

Opportunities for Worship, Service and Study

**Sunday, January 13**

Bridge Service in the Family Life Center 9:30 a.m.  
 Traditional Worship in Sanctuary 11:00 a.m.

**Monday, January 14**

Red Cross Blood Drive in the Choir Suite 1:30—7:30 p.m.  
 Staff Meeting 2:00 p.m.

**Tuesday, January 15**

PCLA 8:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.

**Wednesday, January 16**

Wednesday Night Supper & Bible Study 5:30 & 6:15 p.m.

**Thursday, January 17**

PCLA 8:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

**Friday, January 18**

Fabulous Jades in FLC 5:30 p.m.

**Saturday, January 19**

Karate Kids for Christ Registration in the FLC 10:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

Dan Dixon, Pastor  
 Carol Standard, Asst. Pastor  
 Charles Ingram, Music Director  
 Linda Schell, Organist    Bryan Dobbs, Organist    Pat Daniel, Pianist  
 Annette Harmon, Church Administrator  
 Debbie Andrews, Beth Story, Nursery Personnel  
 Praise Band: Mike & Carol Rodock, Jason Wayne, Annette Harmon

Cash Counters: Jimmy Smith, Phil Standard  
 Lock up Building: Gary Bloodworth

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**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**January 13, 2019**

**11:00 a.m.**

Prelude		Bryan Dobbs
Lighting of the Candles	<i>Walk In The Light</i>	
Call to Worship	<i>Sweet, Sweet Spirit</i>	#334
Welcome and Announcements		Rev. Dan Dixon
Opening Prayer		
*Opening Hymn	<i>When Jesus Came to Jordan</i>	#252
Affirmation of Faith		#881
Offertory Prayer		Bryan Dobbs
*Tithes and Offerings		
Offertory		Bryan Dobbs
*Doxology	<i>Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow</i>	#95
Pastoral Prayer		Rev. Dixon
Lord's Prayer		
Song of Preparation	<i>Clean</i>	Charles Ingram
Sermon	"The Baptized Body" Luke 3:15-17, 21-22	Rev. Dixon
Invitation		
*Closing Hymn	<i>Alleluia</i>	#251
Benediction		
Threefold Amen		
Postlude		Bryan Dobbs

Hearing devices are available from an usher.

\*Congregation stands as able

A nursery is provided for children during the service for up to age 3 years old.  
**Children's Church is provided for children ages 4—2nd grade**  
**Children will be dismissed following the Children's Sermon**

## Prayer List from Sunday, January 6, 2019

### Shut-ins & Long Term Recovery

Weston Barnette	Willis & Jeanette Britt	Ann Deerman
Jack & Joan Gibson	Ed Hooten	Warren Kirkus
Harry & Cornelia Melton	Earline Seale	Ann Sutton
Ethelene Thompson	Ola Vaughn	

### Church Family

Doris Compton	James Gardner	Jerry Garner
Rita Hadaway	Louise McGiboney	Mike & Louise McGraw
Joe Paschal	Andy Peabody	Shirley Pierce
Johnny & Linda Schell	Pat & John Solomon	Don & Bev Stewart
Nancy Taylor	Shirley Thomas	Fred Vick
Jerry & Mary Ann Williamson		

### Family & Friends

Helen Adams	Jan Wallace Davis	English Family
Fran Enyart	J.D. & Jon French	Joe Jackson
Prater Family	Billy Ragsdale	Shirley Sauls
Jason Tames	Kathy Walker & family	Cheryl Walling
Whitley Family	Martha Williams	

### Other

All Teachers	Bridge Service	Shut-ins
Salem UMC & Staff	Military Personnel	Our Country
Karate Kids for Christ		

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**FLOWERS** are placed in the Sanctuary this morning for the glory of God and in honor of Brenda Dixon, just because, by Dan Dixon.

**RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE** on Monday, January 14 in the Choir Suite from 1:30—7:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER & BIBLE STUDY** started back on January 9. Our first series for the new year is “What’s So Great About Romans 8?” There are some religious scholars that believe the 8<sup>th</sup> chapter of Romans is one of Paul’s best written works of his lifetime. The study will be about 4 weeks long as we break down Paul’s passage about how the Holy Spirit through Christ sets us free from the old law of sin and death.

**FABULOUS JADES** will be performing on January 18 & 25 in the Family Life Center.

**KARATE KIDS FOR CHRIST** registration on Saturday, January 19 in the FLC from 10:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

**SPAGHETTI/LASAGNA LUNCHEON** on Sunday, January 20 after the 11:00 service. Donations will be accepted and proceeds will be divided evenly between the mission committee and the building fund debt.

**FINANCE MEETING** on Thursday, January 24 in the Education Office at 6:15 p.m.

**CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING** on Thursday, January 24 in the Seekers Class at 7:00 p.m.

**2019 FLOWER CALENDAR** is now available. You can sign up by calling or emailing the church office or sign up on the website [www.salemumc.org](http://www.salemumc.org). Dates open are Feb. 3, 17 & 24; March 3, 10, 17, 24 & 31 as well as other months. We still have a lot of open dates. We have a standing order with a florist and the cost is \$38.00 each week. Be sure to sign up today and get your favorite Sunday!

**BBQ MEAT**—We still have BBQ meat available for sale. It is located in the FLC freezer for \$10 per pound. If you help yourself please put a check in the offering plate and note what it is for, or you may come by the church office during the week.

**GENTLY WORN SHOES**--Last day to donate is Sunday January 13th.. Please help us make our goal, we are a few bags off. Thank you in advance COVINGTON WOMAN'S Club. See Dianna Saltzgeber or Billie Hester

**BACKPACK BUDDIES**—We are collecting food for Backpack Buddies. We supply nutritious food items for the weekend for children who may not have adequate food. Listed on the bulletin board in the office hallway are the food items in individual servings that are needed each week. There is a container under the bulletin board to put your food for Back Pack Buddies.

**STEPHEN MINISTRY** is a program at Salem UMC which links trained personnel with persons who may be struggling with some life situation that would be helped by having someone to talk to and walk this part of the journey with them. If you are interested or know someone who may be interested please contact Dan Dixon.