

# ANNOUNCEMENTS



## Searching the Scriptures – Readings for Feb. 28 – March 6:

Deut. 26:1-11, Psalm 91, Romans 10:8-13, Luke 4:4-13

## Selected Reflection Question for Feb 28 – March 6:

1. In this 1st week of Lent, we begin to explore our posture on this journey with Christ to the cross and beyond, specifically asking ourselves, “In whom or what do we trust?” Who would you say you trust the most personally? Who/what would you say your church trusts most?
2. In what ways have we fallen prey to the deceit that tells us that we should trust our own strength instead of trusting first and foremost in God, especially in the church?
3. How has our trust in earthly resources or persons taught us to hold tightly to what we have, fostering scarcity and distrust in our personal lives and ministries?



**Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner – March 1.** Serving starts at 6 pm. Register to attend or to volunteer on the SUMC website.

**Pastor Adam’s Farewell Reception** – Sun. **Feb. 27**, 2:00-4:00, Bldg.1, Fellowship Hall. Please come help us celebrate Adam’s ministry here at SUMC as we give thanks for his faithfulness and wish Adam and his family well as he follows God’s calling for his future! There will be baskets for cards of

well wishes & light refreshments. If you’re unable to attend but wish to give a card, you can drop it off in the office!



**Discover the Journey Class – March 3 – April 14** This is an interactive series for anyone interested in discovering how we at SUMC are trying to worship, connect, serve, give, and grow together.

Email: [connect@swansboroumc.org](mailto:connect@swansboroumc.org) to get more info or to register.



**Youth Beach Retreat – March 4-6**, Deadline to register **Feb. 27**.

Students and volunteers can register on the SUMC website, or call the church office 910-326-4822



**Tuesday Family Movie Night & Discussion** – Come out for food, film, & fellowship! Next showing **March 15**, 6:00-7:30. Food will be provided as we watch *The Chosen, Episode 6: Indescribable Compassion*.



**Silverdale Elementary book drive** collection bins will be available at church until **March 31st**, for donating used or new books for children ages 5-12. More info: [c4c@swansboroumc.org](mailto:c4c@swansboroumc.org)



**Life Line Screening** - Preventive health screenings are affordable, non-invasive, and painless. Life Line will be at SUMC on Thurs, **March 10**. Register: Call toll free 1-888-653-6441, or online: [at:https://llsa.social/HSC](https://llsa.social/HSC)



**Appalachia Service Project (ASP)** – is a Christian ministry, open to all people. It inspires hope through volunteers to make homes warmer, safer, drier. Registration is NOW OPEN to join our team. Info on SUMC website, The Scoop, or Email: [Missions@Swansboroumc.org](mailto:Missions@Swansboroumc.org)



**Church Office Closed** – for a staff planning retreat on **Mon. Feb. 28<sup>th</sup>** at 12pm & reopen at 9am on **Wed. Mar. 2<sup>nd</sup>**



**Sunday Morning Nursery & Wiggler Worship Children's Church**  
Currently, we can offer Wiggles Worship & Nursery for only the **10:30** service. Please email [childrensministries@swansboroumc.org](mailto:childrensministries@swansboroumc.org) to volunteer.



**Swansboro Methodist Men’s Peanut Ministry** – needs volunteers to cook and to take over some of the administrative tasks. No experience necessary--just a bit of energy and joy of fellowship.

Contact Mel ([mguss@ec.rr.com](mailto:mguss@ec.rr.com)) or Frank ([frank.cizerle@gmail.com](mailto:frank.cizerle@gmail.com))

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**Children’s Ministry** – If you have a passion for children, join us! Volunteers are needed for Wiggles Worship for any of our Sunday Services, (8:25, 10:30), Sunday School 9:40-10:20, and UM Kids 4:30-6:00 Sunday evening. Contact Stephanie at: 910-326-4882

**Stephen Ministry** – Are you called to express Christ’s care by listening & encouraging others through a life crisis? Become a Stephen Minister. Informational meetings about Stephen Ministry will take place this summer. A new class begins **Aug. 15<sup>th</sup>**. Apply now. Call Mel Brooks 336-689-8282 or Cleve Folger at 919-418-2828



**Stephen Ministry commissioning** – God has called Sally Barnes, Ann King, Laurie Nardo-Kunst, Andrea Wilmoth, David Wilmoth, and Robbie Yates to this Ministry. They will be commissioned as Stephen Ministers on **March 13, 2022**. Laurie Nardo-Kunst will also be commissioned as a Stephen Leader. Come celebrate and support their commissioning at one of the services that day. They will provide emotional and spiritual support to people who are going through a difficult time. With Jesus by their side, they will walk with these individuals through their challenges.

## WEEKLY EVENTS

### SUNDAY

Daymark Worship, 8:25 am

Sunday School, 9:40 am

Beacon Worship, 10:30 am

Traditional Worship, 11:00 am

### MONDAY

vonHoorn Group, 8:30 am

Scouts, 6:30 pm

### TUESDAY

Scouts, 5:30 pm

### WEDNESDAY

UMM Bible Study, 8:00 am

Girl Scouts, 5:30 pm

Scouts, 7:00 pm

### THURSDAY

Sea Scouts, 6:00 pm

## Monthly Events

UMW Morning circle

- Dixie Moore/Mary Smith  
10:00 am 2nd Wed

UMW Afternoon circle

- Creekside (Weeks/Hurst)  
12:30 pm 2nd Sunday

- Hazel Midgett/Mattie Tolson  
4:00 pm 2nd Wed

UMW Evening Circles

- Charlotte Fields/Minnie Jones  
7:00 pm 2nd Wed

- Lula Hatsell/Mary Underseith  
7:00 pm 2nd Wed

If your group is missing from the lists of weekly or monthly events, please contact Kathy at [adminassistant@swansboroumc.org](mailto:adminassistant@swansboroumc.org) or call church office.

### February 20, 2022

In-Person Attendance 8:25 91 10:30 135 11:00 no service

Online-engagement 8:25 149 10:30 71

### Month End Financial Statement

	January	2022 Year End
Budget Contributions	\$ 54,257.00	\$ 54,257.00
\$20 Fellowship Fund & Building Gifts	\$ 7,018.00	\$ 7,018.00
Total Income	\$ 61,275.00	\$ 61,275.00
Less Budget Expenses	\$ 95,680.00	\$ 95,680.00
Net	\$ (34,405)	\$ (34,405.00)

# WELCOME



Swansboro United Methodist Church – February 27, 2022

## ABOUT US

Our community of faith includes people from all ages, backgrounds and walks of life. We come from Swansboro and many of the neighboring towns and coastal areas, with friends traveling from the far northern parts of the Crystal Coast all the way to Jacksonville and beyond. We welcome families with children and invite you to come and discover our outstanding children and youth ministries.

## OUR MISSION STATEMENT

**Worship God, Love One Another, Serve the World.**

We are committed to making disciples who make disciples. We believe that every believer is gifted, called, and has a unique purpose in God's kingdom. Our mission is to make disciples by inviting and equipping every believer to embody at least four marks of discipleship: **worship, connect, serve, and give.**

## FIND US

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## CONTACT US

910-326-4822

Church Office Hours  
Monday - Thursday  
9 am - 4 pm