

Morning Worship on the Lord's Day
February 25, 2018 **8:30 am**

Gathering

Welcoming First Time Guests

Introit "Fairest Lord Jesus"
Ginger Garner

*Call to Worship The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.
And also with you.
Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.
God's mercy endures forever.

*Hymn UMH #140 "Great is Thy Faithfulness"

Announcements and Connection Cards

Joys and Concerns of the Congregation

Call to Prayer "Near the Cross"
Ginger Garner

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

*Passing of the Peace of Christ

*The Apostles Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord:
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead and buried;
the third day He rose from the dead.
He ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

*Gloria Patri UMH#71

*The Children's Hymn #585 "This Little Light of Mine"

The Children's Message Pastor Andrew
(Preschool Children may go to Children's Church.)

Anthem "How Great Thou Art"
Ginger Garner

The New Testament Reading Matthew 26:36-39 Pew Bible NT Page 30

Sermon "Betrayed in the Garden" Pastor Crystal

Giving our Tithes, Offerings, and Connection Cards

Offertory "Blessed Assurance"
Ginger Garner

*Doxology UMH # 94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below; Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts;
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts;
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!

*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn #378 "Amazing Grace"

*Benediction

Postlude "Eternal Father, Strong to Save" Shephard/Dykes

***Indicates Congregation Standing as Able.** Hearing Aids, Large Print Bibles, Large Print Bulletins and Hymnals are available. If you need any of these, please see an usher or greeter. **Please silence all cell phones.**

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NOTES



"Worship God, Love One Another, Serve the World"



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UMKids Choir

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Offertory "Calvary is the Sea"

Sterling

Your broken form upon the cross, Your holy love expressed, stirs a passion in my soul, calling me to give my best. No sacrifice I could give to You could match what You've given me. For my everything is but a drop of dew, and Calvary is the sea. If I could take the love I feel and capture it with words, more than what my heart could give is still much less than You deserve. If I should ever doubt Your love, my only prayer would be that You would keep Your rugged cross etched upon my memory.

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Contemporary Worship

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Opening Song

Welcome and Announcement

Praise & Worship

Congregation Prayer

Offering and Prayer of Dedication

The Reading of God's Word
Matthew 26:36-39

Sermon
"Betrayed in the Garden"

Song of Commitment/Sending Forth

(Please Stand)

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This Week at SUMC

Sunday February 25

- 8:30 am Worship Service (Sanctuary)
- 9:45 am Beacon Worship Service (Ministry Center)
- 9:45 am Sunday School
- 11:00 am Worship Service (Sanctuary)
- 11:15 am Beacon Worship Service (Ministry Center)
- 4:00 pm Celebration (Bldg 1, Choir Rm)
- 4:30 pm Small Group: Acts in Action (Bldg 2, Rm LL33)
- 4:30 pm UMKids (Bldg 1, Choir Rm, Rms 10&14)
- 4:30 pm Youth Group & Confirmation (Asm Hall, Bldg 3 Rms 208, 214, 217, 223)

Monday February 26

- 7:00 am Emmaus Reunion Group (Men) (Bldg 2, Rm LL31)
- 8:15 am Emmaus Reunion Group (Women) (Bldg 1, Rm 29)
- 9:30 am UMM Peanut Cooking (Bldg 1, Kitchen)
- 10:30 am Mission Monday (Bldg 2, Rm LL33)

Tuesday February 27

- 4:00 pm Worship Committee Meeting (Bldg 2, Rm LL33)
- 7:00 pm Church Council Meeting (Bldg 2, Rm LL33)

Wednesday February 28

- 9:30 am Pastors Worship Planning Meeting (Bldg 1, Library)
- 10:30 am Church Staff Planning Meeting (Bldg 1, Library)
- 12:00 pm Lenten Service/Lunch (Sanctuary, Assembly Hall)
- 6:00 pm UMW Officer Working Group (Bldg 1, Library)
- 6:30 pm Beacon Band Rehearsal (Assembly Hall)

Thursday March 1

- 7:30 am SUMM Bible Study (Bldg 1, LL13)
- 6:30 pm Adult Handbell Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
- 7:00 pm Bible Study-James: Mercy Triumphs (Bldg 2, Rm LL33)
- 7:30 pm Chancel Choir (Bldg 1, Choir Room)

Friday March 2

Saturday March 3

We're sharing the worship experience! Our worship services are recorded and available online. Our 9:45 and 11:15 Beacon services are also streamed live online!

Please be advised requests for verbal announcements must be submitted to Pastor Crystal, pastorcrystal@swansboroumc.org, the Tuesday preceding the Sunday you would like the announcement made. Thank you!



ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Evangelism Committee of SUMC will be hosting an Evangelism Workshop, "**Let's Follow Jesus**" on Sat, Mar 10 from 10am-Noon in Bldg 2, Rm LL33. Come join us as we learn some practical ways to tell others about Jesus Christ and to share our faith. All are welcome.

If you are a business owner & part of the SUMC family, you may be included in our **SUMC Business Directory**. Forms with instructions are available at the Welcome Centers & online on our website under LOOK HERE. Deadline for submissions is Feb. 18th. **Please re-register to continue existing entries.**

Appalachia Service Project (ASP), a youth-based mission group, will be doing home improvements in the Appalachian Mountains. This year's trip will be in Tennessee from Jun 17-23. Interested parties, contact Lance Tucker at asp@swansboroumc.org or 910-389-4068 for additional info.

SUMC Girl Scout Cookie Sale. . . Our Girl Scouts will be selling cookies on Feb 25 outside, following all three services. Cash, checks, or credit cards are accepted. Please make checks payable to Girl Scout Troop 98. This is a great opportunity for us to support our Girl Scouts! For questions, contact Terry Proper, proper@ec.rr.com or 910-340-4155.

Congregations for Children committee will collect & give books to Silverdale students before spring break this year! Gently used or new books for K-5th graders can be dropped off in the white basket, just outside the church office before March 22. New copies of children's magazines such as Highlights, Ranger Rick, National Geographic Kids, Cricket, Ladybug are also welcome.

Mark your calendars to come experience **Rolling River Rampage Vacation Bible School 2018**, July 16-19 from 5-8 pm. Rafters of all ages will experience the ride of a lifetime with God! **Volunteers are needed.** Contact Susan Fulp, 252-393-7805 or rsfulp@vol.com to see how you can be a part of VBS 2018!

Annual SUMC Easter Egg Hunt will be Mar 24 at 10:00 am. Looking for donations of plastic eggs, individually wrapped candy or small toys to fill eggs or prefilled eggs. Donation bins located outside church office & in Bldg 3. Contact Chris Wilson for additional info, cstumpwilson@hotmail.com or 910-358-3972.

The Young Adult Class announces a new study series called: "**The World's Religions: A Christian Perspective,**" taught by Cheryl Epperson, beginning Sunday, February 25 at 9:45 in the Confirmation Classroom in Bldg 3. All interested adults are welcome to attend!

All are invited to attend. Pastor Scott will conduct a church-wide discussion on Mar 6 at 2:00 pm and Mar 8 at 7:00 pm in the Assembly Hall to answer any questions about **Men of the Church.** . . **There will be a Men's Fellowship Meeting & Dinner** on Feb 21, 6:30 pm in Bldg 1, LL13. Pastor Scott will address the "Commission on a Way Forward", the Methodist Church's handling of issues of sexual ethics, its teachings on marriage & its ordination standards.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Members: Rufus Hatsell, Jane Johns, Tom Barton, Otto & Gabbie Duerk, Shelton Kellam, Melanie, Caden & Kinsley Holstein, Richard Dodson, Arlene & Barry Fetzer, Sara Henderson, Margaret Lloyd, Angie Cooper, Mel & Sue Guss, Dick McLeish, Tim & Sharon Barefoot, Jan Yarborough, Eldene Truax, Nita Aman, Britney Wood, Frances Harrison, Roberta Maness, Mary Bergazzi, Rebecca Hamm, Barbara Brown, Sheryle Kinney, Sara Wilson, Sara Bergazzi, Sylvia Sylvester*, Joyce Bayley Paschall*, Ruth Hokum*, Shirley Warren, Bob Bone, Christy Williams, Peg Fredeen*, Mildred Gallion*, Becky Miller (*shut in)

Friends & Family: Betty Hickman, Cathy Hewitt, John & Treva Barta, Family of Spencer Smith, John Szucs, Shae Townsend, Albert Kahler, Eric Hart, David Butler, Donald Hickox, Bryan Purvis, Pat Salair, Larry Butler, Alyce Page Kitchen, Sam Hall, Dwight Clark, Jeanie Ernst, Frank Bartol, David Pinsky, Barbara Friedman, Dr. Henry R. Schindelar, Tucker Talley, Libby Garner, Brandon Bachik, Lee Orwat, Karen Saunders, Helen Frasier, Christopher Pate, Lamont & Lauryn Cox, Walt Kapke

Deployed Military: Donny Henriksen*, A.J. Short, John Reed, Gonzalo Snowe, Brandon Hackworth*, Buck Bradley, Craig Sampsel, James Pidgeon III, Martha Stolzenberg, Michael P. Smith, Lance Young, Cooper Redfearn, Matt Bagley, Scott Harper Jr., Erik Werhner (*Church Member)

The Prayer Focus for this week is for school safety and protection.

OUR PRESENCE

Sunday, February 18, 2018

8:30 – 184 9:45 – 185 11:00 – 153 11:15 – 73

OUR GIFTS

In memory of Jackie Parker (Janice Bean's brother)

given by Carrie Freshwater

In memory of Emma Lee Conner given by Carrie Freshwater

In memory of Bill Holz given by Carrie Freshwater, Mark & Julia Wax, and John & Minette Liles

In memory of Bill Holz given by Gwen Jackson (Library)

For ASP Youth Mission in memory of Paul & Emily Mobley

In memory of Desiree Fulp's Grandfather McCabe

given by Harold & Louise Fulp

The Chancel flowers are given to the glory of God

Financial Status at a Glance

January 2018

\$104,541

\$116,993



Total Givings



Expenses

FINANCIAL REPORT

Financial January 2108 Month End

Tithing and Gifts	\$ 81,651
\$20 Fellowship Fund & Building Gifts	\$ 8,712
Transfer in from \$20 Fellowship Fund Savings	\$ 14,178
Total Income	\$104,541
Less Actual Expenses	<u>\$116,993</u>
Net	\$ (12,452)

OUR SERVICE

Nursery

Feb 25 8:30 Jan Cutler 11:00 Sally Barnes
Mar 4 8:30 Savannah McAloon 11:00 Caity Lenthall

Children's Church

Feb 25 8:30 Carla Gardner 11:00 Molly Fahy
Mar 4 8:30 Jeannie Guthrie 11:00 Emily Sylvester

Acolytes

Feb 25 8:30 Charlie Young, Tripp Kidd, Caroline Kidd
11:00 Caity Lenthall, Brayton Lenthall, Emma Grace Holt
Mar 4 8:30 Ricky Kidwell, Tommy Kidwell, Hazel Scott
11:00 Molly Fahy, Charlie Young, Aly Young

Prayer Room

8:30 9:45 11:00 ~ Cathy Harris

OH! PRAISE THE LORD

- Lenten Services/Lunches have begun. Our first Noon service was very well attended!
- SUMC Childcare Center is in full compliance and having a wonderful year!