

Looking Ahead

Today, Sunday, January 28

9:00 am - Confirmation
9:15am - Sunday School
10:15am – Greeters: John & Lucinda Kluver
10:15am – Nursery-Toddler Room: Duane & Brianna Holmgren
10:15am – Nursery-Infant Room: Leah Beckman & Katelyn Friedlein
10:30am – Worship
Noon – EPIC Workshop for church leaders with Jon Kramka

Tuesday, January 30

7pm – June 4-8 VBS planning meeting at the Kerkhoven Free Church. If you would like to help plan this year’s VBS, please come! Call Bernadette at 320-894-9305 if you have any questions.

Wednesday, January 31

5:45pm – Supper Servers: Team 4
6:30-8pm – AWANA ages 3yrs.-6th grade
6:30pm – Heart Association 7th -12th grade
7pm – Adult choir practice in the sanctuary
7pm – “Adult Pray Time” in the library

Thursday, February 1

6:30pm – Covenant Women, “Summertime in the Winter!” at Salem. Planners are Maria Hulscher and Leah Beckman

Friday, February 2 at 5pm AND Sat. Feb. 3rd at 9am

“Men’s Ministry Night” (women can come too) finishing the Grand Prix track. Contact Eric Peterson, Brian Friedlein or Craig Dischinger for more information

Saturday, February 3

8:30am-2:30pm – Abundance Women’s Conference at Willmar Assembly of God Church, in Willmar. With guest speakers Rev. Dr. Mari Thorkelson, Kathy Weckwerth of Best Life Ministries & Alison Werder of Ali J Boutique in New London. Tickets are \$25, includes lunch. Please see bulletin board for more information.

Sunday, February 4

9:00 am - Confirmation
9:15am - Sunday School
10:15am – Greeters: Ethan & Sharon Calvin
10:15am – Nursery-Toddler Room: Kara Rothers & girls
10:15am – Nursery-Infant Room: Scott & Rachel Rambow
10:30am – Worship with Communion
11:45am – Farewell lunch for Pastor Andy & Shannon League



Wednesday, February 7

5:45pm – Supper Servers: Team 5
6:30-8pm – AWANA ages 3yrs.-6th grade
6:30pm – Heart Association 7th -12th grade
7pm – “Adult Pray Time” in the library

Thursday, February 8

11:30am - Thursday Food and Fun at the Kerkhoven Civic Center. The Kerkhoven Free Church will be serving barbeques and all the trimmings for a free will donation. There will be a speaker on heart health and door prizes! If you're 55 or over and like good food, come for dinner! Bring a friend and a neighbor. Remember to call the city office, 264-2581, if you need a ride by 3pm on Tuesday.

Sunday, February 11

9:00 am - Confirmation
9:15am - Sunday School
10:15am – Greeters: Bob & Bernadette Fuchs
10:15am – Nursery-Toddler Room: Eric & Beck Peterson
10:15am – Nursery-Infant Room: Maria Hulscher
10:30am – Worship
11:45am – 1st Inquirers’ Class

Sundays February 11th, 18th & 25th – Inquirers’ Class

This three-week discussion is for those who are new to Salem, or have been here for a while and may be thinking about membership. Among the topics are:

- The history, mission, and ministry of Salem
- The history, principles, and ministry of the Covenant Church
- What church membership is all about
- Possible next steps in your own journey at Salem. While participation is required for membership, it does not obligate you to join the church.

Registration Deadline: Wednesday, February 7th. Please contact Pastor Rich at 651-271-3271 if you are interested in attending this class. A light lunch will be served after church before each class.

Saturday, February 17 - *Escape Room Adventure*

11am – Arrive at Salem. Clues & hunt on the way to Alexandria. Lunch on own with group before the escape room challenge. Escape room orientation will began at 1:30pm. Please sign up on the bulletin board before Sat. Feb. 3rd. Contact Eric Peterson at 320-212-5927 for questions and to RSVP. Cost \$22 per person.

We extend our sympathies to the family of Maybelle Broberg. Maybelle passed away on Thursday, January 25th at the age of 92. Peace to her memory.



Next Sunday's Message

Many people associate “evangelical” with “evangelistic,” and for understandable reasons. They also associate “main line” denominations with social change. They do not put evangelism and social change together. Historically, though, the two were much more closely connected. The Covenant itself has a long history of addressing societal needs, and some of our churches have played leading roles in addressing the practical needs of their communities.

Join us next week as we look at our next Missional Marker: Ministries of Compassion, Mercy, and Justice.

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Office Hours Mon. & Thurs. 8am-2pm

Weekly budget needs for 2018 \$4,664

Jan. 21, 2018 Attendance: 145, Offering \$3,291

Welcome! Salem Covenant Church January 28, 2018

Prelude

Barb Gunderson, Organist
Jan Toledo, pianist

Greeting

*Songs of Praise

Consecration of 2018 Executive Board Members

Prayer Time

Offering Ourselves and Resources to God

*Songs of Praise

Message

Rich Theilen
“Intentional Evangelism”

*Closing Hymn #685:

“I, The Lord of Sea and Sky”

*Benediction

***Stand as you are able**