SALEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

12 High Street Brookeville, MD Electronic Bulletin ONLINE WORSHIP ONLY

April 25, 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

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 28: Chapter 4 in the book and bible readings Mark 4:10-12, 6:6b-13, 7:17-23, 8:14-21, 8:27-30, 9:30-37, 10:10-12, 10:23-31, 10:32-34 Click here to participate: https://zoom.us/j/94812192432?pwd=T256VnIzQ1VwVk83eGljeGRLL3pNQT09

> 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.

Reopening for In-Person Worship on Sunday, May 2 Watch our Re-Opening Video! <u>https://youtu.be/L7Zr7R9EIW0</u>

We are returning for in-person worship! Worship will be held outdoors, weather permitting. In the event of inclement weather, the service will be held indoors, and that decision will be made no later than the preceding Saturday evening. Indoor capacity is 29 family units. The service will continue to be streamed on <u>www.SalemUMC.live</u>

Outdoor Service:

Bring your own chair. Socially distance. Masks required. Singing allowed with masks. Hymnals, bulletins and prayer request forms will be available on a cart. Attendees must complete Contact tracing information. Help after the service as needed – no assistance needed with sound/video production.

Indoor Service:

Socially distanced seating indicated by crocheted scarves. Masks required. No singing. Hymnals, bulletins and prayer request forms will be available on the front table. Attendees must complete Contact tracing information.

Worship

Preparing

Prelude Welcome and Announcements Opening Prayer Call to Worship with Body Prayer Song: TFWS #2226 "Bind us Together"

Proclaiming

Prayer for Understanding Scripture: Acts 4:32-35 Sermon: Beach Body of Christ—A Sharing Body?

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: UMH #572 "Pass it On" Benediction

Scripture

Acts 4:32-35 (NRSV)

The Believers Share Their Possessions

³² Now the whole group of those who believed were of one heart and soul, and no one claimed private ownership of any possessions, but everything they owned was held in common. ³³ With great power the apostles gave their testimony to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and great grace was upon them all. ³⁴ There was not a needy person among them, for as many as owned lands or houses sold them and brought the proceeds of what was sold. ³⁵ They laid it at the apostles' feet, and it was distributed to each as any had need.