

The Worship of God

Let everything that has breath praise Yah. Praise Yah! Psalm 150:6 (LSB)

(* = please stand if able)

Greeting and Announcements

* Prayer

* Call to Worship

Act 4:11 — 12 LSB

He is the STONE WHICH WAS REJECTED by *you*, THE BUILDERS, but WHICH BECAME THE CHIEF CORNER stone.

And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven that has been given among men by which we must be saved.

* Hymn “The Church's One Foundation” 347

* 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.

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

Prayer based on Ephesians 1:17 — 23

God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may you give us the Spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of him, having the eyes of our hearts enlightened, that we may know what is the hope to which you have called us, what are the riches of your glorious inheritance in the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of your power toward us who believe, according to the working of your great might that you worked in Christ when you raised him from the dead and seated him at your right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the one to come. And you put all things under his feet and gave him as head over all things to the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

* Psalter

Psalm 25A

* Old Testament Reading

Psalm 118:22 — 26

* Gloria Patri

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Scripture Reading and Message

Luke 2:8 — 11

“Rejoice, All Christians” —

Augustine's Christmas Day Sermon

Pastor Bill Heard

* Hymn

“Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming”

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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

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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
ELI (Equipping Leaders International)

JAARS www.jaars.org



What's Happening at Salem?

- ⇒ **Remember:** 2nd Sunday Lunch is scheduled for next LORD's day (if the LORD is willing).
- ⇒ Another **Salem Work Day** is planned to occur on **Saturday, Jan. 17th** (again, if the LORD is willing). Check with **Randy** for details.
- ⇒ The **Men's Prayer Group** meets at 9:00 am on Wednesdays at the Buis residence: 1701 Mandeville Road, Bremen, GA 30110.



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.

Welcome to



Website: www.salemchurch.us
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Sunday, January 4, 2026

10:00 am, Sunday School

11:00 am, Worship

And we know that the Son of God has come, and has given us understanding so that we may know Him who is true; and we are in Him who is true, in His Son Jesus Christ. This is the true God and eternal life.

1 John 5:20 (LSB)