

At Salem Church, we celebrate the **Lord's Supper weekly**. We can participate in this celebration only because we are forgiven and welcome through Jesus. *Let a person examine himself, then, and so eat of the bread and drink of the cup.* 1 Corinthians 11:28

As we celebrate the Lord's Supper, please note that the cups in the outer ring of the wine tray contain **grape juice**. The cups in the inner rings contain **wine**.



Salem Church Missions & Benevolence

Local

Pregnancy Resource Center
www.pregnancyrc.com

Regional

Metro Atlanta Presbytery

National

PCA Partnership Shares

International

Evan and Bonnie Jones and family - MTW Missionaries in Burkina Faso
JAARS www.jaars.org

Welcome to



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Sunday, November 20, 2022

10:00 am, Sunday School

11:00 am, Worship

About Us:



SALEM CHURCH is a church in the Metropolitan Atlanta Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA). We invite all who are interested to join us in worship and fellowship every Sunday morning. Together, we are praying to be used by the Lord to become a beacon of the gospel, drawing people from Heard County...Georgia...the United States...and the world (Acts 1:8) to the peace and life-changing power found in our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

Come, let us sing for joy to Yahweh; let us shout joyfully to the rock of our salvation. **Psalm 95:1 (LEB)**

The Worship of God

Come in, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before Yahweh, our maker.
Psalm 95:6 (LEB)

( = please stand if able)

Greeting and Announcements

Prayer

Call to Worship

1 Chronicles 16:31 — 36

Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice; And let them say among the nations, "The LORD reigns."

Let the sea roar, and all it contains; Let the field exult, and all that is in it. Then the trees of the forest will sing for joy before the LORD; For He is coming to judge the earth.

O give thanks to the LORD, for He is good; For His lovingkindness is everlasting. Then say, "Save us, O God of our salvation, And gather us and deliver us from the nations, To give thanks to Your holy name, And glory in Your praise."

Blessed be the LORD, the God of Israel, From everlasting even to everlasting.

 **Hymn** "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come" 715

 **Confession of Faith:** The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; Who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried; and the third day He rose again, according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and is seated on the right hand of the Father; and He shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.

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And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and Giver of Life, Who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets;

and we believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church; we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.

Amen.

The Pastoral and Congregational Prayer

Almighty God, through the death of your Son you have destroyed sin and death. Through his resurrection you have restored innocence and eternal life. We who are delivered from the power of the devil may live in your kingdom. Give us grace that we may believe this with our whole heart. Enable us, always, to steadfastly praise and thank you in this faith, through your Son Jesus Christ, our Lord. (*Martin Luther*)

 **Psalm 91:1-4 to the tune of "Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus"**

Who with God Most High finds shelter in th' Almighty shadow hides.
To the LORD I'll say, "My Refuge!", In my God my trust abides.
From the fowler's snare he'll save you from the deadly pestilence.
Cover you with outspread pinions, Make his wings your confidence.

 **Old Testament Reading:** Isaiah 54:9 — 17

 **Gloria Patria** 735

Scripture Reading and Message

Acts 7:55 — 8:2

" 'Lord Jesus, Receive My Spirit' "

Pastor Bill Heard

 **Hymn** "Jesus, I Am Resting, Resting" 188, vv 3,4

The Sacrament of the Lord's supper

For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.
1 Corinthians 11:26

Benediction

 **Doxology** 731
Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."
Matthew 28:19 — 20