

Calendar of Events

- Aug 3-5 Family Fun Trilogy** – 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. nightly
Aug 03 Men's Christian Fellowship @ 7:30 p.m.
Aug 06 Prayer Group @ 1:00 p.m.
Aug 09 Prayer Time for Service @ 8:30 a.m.
Praise Music @ 9:15 a.m.
Worship Service @ 9:30 a.m.
w/Reception of New Members
w/Coffee Hour Following
Adult Sunday School @ 11:00 a.m.
Aug 10-12 **All Church Cleaning!**
Aug 13 Prayer Group @ 1:00 p.m.

Upcoming Special Music

- Sunday, August 9th – Available
Sunday, August 16th – Available

Announcements

Balcony Is Open: To make more room in the Sanctuary, the Balcony is open for seating as needed during this time. There shouldn't be any unaccompanied children sitting in the balcony.

Coffee Hour: Coffee Hour will be Sun., August 9th after church! This will feature a variety of cookies from Carrie Dyk's Bakery!

Holy Communion: The congregation will be ushered forward on Sun., August 2nd, to receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion. This is being done in place of passing the communion trays in the pews. Thanks for being understanding as we make this adjustment in the present time. We FIX our EYES upon JESUS, thankful for the sacrifice He gave upon the Cross!

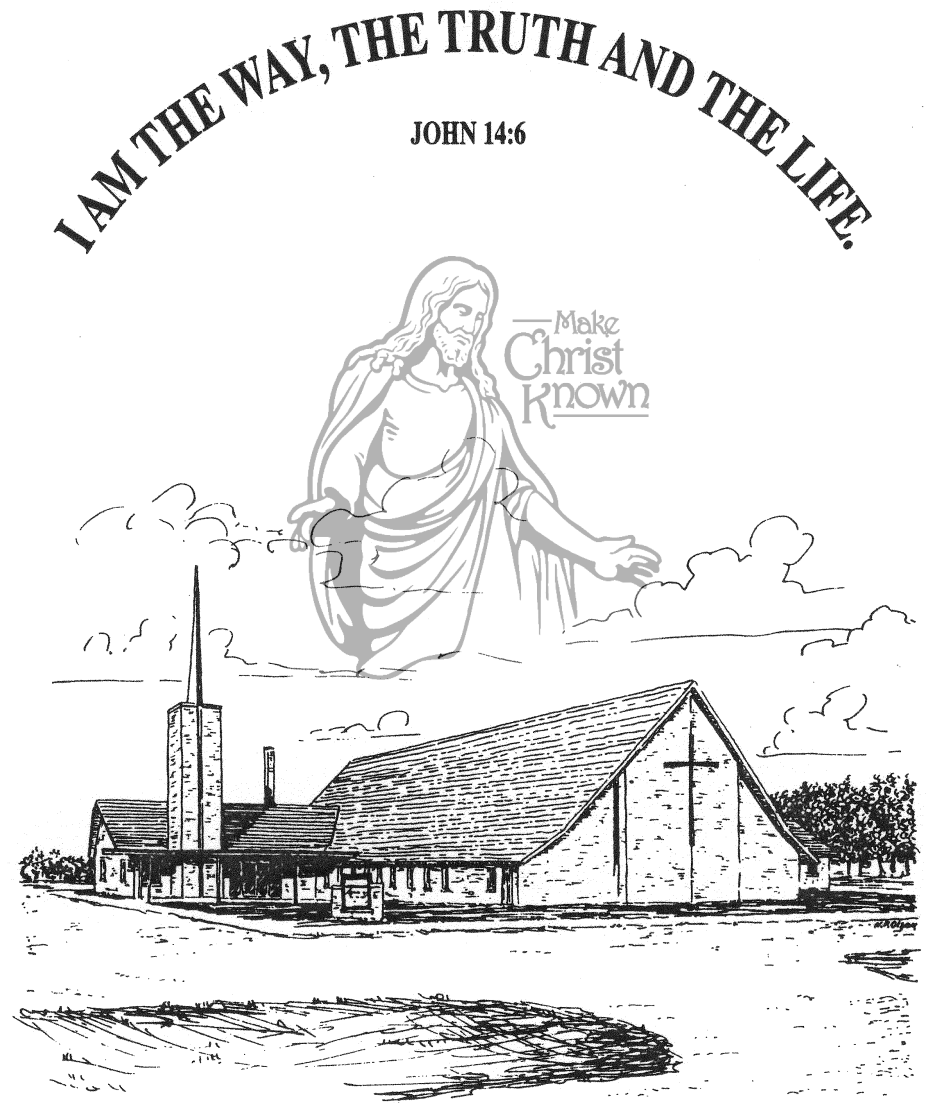
All-Church Cleaning: The Annual Church Cleaning is scheduled for August 10-12, 2020. **Please watch the **August Salem Spire** to see where you are being asked to help. Thanks!

Sound/Video/Projection Crew: We will plan to have a meeting of these volunteers after church TODAY! We thank God for each one of you as you faithfully serve the Lord!

Offering Box: An Offering Box is placed at the back of the sanctuary for today's service. It will also be in the Narthex for anyone wanting to bring their offering during weekday mornings.

Salem Reformed Church – Who Are We?

We believe the Bible to be the inspired, inerrant, infallible Word of God in it's original manuscripts. It is our supreme authority in all matters of doctrine and practice. We are affiliated with the Conservative Congregational Christian Conference.



August 02, 2020

**Salem Reformed Church
Menno, South Dakota**

SALEM REFORMED CHURCH

Menno, South Dakota

Rev. Michael Hecht	Pastor
Sharyl Herrboldt	Pianist

9:30 AM – Worship Service August 02, 2020

Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

Meditation: Heidelberg Catechism Question #66

Q: What are the sacraments?

A: *Sacraments are holy signs and seals for us to see. They were instituted by God so that by our use of them He might make us understand more clearly the promise of the gospel, and might put His seal on that promise. And this is God's gospel promise: to forgive our sins and give us eternal life by grace alone because of Christ's one sacrifice finished on the cross.*

Praise Music: #55, #59, #67, #115, #32

Welcome / Announcements

Opening Prayer

***Hymn:** #43 "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Our Time of Offering

Invitation to Give

Hebrews 12:1,2 NIV

***Doxology**

(sung on page #815)

***Lord's Prayer**

(debts and debtors)

Kingdom Kids: "Remember"

The Holy Scriptures

I Corinthians 10:14–22

Large Print NIV, pg. 1782

Sermon: "A Fresh Commitment to Christ as Lord!"

Prayer of Confession

#58 "Purify My Heart" (praise book)

#336 "There Is A Fountain Filled with Blood"

Sacrament of Holy Communion

***Hymn:** #513 "Thank You, Lord"

***Benediction:**

***Hymn:** "God Bless America!"

Postlude

(*denotes standing for those able)

The congregation will be ushered out after the Benediction.

Office Hours for Pastor Hecht:

Tuesday – Friday: 8:00 AM to Noon (Church Office)

Afternoons: Visitation or Church Office

Church: 387–5334 Parsonage: 387–2855

Pastor Mike's Cell #: (605) 660–1803

Church Web Page: saalemreformedchurch.com

Opportunities

Greeters Today:	Deacons
Sunday Prayer Time:	8:30 a.m.
Praise Music:	9:15 a.m.
Worship Service:	9:30 a.m.
Adult Bible Study:	11:00 a.m.

Announcements

Welcome: We extend a warm welcome to our visiting guests this morning – both in person and online. We ask God's blessing upon you and we pray that you will return and worship with us again soon.

Family Fun Trilogy: August 3–5, from 6:30–8:30 p.m. (Thurs., Aug. 6th will be a possible rain date if needed.) We are asking that a parent, grandparent, or other adult be present with their child(ren) throughout the evenings. ****NOTE:** The evening offerings will be given to the Activities Dept. at the MOCC.

Holy Communion: We at Salem Reformed Church recognize an open communion table. All are welcome to partake of the bread and wine and accept the gift of grace that God offers to us through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. ****The inner most ring of the communion tray contains grape juice. All other rings contain wine.**

Prayer of Confession: Heavenly Father, as we come to the Table that You have prepared for us today, we are humbled by Your great mercy. We realize that You have not treated us as our sins deserved nor have You repaid us according to our sins. Instead, You have placed us in Christ, and have blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing in Him. Today, we make a fresh commitment to our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Forgive us for getting tangled up in the sins of this world and the desires of the flesh. Heavenly Father, as we confess our sins to You today, we thank You for forgiving us and cleansing us from all unrighteousness. In Jesus Name we pray, Amen.