

**worship service**

Welcome / Prayer  
**You're Worthy of My Praise**  
**Praise**  
 Communion Meditation, Prayer, Partaking  
**Worthy of It All**  
 Sermon: "The Left-Handed Assassin"  
**Made for More**  
 Send-Off and Prayer

**reminders**

- Lyrics and scriptures are on screen
- Room 105 is the designated "Sensory & Cry Room"/nursing facility
- Please avoid moving around during the worship experience

**salvation**

If you would like to accept Christ as your Lord and Savior, one of our staff or elders would love to talk with you. You can either come forward during invitation or speak to a staff member. In the event that you have already made this decision, and you wish to unite with this congregation, you may do so by coming forward during invitation.

**communion**

We celebrate the Lord's Supper each week as we believe the early Church did (Acts 20:7). We do not make judgments about who should and should not join. Each person should "examine" themselves (2 Corinthians 13:5). Once this examination is made, a person may participate.

**offering**

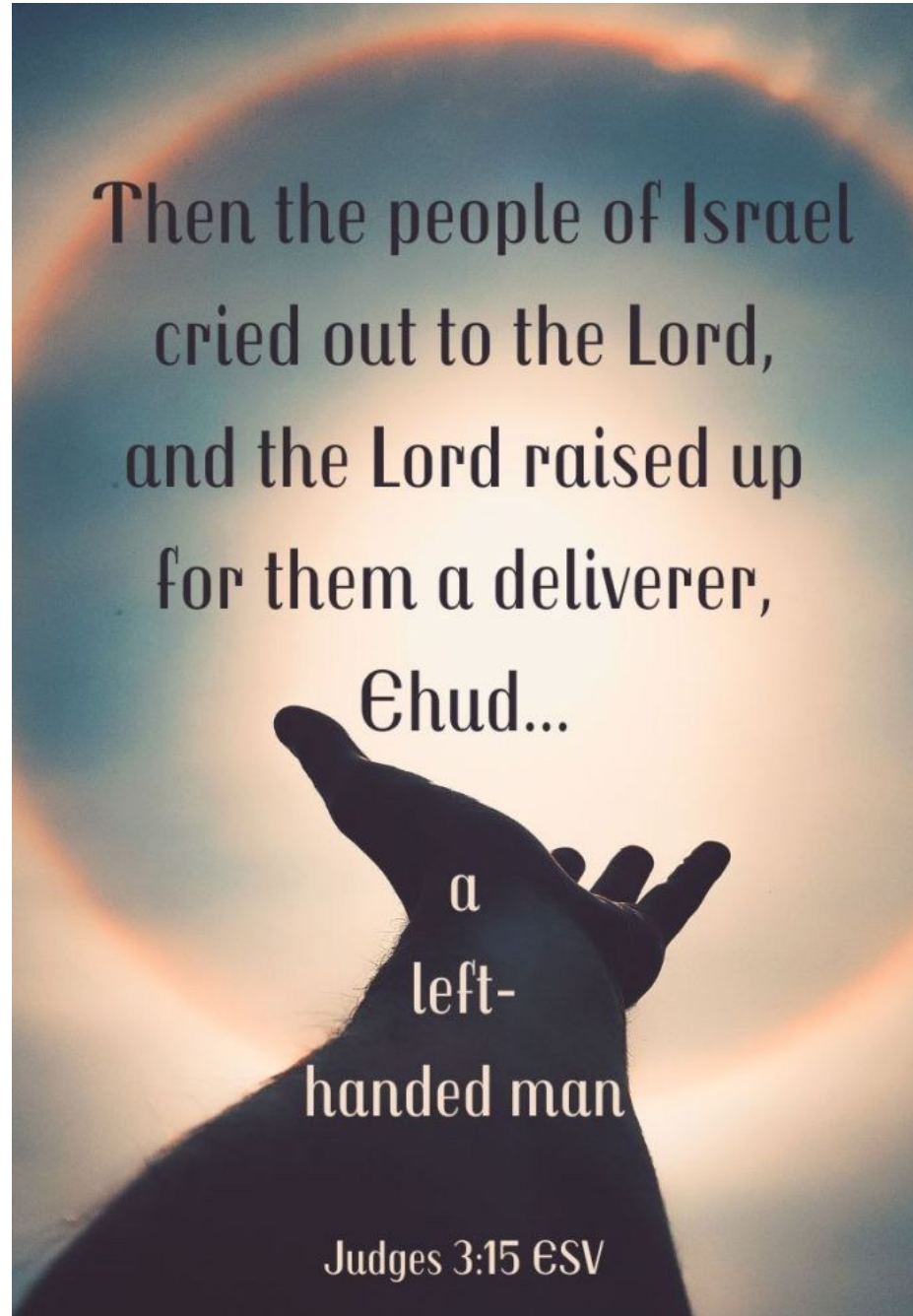
An offering is an opportunity for those who have submitted themselves to Christ as Lord to support the Lord's work, both here and around the world. There are several ways to give. You may place your offering in in the Offering Box on the wall near the cafe, at the electronic giving stand in the lobby, or online at [fccnewsalem.com/give](http://fccnewsalem.com/give)

**Thoughts and Prayers**

..... Blessings, Praises, Situations, Stresses .....

**PRAY FOR ONE ANOTHER—THERE IS MUCH SUFFERING AND STRUGGLE IN PEOPLE'S LIVES**

**PRAY FOR OUR MISSIONS AND MISSIONARIES AND THOSE THAT ARE HOMEBOUND**



**To submit a prayer request or praise online, visit [fccnewsalem.com/amen](http://fccnewsalem.com/amen)**



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**May 17, 2026**

**RAISE THE BODY  
 REACH THE BROKEN**



	05/17	05/18	05/19	05/20	05/21	05/22	05/23
Bylaw Voting Both Services							
Jr. High Group after Communion Both Services Room 103			Missions Team Meeting 6:15PM	Adult Bible Study 1 Thessalonians 6:30PM	Interactive Christian Fellowship NOON		
Study Group 9:15 & 10:45AM Room 106							
	05/24	05/25	05/26	05/27	05/28	05/29	05/30
Worship 9AM & 10:45AM							
Connection Point @ The Café 10:15-10:45AM							
Study Group 9:15 & 10:45AM Room 106					Adult Bible Study 1 Thessalonians 6:30PM		



**9AM WORSHIP**

**Up to Grade 6**  
Check in at Station

**Grade 7+**  
Worship Center

**10:45AM WORSHIP**

**Up to Grade 6**  
Check in at Station

**Grade 7+**  
Worship Center

**STUDY GROUPS**

**General Bible Adult Group**  
Wednesdays | 6:30PM  
Room 106

**Loyal Daughters**  
June 2nd | 6:00PM  
Room 106

**Jr. High Group**  
May 17th | Room 103  
After Communion—Both Services

**Youth Group**  
June 7th | Room 103  
After Communion—Both Services

**Sermon Challenges**

**MONDAY**  
**READ Judges 3:15**  
The first thing Scripture tells us about Ehud is what made him different. In a culture built around right-handed warriors, Ehud didn't fit the mold. Yet that difference became part of God's plan. We often assume God can only use people who seem naturally gifted, confident, or impressive. But God has always worked through unlikely people. Moses stuttered. David was overlooked. Peter failed. Ehud was different. Your limitations do not limit God. Stop focusing on one thing you think disqualifies you and ask God how He might use it instead.

**TUESDAY**  
**READ Judges 3:20-21**  
Ehud acted when the moment came. He wasn't chosen because he was perfect. He was chosen because he was willing. Many people spend their lives waiting until they feel "ready" before obeying God. But obedience rarely begins with confidence. It begins with surrender. God is not searching for flawless people. He is looking for willing hearts. Take one step today in an area where you know God has been calling you to act.

**WEDNESDAY**  
**READ Judges 3:15**  
Israel was trapped and powerless. Yet while everyone else saw oppression, God already saw deliverance. He had prepared someone no one would have expected. God sees possibilities where people see problems. He sees purpose where we see weakness. Nothing about your life escapes His attention. Pray today: "God, help me see my life through Your perspective instead of my fears."

**TRUTH TO CARRY WITH YOU**  
GOD IS NOT LOOKING FOR PERFECT PEOPLE.  
HE IS LOOKING FOR WILLING PEOPLE.  
AND WHAT YOU SEE AS WEAKNESS  
MAY BE EXACTLY WHAT GOD USES MOST.

**THURSDAY**  
**READ Judges 3:28**  
Ehud eventually stepped into leadership because he stopped hiding behind what made him different. Many of us disqualify ourselves long before God ever would.  
We say:  
"I'm not experienced enough."  
"I'm not spiritual enough."  
"I'm not capable enough."  
But God's calling is not based on your perfection. It is based on His power. Replace one self-defeating thought today with a truth from God's Word.

**FRIDAY**  
**READ Judges 3:30**  
Ehud was used by God, but God was the true deliverer. Israel could not free themselves. God stepped in. That same pattern points us to Jesus. We cannot rescue ourselves from sin, guilt, or separation from God. Jesus came to do what we could never do on our own. Real peace is found in surrendering to the Deliverer God provided. Spend time thanking Jesus today for the freedom and forgiveness He offers.

**SATURDAY**  
**READ Judges 3:15**  
Ehud probably never imagined God would use his life the way He did. But God often works through ordinary people who simply trust Him enough to step forward. You do not have to become someone else for God to use you. He already knows who you are. The question is whether you are willing to place your life in His hands. God still uses unlikely people today. Pray this today: "Lord, use my life however You choose."

**Ministries and Events**

**GRADUATION SUNDAY**  
**SUNDAY, JUNE 7<sup>TH</sup> ~ DURING BOTH SERVICES**  
We want to honor and celebrate our high school & college graduates. For more info and to submit your name, go to [fccnewsalem.com/grad](http://fccnewsalem.com/grad)  
• **Last Day to Submit Your Name is May 31<sup>st</sup>**

**MINISTRY TRAINING WORKSHOPS**  
**SUNDAY, JUNE 7<sup>TH</sup> ~ 5<sup>PM</sup> & 6<sup>PM</sup>**  
• Four workshops are available and are designed to better equip us in ministry.  
• You can choose any number of workshops to attend.  
• Each workshop will last about 45 minutes and will be led by a staff member.  
• If you can, please bring a snack to share.  
• **Register before June 3<sup>rd</sup> at [fccnewsalem.com/events](http://fccnewsalem.com/events)**

**EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE FUND**  
The monetary donations collected are used to assist members of our congregation or community who have temporary financial needs. Ways to Give: 1) Envelopes available at the Offering Box; 2) at the Electronic Offering Stand in the lobby; 3) by mail; or 4) online at [fccnewsalem.com/give](http://fccnewsalem.com/give) ~Thank you for helping those in need! ~

**INTERACTIVE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP**  
**THURSDAY, MAY 21<sup>ST</sup> - NOON TO 2PM AT FCC NEW SALEM**  
Come enjoy an afternoon of fellowship that includes a devotion, light lunch, and social time. This month's speaker is from Amedysis Home Health. We will continue assembling adult mealtime clothing protectors for nursing home residents. Invite a friend...we look forward to seeing you!



**FAMILY DEDICATION SERVICE**  
**SUNDAY, JUNE 21<sup>ST</sup> (OFFERED AT BOTH SERVICES)**  
We invite you to share in this special service as parents, grandparents & guardians come forward to commit their children to the Lord. This meaningful moment is a public pledge to raise the next generation in a Christ-centered home, teaching them to know, love, and follow Jesus.  
Please register at [fccnewsalem.com/events](http://fccnewsalem.com/events) **Last day to register is Sunday, June 7<sup>th</sup>**

**FCCNS SHIRTS**  
♦ 'Mission' Long Sleeve Black ~ Adult S-2XL \$18 (Limited Supply)  
♦ 'Logo' Short Sleeve Green ~ Adult XS- 3XL \$15 (Limited Supply)  
♦ 'Raised' Short Sleeve White or Black ~ Adult XS- 3XL \$20  
See display in the lobby, scan the QR Code or go online to [fccnewsalem.com/merch](http://fccnewsalem.com/merch)



**Connect Card**

Name(s):  
Address:  
Phone:  
Email:

First-time guest(s)  
**I would like to request prayer:**  
 Prayer List  Confidential

Request:

**Please Provide Your Name in the Above Box**

**I would like to leave a note to the staff:**

**To Receive Service / Event Cancellations,  
Text "ALERT" to 724-246-6881**

**For Guest Information: Text "WELCOME"  
For Event Reminders: Text "CONNECT"  
For Cancellations, Everyone: Text "ALERT"  
...To: 724-246-6881**