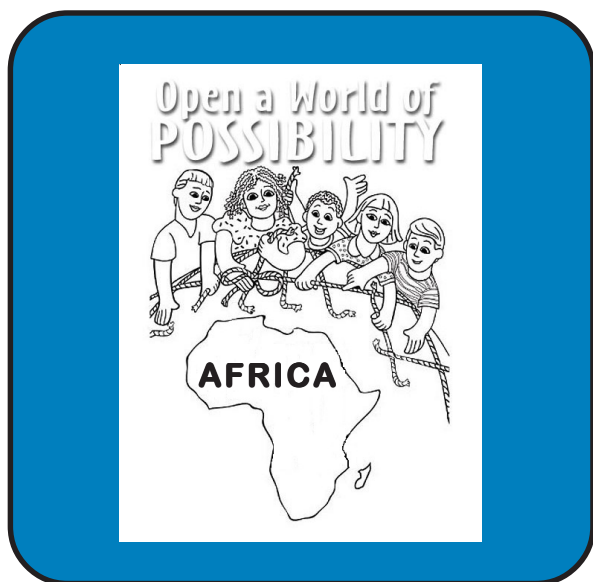


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Vacation Bible School August 2 - 6 9 AM - Noon

Next week, all around the church, children will be learning about who is a neighbor. It is so much more than the person living next door to you or across your street. With story time, acting, crafts, games, and snacks we will be exploring what it means to be a neighbor in this wonderful world that God created! We will be

opening our eyes, ears, hearts, hands, and mouths to discover how we can be a "good" neighbor in this glorious creation.

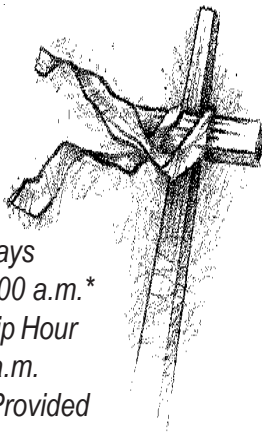
The Bible stories that the children will be learning include The Creation Story, The Good Samaritan, Jesus' Feeding of the 5,000 People, The Widow's Mite, and Jesus Calling His Disciples. Each day, through the various activities, we will learn more about these stories. It promises to be an awesome week and you won't want to miss it!

You can still be a part of this week-long experience. Please sign up your children, friends, and neighbors. You can also volunteer to help. Even if you can only help for one day, we would love to have you. Please fill out a form. If you have any questions or need additional information, contact Wendy Thomasson at 689-0727.

We are also still collecting the following craft items: empty paper towel rolls, coffee cans with lids, Pringle cans with lids, empty tissue boxes (all sizes), oatmeal containers with lids, empty margarine type containers with lids, fish stickers, rubber bands (all sizes), and tissue paper. Please bring any of these items to church and place them in the tub by the VBS bulletin board in the Gallery.

Most of all, join us as we learn about how ... "We can do all things through Christ who strengthens us!" This is our theme verse for the week from Philippians 4:13. What a wonderful verse to learn! We hope to see you next week at VBS.

Worship With Us



Sundays
8:00 & 10:00 a.m.*
Fellowship Hour
9:15 a.m.
*Nursery Provided

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Thank you from ...

...Mildred Sarver - "Thank you for all the cards I received and for the girls that came and sang 'Happy Birthday'."

...Virginia Lutes - "Thank you for all the box tops that have been collected. They raised a total of \$72.50. Please continue to save your lids!"

Important Prayer Chain Notice

Ron and I will be without consistent internet service for the next several months and I will not be able to receive prayer requests. Until we get re-established with internet service sometime near the end of the year or the beginning of next, Jean Graff has graciously agreed to substitute for me. Beginning August 1, please email all prayer chain requests to Jean at kjeb4@comcast.net or call her at 691-2967. You can also call the church office at 688-9212. Thank you and may the Lord bless you. Norma Hartman.



Prayer Requests

- ...The family of Sharon Glawe (Regg's aunt, killed in a car accident July 22)
- ...Midwest Food Bank and all the volunteers
- ...The brave men and women of our armed forces
- ...Salem members celebrating their birthday this week
- ...Our country and those defending it
- ...Those of our congregation serving in the military

To add your prayer concern to the Prayer Chain (or to join the Prayer Chain) please contact Jean Graff at 691-2967 or send an e-mail to: kjeb4@comcast.net, or prayerchain@salemofpeoria.com.

August 2010

Salem Lutheran Church Monthly Planner

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM Worship 9:00 AM Coffee Hour Blood Pressure Sun Ride Bus to 2nd Serv	2	3 9:15 AM Prayer Group 7:00 PM Congrega- tional Council	4 7:30 AM Breakfast 7:00 PM Serendipity	5 9:30 AM Bible Study	6 1:30 PM Bridge/Board Games	7 2:30 PM Knobloch/ Strunk Wedding
Vacation Bible School						
8 6:30 AM KX to Six Flags 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM Worship 9:00 AM Coffee Hour 9:00 AM Family Service Project	9	10 9:15 AM Prayer Group 9:30 AM Womens Summer Bible Study	11 7:30 AM Breakfast 1:00 PM Summer Family Movie 7:00 PM Serendipity	12 6:43 AM Endowment Committee 9:30 AM Bible Study 12:30 PM Summer Activity - Hooked on Fishing	13 1:30 PM Bridge/Board Games	14
15 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM Worship 9:00 AM Coffee Hour 11:00 AM Salem Family Camp at LOMC PSS Sunday Ride Bus to 2nd Serv	16 5:00 PM Return from Salem Family Camp at LOMC 7:00 PM Salem Church Men Board Meeting	17 9:15 AM Prayer Group 1:15 PM Staff Meeting 6:15 PM Committee Chairs 7:00 PM Committee Meetings	18 7:30 AM Breakfast 1:00 PM Summer Family Movie 6:00 PM SCW Board Mtg 7:00 PM Serendipity	19 9:30 AM Bible Study	20 1:30 PM Bridge/Board Games 1:30 PM Pinochle	21
22 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM Worship 9:00 AM Coffee Hour 9:00 AM KX Planning Mtg 12:00 PM Back to School Swim Party at River City Home Communion	23	24 9:15 AM Prayer Group 6:30 PM Lydia Circle	25 7:30 AM Breakfast 6:00 PM Confirmation Picnic 7:00 PM Serendipity	26 9:30 AM Bible Study	27 1:30 PM Bridge/Board Games	28
29 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM Worship 9:00 AM Coffee Hour 10:00 AM Walk Thru the New Testament Rally Sunday	30 7:00 PM Preschool Parent Night	31 9:15 AM Prayer Group 9:30 AM Mom's Group				

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August Birthdays

August 1
Henrik Wilczewski

August 3
Caleb Aeschliman
Paul Bahnfleth
Cloyd Conard

Patty Lantz
August 4
Idan Ghazanfari
Emmalyn Krantz

Margaret Krantz
August 5

Paul Steffek
August 6

Ross Massey
Nancy Owen

August 8
Patricia Arehart

August 9
Nicholas Doty

August 10
Brice Turner
Evelyn Wright

August 11
Jean Graff

August 12
Jan Taylor
Scott Thompson

August 14
Elizabeth Bolton**

Justin Grabel
Beverly Holmes

August 15
Riley Neltner

August 16
Heather Arnold
Jon Ripper

August 17
Richard Gott
Jennifer Paar
August 18

Brandon Lott
Nona Mitchelar
Nathan Reimer
Marshall Vasquez

August 19
Michelle Ginger

August 20
David Anderson

Kyle Mathisen
Dennis Steele

August 21
David Anderson
Sandra Carlson

August 22
Jason Breidel

Ron Stearns
August 24

Berthena Hayes**

August 25
Nathan Glawe
Frances Riley**
Emily Skolozynski

Leo Vandervlugt
August 26

Gustav Krantz
Bethany Schultz

August 27
Joy Anderson

Jason Hauer
August 28

Kristine Bell
Mildred Getz

Dennis Krus
Ellen Mangan

August 29
Edna Carlson

Tammy Eckhardt
Suzanne Ellis

August 31
Donald Graves

Frank Mohr

**Special birthday wishes are extended to Elizabeth Bolton who will turn 91 on August 14; to Berthena Hayes who will turn 86 on August 24; and to Francis Riley who will turn 91 on August 25. Congratulations to all of you!!



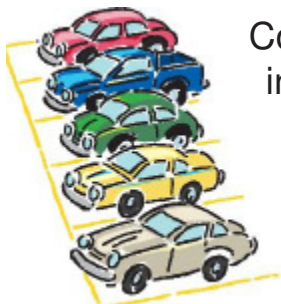
Lori Reimer
688-8190

Safeguarding your eyesight is an essential part of your overall health. Here are some tips for taking care of your eyes.

- Have regular physical exams by your doctor to check for diseases like diabetes. Such diseases can cause eye problems if not treated.
- Have a complete eye exam with an eye care professional every 1 to 2 years. The eye care professional should put drops in your eyes to enlarge (dilate) your pupils. This is the only way to find some eye diseases, such as glaucoma, that have no early signs or symptoms. The eye care professional should check your eyesight, your glasses, and your eye muscles.
- Find out if you are at high-risk for vision loss. Do you have a family history of diabetes or eye disease? If so, you need to have a dilated eye exam every year.
- See an eye care professional at once if you have any loss or dimness of eyesight, eye pain, fluid coming from the eye, double vision, redness, or swelling of your eye or eyelid.
- Wear sunglasses and a hat with a wide brim when outside. This will protect your eyes from too much sunlight, which can raise your risk of getting cataracts.

For more information on eye health stop by the Wellness Center in the weekday narthex.

Remaining Asphalt Work



Starting Monday, August 9, Tazewell County Asphalt will begin work on repairing and resurfacing our south parking lots and the drop off area near the rear entrance. Once the work begins, please park only in the east and west parking lots until it is completed. Thank you!

Six Flags Trip Date Change

The new date for the Kappa Chi trip to Six Flags in St. Louis is Sunday, August 8. We will leave Salem at 6:30 a.m. and return by midnight. The cost is \$35 per person and checks should be made payable to Salem Youth Ministry. Please sign up and pay by Sunday, August 1.



Peoria Chiefs Game

The Greater Peoria Thrivent Chapter is sponsoring a Peoria Chiefs game vs. the Quad City River Bandits at 6:30 p.m., Saturday, August 7.

It's Jimmy Buffett Night, and there will be a fireworks



show and concert after the game. Contact your Thrivent Chapter Representative or Sharon Resler at 673-0848 for tickets. Enter through the main gate and drop off your ticket at the Thrivent table for prizes. There will also be a limited number of \$5 food coupons available.

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CHANGE SERVICE REQUESTED



SALEM FAMILY

Growing People in Christ

Salem Family Overnight Camp

Salem Families of all ages have an opportunity for an overnight trip to Lutheran Outdoor Ministries Center in Oregon, IL. The Salem bus and caravan will leave Salem Sunday, August 15, after worship at 11:00 a.m. We will return Monday, August 16, by 5:00 p.m. If you have work responsibilities on Monday, you can leave camp late Sunday night or early Monday morning while your family enjoys the rest of the retreat.



Cost of the trip is \$80 per room/family, and includes 3 meals, a private room in beautiful Freedom Tree Village and all camp activities. We will enjoy hiking, swimming, fishing, canoeing, a campfire, songs and family devotions.

We currently have 4 families signed up, but there's plenty of room for more. Don't miss this opportunity for family fun, faith and fellowship in the great outdoors! Sign up at the Welcome Center or contact Jill for more information.



Friday, August 6 and
Saturday, August 7

Single elimination
tournament

*My mouth shall speak of
wisdom, and my heart shall
meditate on understanding.
Psalm 49:3*