

Announcements

SwanKids It's an exciting time for Children in our congregation.

Wiggler's Worship is now known as **SwanKids** and expanding to include 3-yr-olds through school-aged children who are not yet ready to sit through a sermon. Check-in will be in the Narthex for both services for Nursery and Children. Our team will escort all our SwanKids children downstairs before the sermon begins.



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Zoe Empowers Ministry team will be selling "Soup in a Bag" mixes as a fundraiser after both worship services **today & Feb. 11**. Find us in the Narthex after service and enjoy a sample of the soup! Each bag sells for \$15. Also available in the church office. Let's continue to support our group of orphaned children in Tanzania!



'Souper' Supper Bowl of Caring – The SUMC Family Ministries team invites you to join us for food and fellowship. Bring a pot of soup to share. Taste new soups, and vote on your favorite. Who will win this year's "prized" soup ladle? **This evening, 5-6:30 pm, Bldg. 3.**

This Week at a Glance

Sun.	2/4	- Family Ministries 'Souper' Supper Bowl of Caring, Bldg. 3 - Zoe Empowers fundraiser, Soup-in-a-bag in the Narthex
Mon.	2/5	- Adult Choir practice, 6:30-8:00 pm – Choir Room
Tues.	2/6	- Externally Focused Life, 6:30 - 8:00 pm, Bldg. 2, Rm 33
Wed.	2/7	- Flourishing & Fruitful life group, 9:00-10:00 am - Saving Grace study, 6:30-8:00 pm, Bldg. 2, Rm 33
Fri.	2/9	- Sanctuary Worship, 7 pm, Bldg. 1 Fellowship Hall
Sun.	2/11	- Pastor Meet & Greet, following services, Bldg. 1, Rm 27 - Zoe Empowers fundraiser, Soup-in-a-bag in the Narthex

Serve

Food Pantry Team - This week's pantry needs: peanut butter & jelly, pasta & sauce, canned fruit, mac & cheese, boxed potatoes, and the pantry is out of cereal.

Exciting Opportunity - If you are seeking a new way to involve yourself in the life of our church, please consider serving as an acolyte. There are no age requirements! All are welcome and training will be provided. Text or call Bren at 910-546-9038.

Manna Mission Volunteer opportunities at the Onslow Community Outreach. We are looking for volunteers to help pack boxes for North Carolina's Healthy Opportunities Program (HOP) Mon-Fri. email Carolyn at camdahl@ec.rr.com

Calling All Cooks! Help cook, deliver, and serve a Sun. evening meal at Onslow Community Homeless Shelter. If interested, email Carolyn at camdahl@ec.rr.com.

Upcoming Events

Methodist Home for Children Sunday is **Feb. 11**.

Shrove Tuesday - Pancake Dinner - Feb 13, 6-7 pm, Bldg. 3. Sponsored by UMYF. Please register with the link in the 'Scoop' or on SUMC website.

'Joshua' - A New In-Home Small Group Study - This 6-week study begins **Feb. 13**, 6:30-8 pm. Space is limited. Please call Joanne Scholl at 910-389-8826 to register.

Ash Wednesday - Drive Through Ashes - Feb. 14, 11 am - 1 pm, in front of Bldg. 2
- **Worship Service - Feb. 14, 7 pm**, Bldg. 2, Sanctuary

Lenten Noon Services & Lunch - Feb. 21, Feb. 28, March 6, March 13, March 20

Destinations Book Study Group will meet on **Feb. 15 (instead of Feb. 8)** to discuss their final book selection, *Saint Luke, Acts of the Apostles*.

Hope Mission's 21st Annual Empty Bowls Fundraiser will be held on **Feb. 22** at the Crystal Coast Civic Center, Morehead City. The purchase of a ticket allows for a choice of a handmade bowl donated by an area potter & a choice of 2 soups provided by Carteret Community College Culinary School. The empty bowl taken home is a reminder of those worldwide whose bowls are empty. There are also silent auctions and raffles! Tickets are available at HOPE MISSION (hopemissionnc.org).

Recurring Weekly Meetings

SUNDAY

Daymark Worship, 8:25 am
 Sunday School, 9:40 am
 Beacon Worship, 10:30 am
 UM Kids, youth, 4:30 pm

MONDAY

Rise & Shine Group, 8:30 am
 Cub Scouts, 5:00 & 6:00 pm
 Boy Scouts, 6:30 pm

TUESDAY

AA Early Birds, 6:00 pm
 Al-Anon, 8:00 pm

WEDNESDAY

Girl Scouts, 5:30 & 6:00 pm

THURSDAY

Sea Scouts, 6:00 pm

MONDAY – FRIDAY

AA groups, 8:00 pm

Monthly Meetings - United Women in Faith

For info: Melissa Bolling (910) 382-4546

Morning circle

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

Afternoon circles

- Creekside (Weeks/Hurst)
 5:30 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

WELCOME



Swansboro United Methodist Church – February 4, 2024

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 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.**

1/21/24 In-Person Attendance - 8:25 - 119 10:30 - 176
 Online engagement - 8:25 - 123 10:30 - 78

	2023 December	2023 Y-T-D
Contributions to Church Operating Budget	\$ 103,140	\$ 930,669
Less Church Operating Expenses	(73,446)	(824,968)
Net Church Operating Income	\$ 29,693	\$ 105,701
Building Contributions	\$ 64,328	\$ 231,215
Less Building Debt Payments	(19,326)	(260,470)
Building Deficit Surplus/(Absorbed by) Church Budget	\$ 45,002	\$ (29,256)
Net Total income	\$ 74,696	\$ 76,446
Balance Owed on Building Loan	\$	913,889

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 9 am - 2 pm