Announcements



<u>Pastor Meet & Greet</u> - Today. Join the Pastors for coffee and conversation following each service, Bldg. 1, Rm 27.



<u>Native American Ministries Sunday</u> - Today. Envelopes are available for this United Methodist Special offering. Your generous gift provides Scholarships for Native American seminarians and empowers Native American outreach.

<u>General Conference Conversation & Coffee</u> - Would you like to know more about the upcoming UMC conference in Charlotte? Join us for a brief time of conversation, coffee, and prayer with Pastor Kevin. **Wed. April 17**, 6:30 pm. Bldg. 1, Fellowship Hall



Zoe Empowers Ministry team still has bags of delicious dry soup mix (Pasta Fagioli) for sale as a fundraiser. Pick one up after the service on Sunday or in the church office during the week. Let's continue to support our orphaned children groups in Tanzania and Vizag, India.

This Week at a Glance

- Sun. 4/14 Native American Ministries Sunday special offering
 - Pastor Meet & Greet, after service in Bldg. 1, Rm 27
- Mon. 4/15 Adult Choir Practice, 6:30 pm
- Wed. 4/17 Flourishing & Fruitful life group, 9:00 10:00 am
 - Worship Committee meeting, 5:00 pm
 - Conference Conversation with Pastor, 6:30 pm.
- Thurs. 4/18 Renew Retreat using the campus.
- Fri. 4/19 Mark Schultz Concert at Renew Retreat, 7:30- 9:30 pm
- Sat. 4/20 Renew Retreat using the campus

Serve

<u>Food Pantry</u> - This week's pantry needs: canned fruit, boxed potatoes, and canned or powdered milk.

<u>The pantry received a donation of baby food</u>. If you know anyone in need, please contact Carolyn Amdahl at camdahl@ec.rr.com

<u>Yard Sale Donations needed:</u> paper/packing supplies (bubble wrap/newspapers or other items that can be used to wrap things up during the sale).

Yard Sale Volunteers are needed! Sign up on the SUMC website to help with collecting, sorting, setting up the week before the yard sale, and/or selling on yard sale day (May 18). We are also seeking volunteers to pick up larger items that have been donated. If you can help, please contact: Carolyn Amdahl at: camdahl@ec.rr.com

<u>Community Service</u> - Do you like to cook? If you have a love of food & serving, the Onslow Community Outreach could use your help. They are seeking volunteers who are willing to cook on a weekly basis in the Soup Kitchen. For more info, contact: Carolyn Amdahl at: camdahl@ec.rr.com, or Rachael at rbell@onslowco.org

Upcoming Events

<u>2nd Annual Ricky's Retreat Golf Tournament</u> - April 18, Star Hill Golf Club. All proceeds will go to Ricky's Retreat. Register on the SUMC website.

Red Cross Blood Drive - at SUMC Tues. **April 30**, 10:00 am - 3:00 pm. Go to RedCrossBlood.org and enter: SUMC03 to schedule an appointment.

The SUMC Missions Yard Sale is May 18 - If you'd like to donate items for the yard sale, drop-off dates/times are as follows:

April 27 (9:00 - 12:00), May **4** (9:00 - 12:00), May **13-15** (9:00-1:00) *Please, NO clothes, (except baby clothes), books, blinds, tires, soiled, or non-working items.

<u>Vacation Bible School</u>—The 2024 VBS theme is *'Hero Hotline: Called Together to Serve God!'* The dates are **July 15 -18**, from 5-8 p.m. Putting VBS together for the kids takes many hands and willing hearts. Please look at your calendar and prayerfully consider joining the VBS volunteer team. Register on the SUMC Website.

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

Sun. 4 /7/24 In-Person Attendance - 8:25 127 10:30 - 180 Online engagement - 8:25 90 10:30

	2024 March		2024 Year-to-Date	
Contributions to Church Operating Budget	\$	84,990	\$	252,794
Less Church Operating Expenses		(98,608 <u>)</u>		(267 <u>,226)</u>
Net Church Operating (Deficit)	\$	(13,618)	\$	(14,431)
Building Contributions	\$	6,558	\$	86,243
Less Building Debt Payments		(19,313)		(67,964)
Building (Deficit) Surplus	\$	(12,755)	\$	18,278
Net Total (Deficit) /Income	\$	(26,372)	\$	3,847
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Balance Owed on Building Loan			\$	852,658

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Swansboro United Methodist Church – April 14, 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.

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