

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### TITHING SUMMARY

|                     | 3/1/26 | 3/8/26 | 3/15/26 | 3/22/26 | 3/29/26 |
|---------------------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| Attendance          | 47     | 79     | 55      |         |         |
| Actual Giving       | 5,705  | 1,955  | 1,809   |         |         |
| Actual Giving Y-T-D | 40,011 | 41,966 | 43,775  |         |         |
| Budget Y-T-D        | 38,942 | 43,269 | 47,596  |         |         |

### EASTER HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

**MAUNDY SERVICE** – April 02, 2026—Community Service at Salem Church, 23 Mabel St., @ 7:00 PM (989) 453-2552, Pastor Bill Seitz, Preaching

**PRAYER VIGIL**—begins after services on Maundy Thursday, April 2nd, about 8:00 PM, at First UMC until the Good Friday Service at 1:00 PM at First UMC. Please feel free to go anytime between these hours to pray; someone will be there.

**GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE**—April 03, 2026—Community Service at First UMC, 7102 E. Michigan Ave., 1:00 PM (989) 453-2475, Pastor David Leineke, Preaching

**EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE** – April 05, 2026—Community Service at Michigan Ave. Mennonite Church; 7004 E. Michigan Ave., Pigeon @ 7:00 AM (989) 453-2451, Pastor Scot Wilson, Preaching.

**BREAKFAST** served immediately after the service, about 7:45 AM

**EASTER WORSHIP SERVICE** – April 05, 2026  
Service at Salem Church, 23 Mabel St., @ 9:30 AM (989) 453-2552 With Praise Team, Choir & Handbells , Pastor Bill Seitz, Preaching

**SPRING CLEANING:** (interior) of church scheduled for Saturday, April 11 @ 9:00am.  
We will seek volunteers for this project.

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**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:**  
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday  
9 a.m.- 3:00 p.m. &  
Friday 9 a.m. to Noon

**Salem Church-5th Sunday of Lent  
Bill Comai, Guest Speaker  
March 22, 2026**

**Announcements:**

**Opening Praise:** Praise Band

**Choir Singing:** “The Power of the Cross” Salem Choir

**Lenten Moment:** Kim Leipprandt

**Scripture Reading:** Ephesians 2:11-14 Emily Hoepner

**Children's Message:** Mary Dubs

**Hymn:** “I Am Thine, O Lord” #591

**Pastoral Prayer:** Gus Garman  
“The Lord’s Prayer”

**Offering & Doxology  
& Prayer of Dedication:** Gus Garman

**Message:** Biblical Unity: “How to navigate a world that just wants to be right” Bill Comai

**Hymn:** “Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing” #686

**Benediction:** Bill Comai

**This week at Salem—  
March 22, 2026**

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| <b>SUNDAY</b>    | 9:00 am  | In-House & Online Worship with Bill Comai, Guest Speaker |
|                  | 10:00 am | Coffee/Snacks/Server                                     |
|                  | 10:15 am | Sunday School & Confirmation Class                       |
| <b>TUESDAY</b>   | 10:00 am | Women’s Bible Study, led by Pam Hoepner                  |
|                  | 7:00 pm  | Church Council   |
| <b>WEDNESDAY</b> | 10am—4pm | Pigeon Food Pantry at First UMC                          |
|                  | 5:30 pm  | All Families & Kid’s Club with Meal                      |
|                  | 6:30 pm  | Choir Practice   |
|                  | 7:20 pm  | Handbell Practice  |
| <b>THURSDAY</b>  | 6:30 pm  | Women’s Bible Study, led by Beckie Eichler               |

**WORSHIP ASSISTANT SCHEDULE**

|                             | 3/22/26                         | 3/29/26                         |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| <b>Coffee/Snacks/Server</b> | Sears                           | Kim Leipprandt                  |
| <b>Acolyte (1)</b>          | Evan McIntosh                   | Riley Sears                     |
| <b>Greeters—Narthex</b>     | Carol Jenkins                   | Connie Glaysher                 |
| <b>Scripture Reader</b>     | Emily Hoepner                   | Maggie Wolford                  |
| <b>Ushers</b>               | Carl Heck                       | scott Meyersieck                |
| <b>Offering Counters</b>    | Ray Leppien & Russ Wolford      | Maggie Wolford & Greg Foy       |
| <b>Sound Technicians</b>    | Linda Garman & Ethan Hoepner    | Linda Garman & Ethan Hoepner    |
| <b>Technical Support</b>    | Aaron Eichler                   | Aaron Eichler                   |
| <b>Snow Shoveling</b>       | Jeff Leipprandt & Steve VerBurg | Jeff Leipprandt & Steve VerBurg |
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