

## ANNOUNCEMENTS



**Searching the Scriptures** – Readings for May 1 – May 7  
Acts 7:55-60, Ps 31:1-5, 15-16, 1 Pet 2:2-10, John 14:1-14



**Help save a life – give the gift of blood** – Donate blood Tuesday, **May 2**, 12pm-5pm, in the SUMC Building 3 Assembly Hall. Please visit [RedCrossBlood.org](http://RedCrossBlood.org) and enter SUMC03 to schedule an appointment.



**National Day of Prayer** – **May 4**. Join the Noon Prayer Rally at the Swansboro Soccer Complex, or the Evening Prayer Rally at the Carteret County Speedway. Gates open at 4:30pm, Bring your chair and enjoy live worship music at 5pm. Prayer Rally 6-7pm.



**Carnations for Mother's Day, May 14**. Place a carnation on the altar for your mom. Proceeds go toward UWF missions projects. \$5 for each name submitted. Fill out order form in Narthex and turn in to the church office by **May 8**.



### **Youth Sunday!**

**Only One Worship Service on Sunday - May 14**. Join us in Bldg. 2, Sanctuary beginning at 10:30 am. Our children, confirmands, and youth will lead the entire service. They will provide greeters, ushers, songs, scripture, prayer, and the message. There will also be a special tribute to mothers!



**The Chosen” - Family Movie Night** - All are invited to join us for food, film, & fellowship. Don't miss this final episode of Season 2, “Beyond Mountains”!

**When:** **May 17**, 6-7:30 pm

**Where:** Bldg. 3

**Food:** Bren Feutz



**Rise Against Hunger** – meal packaging event planned for **July 1**. Help package meals for shipment to those in need. Register with link in Scoop Email Newsletter, or on the SUMC website under serve-food missions.



**VBS Food Truck Party** – Let's cook up some fun! SUMC Vacation Bible School is **July 17-20**. Sign-up to volunteer on the SUMC website. You can help us to make it this summer's biggest party!



**Girls Cowgirl Camp** – Signups have begun for the **July 23-27** Cowgirl Horse Camp in Cluster Springs, VA. The week will include daily horseback riding, devotional time, and other ranch activities. Please contact Carolyn Amdahl (910) 581-1450 or email: [amdahlc@gmail.com](mailto:amdahlc@gmail.com) for further details & full itinerary.

### **Volunteer Opportunities:**

**Assistants** - in the Wiggler, Nursery, and Sunday School Programs. For questions or more information, call Pastor Regina. Sign up on the SUMC website: *(Click Connect, then choose Children & Student Ministries from the drop-down menu.)*

**Children's Events Coordinator** – Help plan fun events for children & families. To volunteer with Children's Ministries, apply on the website, Facebook, or contact Dr. Layne Harpine at: [Studentministries@swansboroumc.org](mailto:Studentministries@swansboroumc.org)



**SUMC Food Pantry needs** - PB & Jelly, cereal, oatmeal, cream of mushroom soup, rice, and canned chicken. Thank you for your continuing generosity!



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

## WEEKLY EVENTS

### (Recurring Events)

#### SUNDAY

Daymark Worship, 8:25 am

Sunday School, 9:40 am

Beacon Worship, 10:30 am

#### MONDAY

Rise & Shine 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 Melissa Bolling (910) 382-4546

#### Morning circle

- Dixie Moore/Mary Smith  
10:30 am 2nd Wed

#### Afternoon circle

- Creekside (Weeks/Hurst)  
12:30 pm 2nd Sunday
- Hazel Midgett/Mattie Tolson  
4:00 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 events, please contact Kathy at [adminassistant@swansboroumc.org](mailto:adminassistant@swansboroumc.org)

4/23/23 In-Persson Attendance: 8:25 193 10:30 125  
On-line Engagement: 8:25 25 10:30 28

	2023 February	2023 Y-T-D
Contributions to Church Operating Budget	\$ 100,040	\$ 229,038
Less Church Operating Expenses	<u>74,718</u>	<u>212,316</u>
<b>Net Church Operating Income</b>	<b>\$ 25,322</b>	<b>\$ 16,721</b>
Building Contributions	\$ 12,224	\$ 39,410
Less Building Debt Payments	<u>(19,326)</u>	<u>(57,977)</u>
<b>Building Deficit absorbed by Church Budget</b>	<b>\$ (7,102)</b>	<b>\$ (18,567)</b>
<b>Net Total Income/(Deficit)</b>	<b>\$ 18,220</b>	<b>\$ (1,846)</b>
<b>Balance Owed on Building Loan</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>1,097,743</b>

# WELCOME



Swansboro United Methodist Church – April 30, 2023

## 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

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Church Office Hours  
Monday - Thursday  
9 am - 2 pm