SALEM UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST, DENVER

"No matter who you are, or where you are on life's journey, you are welcome here."



July 7th, 2024

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

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*All are invited to stand in body or spirit

RINGING OF THE BELL

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND PASSING OF THE PEACE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: We are called by Jesus to be in ministry and mission to this world.

All: But we wonder if we are going to be able to do this mighty work.

One: As we have listened to Jesus' words of teaching, seen the healing ministry, so we must place our trust in the call to go and serve.

All: Lord, prepare us this day to truly be the disciples you would have us be.

UNISON PRAYER

God of mystery and community, you have called us here this day to remind us of the mission journey you set before us. Help us to pay attention to the words of Jesus as he sent out his disciples on a mission of healing and compassion. Remind us that success is not measured in the cures- but in the striving. Enable us to truly be your disciples in this world. In Jesus' Name, we pray. AMEN.

*OPENING HYMN Guide Me O My Great Redeemer NCH#19

FIRST READING Psalm 48

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

COMMUNION INVITATION

This table is open to ALL who wish to partake

HYMN OF PREPARATION

Spirit of the Living God
2 times

NCH#283

COMMUNION PRAYER AND WORDS OF INSTITUTION

COMMUNION MEDITATION

FAMILY MOMENT

SECOND READING Mark 6:1-13

MESSAGE

HYMN OF RESPONSE Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us NCH #252 vs.1-3

OFFERING MEDITATION

*DOXOLOGY NCH#780

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise God all creatures here below, Praise God for all that Love has done, Creator, Christ, and Spirit, One. Amen

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CLOSING HYMN Sent Forth by God's Blessing NCH #76

*BENEDICTION & SENDING FORTH

POSTLUDE



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THIS WEEK AT SALEM

Tuesday

Bible Study, 10 AM, online. Word of the day is... *Temperature* What a wonderful word. It isn't limited to the heat of the day. At meetings, the temperature can rise, discussions at the dinner table... Cool minds can prevail...

Worship/CE Team meeting – 7 PM, via Zoom

Wednesday Coffee and Conversation – 9 AM, at Detour Bakery

Finance and Property – 10:30 AM, church library

Community Meal – 6 PM, Community Hall

Thursday Administrative Team – 5 PM, via Zoom

Saturday Salem History Tour, 10 AM, meet at the church

12:30 PM, lunch at the church

Sunday Worship 9:30 AM, 11 AM, potluck lunch – please

bring a dish to share!

Announcements

Next weekend is Salem's 140th birthday! Saturday morning July 13th we will gather at the church for a historical tour. At 10 AM, we will follow Salem's history throughout the Denver area, then we will return to the church for lunch afterward. Please be sure to contact Dustin no later than noon on Friday and let him know if you will be coming so we will have enough food for everyone.

On Sunday we will have a special service, with potluck and music to follow - our friend Lee Hamre will be playing! Come celebrate with us and *invite your family and friends to join us!*