

The Greening of Salem



In our efforts to be more green at Salem, we have mounted a beautiful coffee cup rack in the family room. Thank you to Clayton Johnson for his handiwork in making it. We had a “Bring your mug to

Coffee Hour” in October and it was so neat to see the variety of mugs people use. A

personal coffee mug can tell you a lot about a person. In December Evangelism sponsored “Green Sunday”, to celebrate Salem’s efforts to become more green and being good stewards to the wonderful world God gave us. During Green Sunday we urged people to bring in a mug to keep at church. We decorated the sanctuary and family room with beautiful green trees. These were later delivered to members of Salem who are shut-ins or hospitalized.

The coffee servers wash the mugs after use and hang them back up for the next coffee fellowship. This will take a little getting used to, but it will result in keeping 50-100 styrofoam cups out of the landfills per Sunday. That translates into 25,000 to 50,000 per year and will save Salem \$225 - \$450 just for coffee hours annually. God tell us to be good stewards of the earth. Let’s give it a try!

Stay tuned for more upcoming event out of

Evangelism & Outreach.



Salem's mug rack

In God’s Peace, Bring a Friend,

Evangelism & Outreach Team.