

Salem Happenings

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This Week at Salem Church of God

February 10, 2012



We are called to serve! This is our mantra as followers of Christ. At Salem, we are intentional about it and want to give the opportunity for everyone to be active in ministry.

Join us for a light breakfast Sundays Feb. 12 & 19 at the Celebrating Missions Fair and browse the various ministry fields where you can join, live out your faith and share your joy. For more info contact Nabil Safi: n.safi@salemchurch.org

Support Our Students... IYC Spaghetti Dinner, This Sunday

February 12, immediately following service in the gym

This Sunday our Salem students will be serving a spaghetti dinner in the gym to raise funds for their "International Youth Convention" trip in July. No reservations are needed. There will be a free-will donation at the door. For more info, contact Craig at ext. 112.



Upcoming Classes and Events

Recommended first step for new people... Starting Point...let the journey begin!

Thirteen weeks beginning February 12, 9:15 -10:15 a.m., Room 106

This class will equip you with a better understanding of the Church of God movement, find out who Salem is and introduce you to the five Biblical purposes that will give you a taste of

Salem Offers Online Giving

Your partnership in the ongoing ministry of Salem Church of God has never been more important or more simple. You can now make financial contributions to Salem through our secure online system. For more info or to make a contribution you can visit our secure web page by [clicking here](#).

Quick Links:

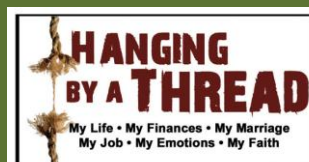
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Join us this Sunday for Hanging By A Thread

Perhaps you are one of those who feel that you are

just hanging by a thread in your ability to cope with the challenges of life. This sermon series is for you!

Pastor Moss is bringing helpful Biblical truth to show us hope and the power to persevere. *Invite a friend and join us!*

Gal Pals

IYC Spaghetti Dinner,
February 12, Gym

Gal Pals are a group of women who are divorced, widowed or never-married that meet once a month to share a meal together. This month

Gal Pals are helping support the youth this month by attending the spaghetti dinner. This money will help the students pay for their trip to IYC in Denver, Colorado. If you are interested in learning more about Gal Pals, call [Missy](#) at ext. 100

the life God created you to live. We will assist you in discovering your gifts and talents, so that you are better equipped to identify and fulfill the mission God has created just for you! Let us know you would like to begin this journey by contacting [Alisa](#) at ext. 123.

Weekend to Remember Marriage Getaway

February 24-26, Hyatt Regency Cincinnati or March 2-4, Dayton Marriott

If you're married or engaged and want to take your relationship to the next level, don't miss your opportunity to attend a Weekend to Remember Marriage Getaway. The getaway weekend is a time to be together as a couple, away from the distractions of life. You'll have the opportunity to strengthen your marriage. The format consists of listening to fabulous speakers in a ballroom setting and then working on projects together as a couple - just the two of you! Contact Jack & Sherry Hoying at 836-4070, visit

www.familylife.com/groups/hoying and click on "Join my Group" or e-mail adultministry@saalemchurch.org.

4th Annual Shoes For Orphan Souls Campaign

February 12 - March 9

Help the Children's Ministry collect 500 pairs of shoes during the 4th Annual Shoes for Orphan Souls campaign. Please share this opportunity with co-workers and schools! Shoes for Orphan Souls, a ministry of Buckner International, provide new shoes and socks to orphans and at-risk children in the United States and throughout the world. Due to customs regulations, all shoes must be new. Please place new shoes in the large shoebox in the RAC hallway.

Shoe Packing Party - Don't miss the packing party on **Saturday, March 10 at 10:00 a.m.** in the Gym (RAC)! We'll count and organize all the donations received during the Shoes for Orphan Souls campaign and ready for shipment to the warehouse. Watch for more information to register your family for this interactive service opportunity. For more info or brochures to about Shoes for Orphan Souls, contact SalemOrphanOutreach@gmail.com or Heather Bench at (937) 245-0317.

Mother & Son Event

Saturday, Feb. 18, Salem Gym, pictures begin at 5:45 p.m., event 6-7:30 p.m.

This Mother (or any positive female role model) and Son Event is FREE and sponsored by Mpact. Come join us for a night full of desserts, music, games and fun! Please RSVP to Craig by Feb. 15 at childrensministry@saalemchurch.org or ext.112.

IYC Spaghetti Dinner- Support our students!

Sunday, February 12, immediately following service in the Gym

Join us for a spaghetti dinner. The youth will be serving their guests as they raise funds for their "International Youth Convention" trip in July. No reservations are needed. We asking for donations of spaghetti noodles and Prego traditional sauce. These donations can be dropped off in the church office. This will be a free-will donation at the door. For more info, contact [Craig](#) at ext. 112.

Miami Valley Women's Center Diaper Drive

Sundays, February 12 and 19
This Diaper Drive will support the Miami Valley Women's Center.

Please drop off diapers at the designated area in the lobby. During this economic time, MVWC is there to reach out to mothers in need. Stop by and see what ministries MVWC does for mothers. For more info, contact Lynda Windsor at

ljwindsor@juno.com.

Giving

Weekly Need: \$34,815

Offering 2/5/12:
\$35,520.18

Hugs Project Supporting Our Troops

Saturday, Feb. 11,
9 a.m. - 1 p.m., Room 310

Join us! As always, we need help from those who sew and those who don't. If you sew, please bring your sewing machine and tan thread.

Contact Charlene at clkaiser@woh.rr.com or 239-8563.

Get Creative ... "Experience and Express God's Love"

Each week we are ending our worship service with a prayer and a commission to "Experience and Express God's love." We need your help! How many different ways and different places can you use the Experience It Express It logo?

Get creative and take a picture. Submit pictures to communications@saalemchurch.org.



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If you have a medical emergency and need to contact a staff person after office hours call 937-474-9753.

