ANNOUNCEMENTS



Searching the Scriptures – Readings for April 3 – April 9 Acts 10:34-43, Ps. 118:1-2, 14-24, Col 3:1-4, John 20:1-18



<u>Lent Noon Day Service</u> – Join us on April 5, at noon. Our speaker will be Rev. Ray Broadwell. A light lunch will follow the service.



Easter Lilies for the altar – If you would like to order an Easter lily for the altar in memory or celebration of a loved one, please fill out the enclosed form and submit it (with your payment) to the church office by Monday, April 3.



<u>Annual Easter Egg Hunt is Today</u> – Children ages 5th grade & younger are invited to join us today, Sunday, April 2, at 1:00 pm. Come hear the Easter story and enjoy a fun day including face painting and temporary tattoos.



<u>The Chosen" - Family Movie Night</u> - All are invited to join us for food, film, & fellowship. Next Episode: "Reckoning" When: April 12, 6-7:30 pm <u>Where</u>: Bldg. 3 <u>Food</u>: Lynn Rouse & Adele Hyla-Brewster



<u>SUMC Scholarships</u> – SUMC Youth Fellowship Scholarship, SUMC Lucille Crawford Scholarship, Swansboro United Methodist Men's Scholarship, Swansboro United Women in Faith Scholarship. Visit the following link for more info & the electronic applications: <u>swansboroumc.org/scholarships</u> Submit by April 11.



Flourishing & Fruitful Life Group will be exploring the book "How To Pray" by C.S. Lewis starting Wed., **April 12** at 9:00 am. We meet in Bldg. 3, Youth rooms. Grab a book and join us! Contact is brenfeutz1@gmail.com



Our New Sunday Worship Service Schedule – begins on Sunday, April 16, SUMC will go to two Sunday worship services. Our new schedule will be:

8:25 am – Daymark Worship Service (in the sanctuary) 9:40 am – Sunday School for all ages 10:30 am – Beacon Worship Service (building #3)



New SUMC church office hours

The church office will be closed on Mon., April 10. Starting on Tues., April 11, our church office hours will change. We will be open 9am – 2pm, Mon.-Thurs.



SUMC Easter Breakfast - If you have signed up to help with the Easter morning breakfast, Sun. **April 9**, you should've received an email with instructions about when to arrive to help set up, cook, & serve. If you have questions or to volunteer, contact Gus Gustafson, call: (919) 690-2450, email: gustafson.kerrlake@gmail.com

Volunteer Opportunities:

<u>Assistants</u> - in the Wiggler, Nursery, and Sunday School Programs. https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0e4baeaa29a2fd0-1030/36906368#/

<u>Children's Events Coordinator</u> – Help plan fun events for children & families. To volunteer with Children's Ministries, apply on the website, Facebook, or contact Dr. Layne Harpine at: <u>Studentministries@swansboroumc.org</u>

<u>SUMC Food Pantry needs</u> - PB & Jelly, canned juice, cereal, powdered milk, rice, and spaghetti pasta.



DVD copies of the worship services are available. If you are interested, call the church office.

WEEKLY EVENTS (Recurring Events) SUNDAY	Monthly Events United Women in Faith Call Gwen Macias (910) 546-5812	
Daymark Worship, 8:25 am Sunday School, 9:40 am	Morning circle - Dixie Moore/Mary Smith 10:30 am 2nd Wed	WELCOME SUMC
Beacon Worship, 10:30 am Traditional Worship, 11:00 am	Afternoon circle - Creekside (Weeks/Hurst) 12:30 pm 2nd Sunday	Swansboro United Methodist Church – April 2, 2023
MONDAY Rise & Shine Group, 8:30 am	- Hazel Midgett/Mattie Tolson 4:00 pm 2nd Wed	ABOUT US
Scouts, 6:30 pm WEDNESDAY	Evening Circles - Charlotte Fields/Minnie Jones 7:00 pm 2nd Wed	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
Girl Scouts, 5:30 pm THURSDAY	 Lula Hatsell/Mary Underseth 7:00 pm 2nd Wed 	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.
Sea Scouts, 6:00 pm	If your group is missing from the lists of	OUR MISSION STATEMENT
	events, please contact Kathy at adminassistant@swansboroumc.org	Worship God, Love One Another, Serve the World.
3/19/23 In-Person Attendance: Online engagement:	8:25 92 10:30 149 11:00 61	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

		2023 February		2023 Y-T-D	
Contributions to Church Operating Budget		70,720	\$	126,881	
Less Church Operating Expenses		76,921		137,798	
Net Church Operating Income / (Deficit)		(6,201)	\$	(10,917)	
Building Contributions	\$	17,443	\$	27,186	
Less Building Debt Payments		<u>(19,326)</u>		<u>(38,651)</u>	
Building Deficit absorbed by Church Budget		(1,883)	\$	(11,465)	
Net Total Deficit	\$	(8,083)	\$	(22,382)	
Balance Owed on Building Loan	\$1,114,495				

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discipleship: worship, connect, serve, and give.

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Church Office Hours Monday - Thursday 9 am - 4 pm