ANNOUNCEMENTS



<u>Searching the Scriptures – Dec. 5 – Dec. 11</u>:

Isa. 35:1-10, Luke 1:46-55, James 5:7-10, Matt 11:2-11

Selected Reflection Question:

Luke 1:47-55 those with power interpret scripture differently than those who are oppressed. How can you make room for perspectives other than your own as you interpret scripture?



<u>SUMC Family Movie Night</u> - "The Chosen," Season 2! All are invited to join us for food, film, & fellowship. We'll take turns bringing food to share as we watch each new episode of this acclaimed show. A short interactive discussion will follow the video.

What: Episode 3: "Matthew 4:24" –

When: **Dec. 14**, 6-7:30pm

Where: Building 1, Fellowship Hall



The Chosen – Big Christmas Special Sunday, Dec. 18, 5:30 pm. All are invited to this special Christmas story episode about the birth of Christ through the eyes of Mary and Joseph featuring a lineup of musicians performing new and classic Christmas songs. Food for this special episode will be potluck dinner; please bring a favorite dish to share.



Youth Ski Trip Jan. 26-29 – Winter Place Resort requires all group lift tickets be purchased 30 days ahead of arrival. This means that the deadline for your name to be added to the final confirmation list is Thurs., Dec. 22nd. Register on the SUMC website.



<u>Lead Me Back to Bethlehem</u> by Pepper Choplin SUMC Chancel Choir presents their Christmas Cantata on Sunday, **Dec. 18,** at the 8:25 am & 11:00 am services. Kristen Viszneki, Director and Terri Boykin, Accompanist.



All Contributions received in the church office, (or in the mailbox outside the church office), by Dec. 31 will be reflected on 2022 contribution statements. Because they take several days to process, online contributions must be submitted no later than Dec. 29, 2022. Any contributions received after the deadline will be reflected on the 2023 contribution statements. Your 2022 contribution statements will be mailed by Jan. 31, 2022.



Please join us today, Dec. 4, 9am-1pm to enjoy viewing a large variety of beautiful and unique Nativity Sets. This is a free, community-wide event. They will be on display in Bldg. 1, Fellowship Hall.

<u>If you allowed us to display your Nativity Set</u> in the festival, you can pick it up in Bldg. 1, Sun. Dec.4, 3-5pm or Mon. 9am-noon. Or by special arrangement call Adele.



<u>An Angel Tree</u> – is in the Narthex of Bldg. 2. If you would like to bless a child in need this Christmas, please take a card from the tree and purchase the needed gift. Take your gift to the Hem at 724 W Corbett Ave. by <u>Dec. 10</u> and they will distribute to families in need. This is sponsored by the SUMC Missions team.



<u>Swansboro Methodist Men's Peanut Ministry</u> – needs a few more volunteers to help cook peanuts. No experience is necessary, just a bit of energy and joy of fellowship. If you are interested, please Contact Greg Kizziah (252) 622-7940.

Oil roasted & lightly salted; these peanuts are delicious! They make great stocking stuffers. They are available at the church office.



<u>Food Pantry Needs</u>: Please help us stock the pantry for the holidays. We need: canned chicken & ham, boxed potatoes, cranberry sauce, powdered milk, and chicken broth.



<u>We need volunteers</u> to assist in three elementary Sunday school classrooms. If you are willing to help on a regular or part-time basis, please contact Megan Fahy at fahymegan@gmail.com



If you have a heart for worshiping the Lord, and you are interested in joining the praise band for the 10:30 worship service, please contact Don Haines 614-649-4220

WEEKLY EVENTS

(Recurring 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

WEDNESDAY

Girl Scouts, 5:30 pm

THURSDAY

Sea Scouts, 6:00 pm

Monthly Events

United Women in Faith

Call Gwen Macias (910) 546-5812

Morning circle

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

Afternoon circle

- Creekside (Weeks/Hurst)12:30 pm 2nd Sunday
- Hazel Midgett/Mattie Tolson4:00 pm 2nd Wed

Evening Circles

- Charlotte Fields/Minnie Jones 7:00 pm 2nd Wed
- Lula Hatsell/Mary Underseth
 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 or call church office.

Nov. 27, 2022 Attendance:

In-Person Attendance	8:25	110	10:30	105	11:00	52
Online engagement	8:25	39	10:30	32	11:00	19

Nov. 27, 2022 Offering: \$ 29,628.28

Month End Financial Statement					
	October	2022 Year to Date			
Budget Contributions	\$ 82,375	\$ 727,488			
\$20 Fellowship Fund & Building Gifts	<u>\$ 6,974</u>	\$ 59,295			
Total Income	\$ 89,709	\$ 786,784			
Less Budget Expenses	\$ 102,055	\$ 1,020,859			
Net	\$ (-12,346)	\$ (- 159,075)			

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Swansboro United Methodist Church – December 4, 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.

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