



Order of Worship

16th Sunday after Pentecost
10:45 AM – September 12, 2021

*Welcome to worship, fellowship and Christian education.
May the Holy Spirit touch your life during your time here today.*

As we enter our Service, please be in an *attitude* of Worship.

GATHERING CHORUS

Chapel - "His Name Is Wonderful" Hymnal # 174
Sanctuary - "How Great Is Our God"

TIME OF GREETING ANNOUNCEMENTS INVOCATION

THE PRELUDE - "Lord, Be Glorified"
-by Bob Kilpatrick, arr. by Mark Hayes

*CALL TO WORSHIP -

The heavens are singing, proclaiming God's creation.
Glory to God and praise to His name!
God's law is perfect; God's teachings are sure.
Rejoice, O heart; be revived, O soul!
Christ's way is clear; the way is right.
May we follow God's path, and live in Christ's light!

*OPENING HYMN - 159
"Lift High the Cross"

MISSION MOMENT

SPECIAL MUSIC

THE QUIET TIME - PRAYER - OUR LORD'S PRAYER

THE OFFERTORY - "This Is the Day"
-by Les Garrett

*THE DOXOLOGY - 95

*THE SCRIPTURE READINGS:
NEW TESTAMENT - James 3:1-12
NEW TESTAMENT - Mark 8:27-38

This is the Word from the Lord
THANKS BE TO GOD.

*THE GLORIA PATRI – 70

HYMN OF PREPARATION - 424
"Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone"

Children may be dismissed for 2nd hour.

MESSAGE – "Seeking the God Who Is"
-Pastor Steve Sullivan

*CLOSING HYMN – 415 "Take Up Thy Cross"

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE – "Great Is the Lord"
-by Michael and Debra Smith

*Thank you for joining us in worship!
Have a blessed week!*



Bertie Hanson meetings

will start back up on
Thursday, September
16th at 1pm.



George McKee, Kyle Franzen,
Wayne Greier, Mary Ann Hoobler,
David & Marg Bloor, Sarah McCallion and
Louanne Markovich

Written concerns can be submitted to the
office by calling 330-337-9531
or office@firstumcsalem.org

SERVING TODAY

COFFEE HOUR: 9:15 am

GREETERS: Roger & Karen Zeigler

2nd HOUR HELPERS: Barb Irwin

READERS for September: 8:30: Cecilia Hrovatic
10:45: Eileen Lafferre

ACCOLYTE: Blakely Brooks

USHERS: 8:30: Bill Sedlacek
10:45: Team #4 - Beardsley

USHERS for September 12: Team #5 - Peppel

DRIVERS for September: Mark Schmidt & Jim Mueller



September 5, 2021

Giving:

Unified Budget: \$ 3,302

Specified: \$ 646

Total Offering: \$ 3,948

Rev. Steven Sullivan,
Senior Pastor
saalemfirstumcpastor@gmail.com

John Fitch – “Hearts on Fire” Pastor
Yvonne Bennett – Church Treasurer
Jenny Toporcer – Office Manager
Linda Peterson – Organist
Chris Brown – Director of Music
La Chelle Bridges - Custodian

news & events

SEPTEMBER

- **9/15/21 All Church Meeting @ 7pm**
Rev. Mike Grant speaking about Wesleyan Covenant Association.
- **9/16/21 Bertie Hanson @ 1pm**
Meetings start back up.
- **9/19/21 Coffee Hour & 12 p.m.**
Meet and Greet for Michael Popa’s fiancé, Kelsey.
- **9/22/21 Wednesdays @ 7 p.m.**
Fall Bible Study starts.
- **9/25/21 Saturday**
Meatloaf pick-up day.



This Week ...

Sunday, September 12

8:30 a.m. - Worship - Chapel
9:30 a.m. - Sunday School
10:45 a.m. - Worship – Sanctuary
11 a.m. - “Hearts on Fire” Fellowship Hall

Monday, September 13

6 p.m. - Trustees Meeting
6 p.m. - Finance Meeting
6 p.m. - Scout Meeting

Tuesday, September 14

8 a.m. - Prayer in Chapel
1 p.m. - DUH!
4 p.m. - Youth Bible
6:30 p.m. - Christian Ed. Meeting
6:30 p.m. - Worship Meeting
7 p.m. - Missions Meeting

Wednesday, September 15

6 a.m. - Men’s Bible Study
9 a.m. - Women’s Bible Study
5:30 p.m. - Griefshare
6-8 p.m. - HOF Praise Practice
7 p.m. - All Church Meeting

Thursday, September 16

9:30 a.m. - UMW Board Meeting
1 p.m. - Bertie Hanson Meeting
7 p.m. - Sanctuary Praise
7 p.m. - Adult Choir Practice

Saturday, September 18

10 a.m. - Clothes Pantry

Sunday, September 19

8:30 a.m. - Worship - Chapel
9:30 a.m. - Sunday School
10:45 a.m. - Worship - Sanctuary
11 a.m. - “Hearts on Fire” Fellowship Hall
12 p.m - Popa Meet/Greet
TBA - Youth

Welcome to the Fortress of Faith

September 12, 2021



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Worship Services:

Chapel: Sun. 8:30 a.m.
Sanctuary: Sun. 10:45 a.m.
Hearts On Fire 11 a.m.



Our Mission:
To make disciples of Jesus
Christ for the transformation
of the world.