christ" Pastoral Prayer Lord's Prayer Offering Thank you for mailing in your offerings. Please continue to do so. If you haven't yet done so, please consider mailing your offerings to:

12 High Street Brookeville, MD 20833

If you would like to give by app, please go to the Google Play store or the App Store (depending on your device) and download "Give Plus." Then search "churches near me," and Salem should pop up. You can do all your giving through this app!

If you have financial needs, please contact Rev. Emily. She will keep your need confidential and do all she can to assist you.

Offertory

#### Claiming

Song: TFWS #2223 "They'll Know We Are Christians by our Love" Benediction

## <u>Scripture</u>

## 1 Corinthians 12:12-27 (NRSV)

For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. <sup>13</sup> For in the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and we were all made to drink of one Spirit. <sup>14</sup> Indeed, the body does not consist of one member but of many. <sup>15</sup> If the foot would say, "Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body," that would not make it any less a part of the body. <sup>16</sup> And if the ear would say, "Because I am not an eye, I do not belong to the body," that would not make it any less a part of the body.<sup>17</sup> If the whole body were an eye, where would the hearing be? If the whole body were hearing, where would the sense of smell be? <sup>18</sup> But as it is, God arranged the members in the body, each one of them, as he chose. <sup>19</sup> If all were a single member, where would the body be? <sup>20</sup> As it is, there are many members, yet one body. <sup>21</sup> The eye cannot say to the hand, "I have no need of you," nor again the head to the feet, "I have no need of you."<sup>22</sup> On the contrary, the members of the body that seem to be weaker are indispensable, <sup>23</sup> and those members of the body that we think less honorable we clothe with greater honor, and our less respectable members are treated with greater respect; <sup>24</sup> whereas our more respectable members do not need this. But God has so arranged the body, giving the greater honor to the inferior member, <sup>25</sup> that there may be no dissension within the body, but the members may have the same care for one another. <sup>26</sup> If one member suffers, all suffer together with it; if one member is honored, all rejoice together with it.

<sup>27</sup> Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it.