

Morning Worship on the Lord's Day
January 21, 2018 **8:30 am**

Gathering

Welcoming First Time Guests

Introit "The River is Here" Andy Park
Michael Taylor

*Call to Worship The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.
And also with you.
The risen Christ is with us.
Praise the Lord!

*Hymn UMH #370 "Victory in Jesus"

Announcements and Connection Cards

Joys and Concerns of the Congregation

Call to Prayer "Blessed Assurance" Crosby
Michael Taylor

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 #277 "Tell Me the Stories of Jesus"

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

Anthem "Let Them See You in Me" JJ Weeks

The New Testament Reading Mark 1:4-11 Pew Bible NT Page 34

Sermon Baptism of the Lord Pastor Scott

Baptismal Renewal

Hymn "Come to the Waters:
Merle and Cheryl Epperson

Giving our Tithes, Offerings, and Connection Cards

Offertory "Great is Thy Faithfulness" Guhs
Michael Taylor

*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 #364 "Because He Lives"

*Benediction

Postlude "Promenade" Carlton Young
Michael Taylor

***Indicates Congregation Standing as Able.** Hearing Aids, Large Print Bibles, 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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Choral Benediction "The Rule of Life" Wesley

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Congregation Prayer

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The Reading of God's Word

Mark 1:4-11

Sermon

“Identification”

Baptismal Renewal

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(Please Stand)

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This Week at SUMC

Sunday January 21

- 8:30 am Worship Service (Sanctuary)
- 9:45 am Beacon Worship Service (Ministry Center)
- 9:45 am Sunday School
- 9:45 am Genius of American Religion class (Bldg 2, Rm LL35)
- 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 1, Rm LL33)
- 4:30 pm UMKids (Bldg 1, Choir Rm, Rms 10&14)
- 4:30 pm UMYF&Confirmation(AsmbyHall,Bldg 3Rms208,214,217,223)

Monday January 22

- 7:00 am Emmaus Reunion Group (Men) (Bldg 2, Rm LL31)
- 8:15 am Emmaus Reunion Group (Women) (Bldg 1, Rm 29)
- 10:00 am Mission Monday (Bldg 1, Library)

Tuesday January 23

Wednesday January 24

- 9:30 am Pastors Worship Planning Meeting (Bldg 1, Library)
- 10:30 am Church Staff Planning Meeting (Bldg 1, Library)
- 6:30 pm Beacon Band Rehearsal (Assembly Hall)

Thursday January 25

- 7:30 am SUMM Bible Study (Bldg 1, LL13)
- 7:30 pm Chancel Choir (Bldg 1, Choir Room)

Friday January 26

Saturday January 27

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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 remember to update your online giving donations to your 2018 pledged amounts. Do not set up a new user name and password. Simply login with your current info & edit your amounts and frequency as necessary.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Additional **SECURITY TEAM** members are needed, particularly for the 8:30, 11:00, and 11:15 services. Sign up forms are in the narthex of Bldg 2 & on the snack table in Bldg 3. For info, contact Terry Proper at [910-340-4155](tel:910-340-4155).

Souper Supper/Souper Bowl of Caring sponsored by Family Ministries...

Who will win this year's "prized" soup ladle for the favorite soup? Bring your favorite pot of soup to share! Come taste new soups & vote on your favorite on Sunday, January 28 from 5:00-6:30 pm in the Assembly Hall. Donations will help support the Onslow community Outreach Soup Kitchen. Be resourceful by bringing your own bowl!

Announcing "Acts in Action" ...a Spring 2018 Bible Study focusing on the Book of Acts. Bring your favorite Bible & join in studying Acts and applying it to our daily lives. The class will be held on Sundays from 4:30-6:30pm in Bldg 2, Rm LL33 from January 14-March 20. Taught by Cheryl Epperson.

Did you or your youth miss the **confirmation class** typically held for 6th graders? Pastor Scott & his wife Amy will lead a six-week confirmation class for anyone who has not been confirmed. The class will begin February 4th and meet from 4:30-6:30 pm (including dinner). The participants in this class will be confirmed on Sunday, March 25th. If you, or your youth, is interested in this class, please contact Pastor Scott at sdodson@nccumc.org or call [910-326-4822](tel:910-326-4822).

Two sessions (Sundays & Thursdays) of **The Genius of American Religion** will begin the week of January 14th. Sunday classes, Jan 14-Feb. 18 are at 9:45 a.m. in Bldg 2, Rm LL35. An identical session will be on Thursdays, Jan. 18-Feb. 22 at 4:00 p.m., same room. Information, jamesbrew@juno.com, or 910-431-0382

Yard Sale Drop-Off Opportunities! Our container (upper parking lot by the shed) for yard sale items will be open from 4:30-6:30 on the following Sundays: **Jan 7, 14, 21 Feb 11, 18, 25 March 4, 11, 18 25**. Contact Nancy Harris at missions@swansboroumc.org with any questions.

You are invited to join the **SUMC Congregations for Children** volunteers for a meeting on Tuesday, Jan 30th from 10:30am-Noon, followed by lunch. Contact Peggy Stolzenberg, c4c@swansboroumc.org for more info.

Stephen Ministry is coming back to SUMC! During the coming weeks, we invite you to pray about our congregation's Stephen Ministry. Please pray for those God is calling to serve as caregivers in this ministry. For more info, contact Linda Carlsen at 910-617-0857 or kidsinshape1@gmail.com.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Members: Sara Henderson, Margaret Lloyd, Angie Cooper, Holly Bostic, Mel & Sue Guss, Dick McLeish, Olivia Ehler, Tim & Sharon Barefoot, Jan Yarborough, Eldene Truax, Nita Aman, Ginger Garner Jablonski, Britney Wood, Frances Harrison, Roberta Maness, Mary Bergazzi, Rebecca Hamm, Kathy Henriksen, Barbara Brown, Melanie Holstein, Sheryle Kinney, Sara Wilson, Sara Bergazzi, Sylvia Sylvester*, Joyce Bayley*, Ruth Hokum*, Shirley Warren, Bob Bone, Christy Williams, Peg Fredeen*, Mildred Gallion*, Becky Miller (*shut in)

Friends & Family: Sam Hall, Dwight Clark, Jeanie Ernst, Frank Bartol, David Pinsky, Barbara Friedman, Dr. Henry R. Schindelar, Tucker Talley, Libby Garner, Brandon Bachik, Richard Juhl, Lee Orwat, Karen Saunders, Helen Frasier, Pat Salair, Christopher Pate, Linda Guss, Lamont & Lauryn Cox, Walt Kapke

Deployed Military: Donny Henriksen*, A.J. Short, John Reed, Gonzalo Snowe, Brandon Hackworth*, Buck Bradley, Jon Eriksen, 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

I would like to thank all of you at SUMC for your prayers, cards & best wishes for a successful surgery & speedy recovery. I think all worked, especially the prayers, as I am recovering quickly & all went well. Thank you again and God bless.
Dick Dodson

OUR PRESENCE

Sunday, January 14, 2018

8:30 - 138 9:45 - 176 11:00 - 176 11:15 - 94 Sunday School - 144

OUR GIFTS

In memory of Christine Hoffacker given by Linda Mack, Gwen Jackson, Roger & Betty Longley and their four grown children, Jan Cutler, Vincent & Jacquelyn Belle and Harold & Louise Fulp

In memory of Delores Licko given by Jan Cutler

In honor of George Gardner given by Walker & Debbie Jordan

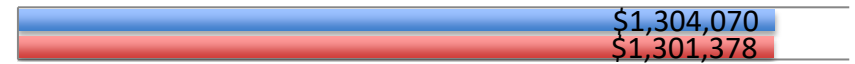
In memory of Bill Deaton given by Jan Cutler

For ASP Youth Mission in memory of Richard Wolverton, Jason Geraghty, Jessie Williams, Sarah Beth Licko, David Privett Jr., Cheryl Jordan, Betty Hellams, Howard and Gunther Fehr, Linda Johnson and Florence Spehar
For ASP Youth Mission in honor of Ruth Ann Spehar, children helping others, SUMC ASP youth & adults, Marilyn Boyce, JOY class, Roger Fulp, Margaret Lloyd and William & Suzie Morris' 10 grandbabies

The Chancel flowers are given to the glory of God

Financial Status at a Glance

2017 Year End



■ Total Givings ■ Expenses

FINANCIAL REPORT

Financial 2017 Year End – YTD

Contributions	\$1,304,070
Less Actual Expenses	<u>\$1,301,378</u>
Net	\$ 2,692

OUR SERVICE

Nursery

Jan 21 8:30 Karen Tate 11:00 Cindy Rogers
Jan 28 8:30 Jeanie Smith 11:00 Tabitha Chadwick

Children's Church

Jan 21 8:30 Chris Wilson 11:00 Stephanie Whitehead
Jan 28 8:30 Beth Nicholson 11:00 Laura Lamonica

Acolytes

Jan 21 8:30 Courtney Guthrie, Hannah Guthrie, Jack McCabe
11:00 Grace Egerton, Aly Young, Charlie Young
Jan 28 8:30 Quinn Fonner, Maggie Pearce, Emily Seelinger
11:00 Molly Walsh, Ella Brown, Joshua Marks

Prayer Room

8:30 9:45 11:00 ~ Arlene Spehar

OH! PRAISE THE LORD

- Congratulations to Jenny & Matt Dixon on the birth of their son, Isaac Abernathy Teachey Dixon on January 9, 2018! Grandparents are Charles and Susan Teachey.