Saltillo Methodist Church

A Global Methodist Congregation

Tim Green and John Foster, Pastors

10:00 am Worship September 1, 2024

Fifteenth Sunday After Pentecost

Invocation and Prelude Welcome and Prayer

"Be Thou My Vision" page 562

"How Firm a Foundation" page 408

The Apostles' Creed *Abiding in Christ,* page 13

No AGLOW Kids – Families Worshiping Together AGLOW will be back next week

The Offering of Our Gifts and Ourselves

Selected Music "All This and More"

"Doxology" page 815

Message from God's Word "As You Remain in Jesus, You Are the Light of the World" John 15:4-9, Matthew 5:14-16

Celebration of Holy Communion

Abiding in Christ, pages 2-6

Everyone is invited to the Lord's Table, regardless of church affiliation. The ushers will begin with the front row and work toward the back, coming down the center aisle. You may spend time at the altar or return to your pew after you are served. Please return to your pew by the outside aisles. [As you come to the altar, you may leave a monetary gift for the Good Shepherd Fund.]

Invitation

"I Love You, Lord" page 78

Benediction and Postlude

"Ye are the light of the world lift up your head and shine that men may glorify your Father in Heaven forever may your light so shine that men may glorify your Father in Heaven forever may your light so shine."

Ye are the Light of the World

Prayer List

Josie Carr, Susan Echols, Diane Elliott, Jerry Goodner, Garrett Hill, Billy Irwin, Mitzi Lansdell, Bill McMurry, Jackie McMurry, Mike Mann, Curtis Robertson, Dianna Rowsey, Dodler Smith, Max & Frances Stephens, Eloise Stokes, Becky Walker, Susan Ward, Charles Warren, Wess Westmoreland, Eugene Whitehead, Edwina Wood; Military: Gaige Roellgen; Missions: Madison Crouch

September Prayer Focus

Our September prayer focus is Missions. Our Scripture text is Luke 10:2.

Bus Driver for September

Ronnie Dunaway is the bus driver & may be reached at 662-871-9133.

Newcomers and Visitors

Thank you for worshiping with us today! For more information about our church you may call the church office at 662-869-2956 or visit www.saltillomethodist.org.

Sermon Notes

In His Steps is a season in our congregation that enables us to live out our faith as the light of the world. Each of us is called to be a disciple of Jesus, walking in His steps: being devoted, being developed, and being deployed.

Our Church Staff

Pastor – Rev. Tim Green revtimgreen@gmail.com Youth Minister – Xan Reese xan@saltillomethodist.org Music Minister – Meg Cayson meg@saltillomethodist.org Pastor – Rev. John Foster *john@saltillomethodist.org* Children's Director – Miki Green *miki@saltillomethodist.org* Office Manager – Kathryn Murff *kathryn@saltillomethodist.org*

Opportunities for This Week and Beyond

Wednesday, September 4

- **5:30 pm –** SPRC Meeting in the Library
- 5:30 pm Finance Committee Meeting in Adeline Jones Room
- 6:00 pm Children's Choir in the Choir Room
- 6:30 pm Bible Study for Adults & Youth, G-Zone for Children
- 6:30 pm Chancel Choir Practice in the Choir Room

Thursday, September 5

• 6:30 pm – Community-Wide Prayer Service at Saltillo City Hall

Sunday, September 8

- 7:00 am Men's Fellowship Breakfast in the Family Life Center
- 9:00 am Sunday School for all ages
- 10:00 am Ignite and Sanctuary Worship Services
- 11:00 am Youth Parents Meeting in the Youth Wing
- 4:30 pm Handbell Practice in the Sanctuary

Wednesday, September 11

- 6:00 pm Children's Choir in the Choir Room
- 6:30 pm Bible Study for Adults & Youth, G-Zone for Children
- 6:30 pm Chancel Choir Practice in the Choir Room
- 7:30 pm Administrative Board in the Sanctuary

Sunday, September 15

- 9:00 am Sunday School for all ages
- 10:00 am Ignite and Sanctuary Worship Services
- 4:30 pm Handbell Practice in the Sanctuary
- **5:00 pm –** Upper Elementary Night in the Family Life Center

Wednesday, September 18

- 6:00 pm Children's Choir in the Choir Room
- 6:30 pm Bible Study for Adults & Youth, G-Zone for Children
- 6:30 pm Chancel Choir Practice in the Choir Room

Sunday, September 29

• 5:00 pm - Church-Wide Tailgate Party on the lawn by the Bus Shed