



Isn't it great when you go somewhere and are greeted by the most wonderful people who genuinely care about you. Well, you can be one of those people. Just volunteer to be an usher here at Salem. It's an important role. You're the first one to make an impression on a guest and you set the tone for the entire visit. If you enjoy meeting new people, take a minute and talk to Steve Gregory about becoming an usher. You can also reach Steve at 314 662-0179.

### **Points to ponder from John Wesley**

*(as we read today of Jesus' public acts)*

"I reflected much on that vain desire, which had pursued me for so many years, of being in solitude in order to be a Christian. I have now, thought I, solitude enough; but am I therefore the nearer being a Christian? **Not if Jesus Christ be the model of Christianity.**"

"I build on Christ, the rock of ages; on his sure mercies described in his word, and on his promises, all which I know are **yea and amen.**"

"The best thing of all is **God is with us.**"

### **Attendance**

January 26, 2020 - 54

## Salem in Ballwin UMC

*Parish Notes*

February 2 - February 9, 2020

### **The Millennium Mission Candle**

The candle can be lit on Sunday mornings in memory of someone or in honor of someone. A \$10.00 minimum donation is requested. Request forms are located in the narthex.



### **February's Mission is LifeWise STL -**

#### **Formerly Kingdom House**

Their mission is to help people achieve a better life. By fusing high-impact educational programs with supportive partnerships between participants and professional staff, they help the under-resourced improve their well-being and change their futures.



### **Needs Circle of Concern**

#### **Critical - Cereal**

Jelly - Condiments - Canned Pasta - Adult Diapers -  
Hand Soap - Body Wash - Razors - Baby Wipes



Fill your years with life,  
not your life with years.