

Holy Cross Lutheran Church Salem Email Blast!

Current and upcoming events

Stop by to utilize your church office. Hours are usually Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9am to Noon, subject to church activity.

Thu Sep 21

Noon Bible Study
3:30pm TDR
7pm Capital Discussion
7pm Zumba

Fri Sep 22

2pm Casa Infantil
Family Free Play
7pm Zumba

Sat Sep 23

9am TDR
9:30am OR Synod
Day of Learning
1pm Ordination
Prep @ St Mark
6pm Manantial Sm
Groups

Sun Sep 24

No Regular Worship
**1pm Ordination/
Installation @ St
Mark**
4pm Manantial

Mon Sep 25

11am LaCasita
5pm LaCasita b-
ball
7pm Esperando Un
Milagro
7pm Zumba

Tue Sep 26

9am Tues Crew
5pm TDR
6:30pm Festival
Chorale
7pm Manantial

Wed Sep 27

8am Hope Builder
Breakfast @ Salem
Convention Center
9am Rosemalers
7pm Zumba

Thu Sep 28

Noon Bible Study
7pm Capital
Discussion
7pm Zumba

Fri Sep 29

2pm Casa Infantil
Family Free Play
7pm Zumba

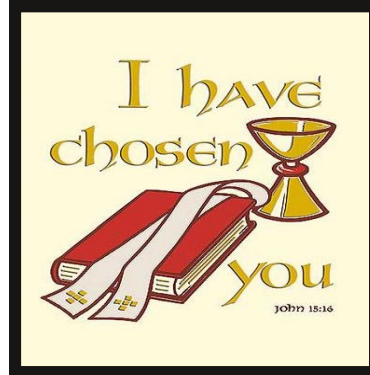
Sat Sep 30

4pm Genera Party

Sun Oct 1

10am Blessing of
the Animals @ HC
4pm Manantial

**Weekdays — Casa
Infantil**



**Ordination
and
Installation
of Sena
Norton
September
24, 2023**

**1:00pm @ St Mark Lutheran
Church**

**Wear your best RED outfit
and join the celebration of
this LUTHERAN life event.**

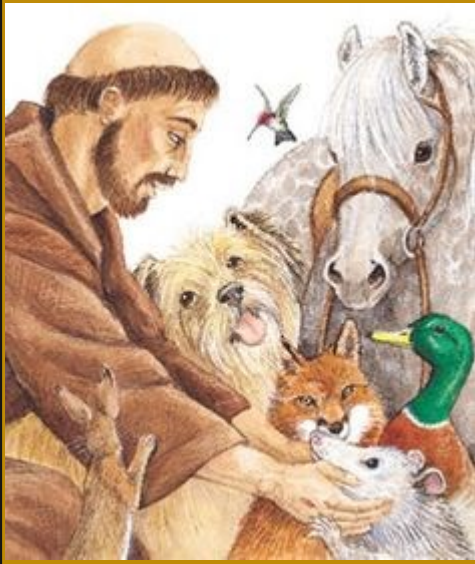
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Phone
Numbers:

Pr. Sena
971-707-3350
HC
503-364-6041
CGS
503-363-3726

Worship Schedule

9/24 — **St.Mk**
10/1 — HC
(Bless Animals)
10/8 — CGS
10/17 — HC





Sunday October 1st will be blessing of the animals as we celebrate the love that God has for the world and all its critters as demonstrated in the active ministry of St Francis of Assisi. A person born into a Noble Family but chose a simple life as a friar and priest.

Let either office know if you are planning to bring a pet or 2. HC 503-364-6041 CGS 503-363-3726

REMINDER CONGREGATIONAL ASSESSMENT QUESTIONNAIRE



Please remember to turn it in as soon as you are done. If you need another hard copy or would like an electronic version please contact the church office. The Congregational Assessment Questionnaire is DUE on or before September 30th!

Altar Guild

Altar Guild needs members for Sunday service Table set up. Please contact Karen 503-428-4651 or church office if you would like to walk alongside someone and prepare the table for Sunday Service.

Bible Study

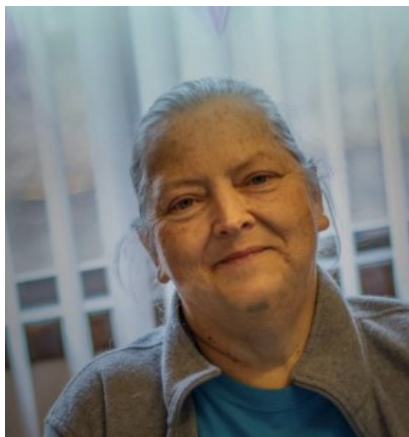
You are welcome to join our weekly bible study
We meet in the Library at Holy Cross on Thursday's at Noon.

To connect with our Partners at
Christ the Good Sheherd:

For News from the Pews (aka Newsletter) click this link
[September 2023 Newsletter.pdf \(mcusercontent.com\)](#)

To livestream (or watch later) Sunday services from CGS
click this link

<https://youtube.com/live/i5VQb-3fd9o>



Family of Pamela Dickerson notified the office
that Pamela passed away on Sunday August 24

There will be a family service/gathering @
Riverfront Park **Sunday September 24, 2023** at
3pm Please keep the family in your prayers and if
you have a moment on your way home from the
Ordination Service stop at the pavilion and give
Kayla a hug.

2023 Oregon Synod Day of Learning

The 2023 theme is Nurturing Authentic Spiritual Friendship and Healthy, Vital Faith Communities through the Gift of Sacred Encounter. Session topics include: Tips for faithful church leadership. Tools for relational fundraising. Spaces for deep listening to others. How to implement an ongoing congregational commitment to Reconciling in Christ. And more!

September 23

9:30 am to 3:00 pm

[Learn more and register here](#)

September 2023 Church Calendar

- **9/24** – Pastor Sena Ordination and Installation Service @ St. Mark Lutheran. 1pm. **NO SERVICE at CGS or HC** that Sunday.

October 2023 Church Calendar

- **10/1** – Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost Service @ HC
Blessing of the Animals / Feast for St Francis - Bring your well behaved pet including those who have crossed the Rainbow Bridge for a special blessing—also Family Promise Education class, “Divine Compassion: The Bible and Homelessness” after service.
- **10/8** – Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost Service @ CGS
Congregational Conversation after Worship:
Transition Update and Faith and Civic Life Discussion #1
- **10/15** – Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost Service @ HC
Fall Prevention Course taught by Salem Health after Service
- **10/22** – Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost Service @ CGS
Faith and Civic Life Discussion #2 after worship
- **10/29** – Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost Service
REFORMATION SUNDAY – Worship service details TBA



Habitat for Humanity of the Mid-Willamette Valley

Hope Builder Breakfast



September 27th • 8 to 9 am

Salem Convention Center
200 Commercial Street SE
Salem, Oregon 97302

RSVP online at:

salemhabitat.org/hopebuilder

This event is free to attend thanks to our sponsors. All proceeds help build homes, communities and hope.