

Announcements



Youth Sunday — Combined Worship Service: May 12, which is also Mother's Day. Join us in Bldg. 2, **Sanctuary, at 10:30 am**. Our youth, confirmands, and children will lead the entire service. They will serve as greeters and ushers, lead songs and scripture, and provide prayer and the message. There will also be a special tribute to mothers!



Appalachia Service Project - June 16-22 - Volunteers will spend one week on a mission project to make homes warmer, safer, and drier. Registration is now open. For more info, check SUMC website, or email Emily at Emily.o.egerton@gmail.com. Click on the QR code to see ASP 2023 highlights.



Vacation Bible School - July 15 -18, 5 - 8 p.m. The 2024 VBS theme is 'Hero Hotline: Called Together to Serve God!' Putting VBS together for the kids takes many hands and willing hearts. Please check your calendar and prayerfully consider joining the VBS volunteer team. Sign up to volunteer on the SUMC Website.



The Zoe Empowers Ministry team is selling bags of delicious dry soup mix (Pasta Fagioli) as a fundraiser. Pick one up after service on Sunday or in the church office during the week. Let's continue to support our orphaned children groups!

This Week at a Glance

Sun. 5/5 - Order Mother's Day Carnations, deadline is May 6th

Mon. 5/6 - Adult Choir Practice, 6:30 pm

Wed. 5/8 - Flourishing & Fruitful life group, 9:00 - 10:00 am

Thurs. 5/9 - Board of Stewards meeting, 7:00 pm, Bldg 2, Room 33

Sun. 5/12 - Youth Sunday - Combined service, 10:30 am, Sanctuary
- **Mother's Day** special offering for UM Retirement Home

Serve

Food Pantry - This week's pantry needs: canned fruit, peanut butter, jelly, pasta, and pasta sauce. The pantry received a donation of baby food; if you know anyone in need, please contact Carolyn Amdahl at camdahl@ec.rr.com

Yard Sale Donations needed: 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

Upcoming Events

Carnations for Mother's Day, May 12. Have a carnation placed on the altar for your mom. Proceeds go toward UWF mission projects. Fill out an order form and drop it in the offering plate with payment. (\$5 for each name submitted). The deadline to order is noon on **May 6**.

The United Methodist Retirement Home - The Mother's Day offering on **May 12** raises funds to provide Benevolent Care to residents of our retirement communities whose financial resources have been depleted. Donation envelopes will be available for this special offering.

The SUMC Missions Yard Sale - May 18 - If you want to donate items for the yard sale, drop-off dates/times are as follows:
Mon. May 13 - Thurs. May 15 (9:00-1:00) *Please, NO clothes (except baby clothes), books, blinds, tires, soiled, or non-working items.

Confirmation Sunday - May 19

Gentle Chair Yoga - May 30 - Back by popular demand, the all-chair yoga class will meet weekly (*for 6 weeks*) on Thursdays from 4 - 5 p.m. in Bldg 1. Fellowship Hall. Space for 30, so register soon 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
 ACA, 5:30 pm
 Cub Scouts, 5:00 & 6:00 pm
 Boy Scouts, 6:30 pm

TUESDAY

AI-Anon, 8:00 pm

WEDNESDAY

Girl Scouts, 5:30 & 6:00 pm

THURSDAY

Sea Scouts, 6:00 pm

MONDAY – FRIDAY

AA Early Birds, 6:00 pm
 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 Underseith
 7:00 pm 2nd Wed

Sun. 4 /28/24 In-Person Attendance - 8:25 126 10:30 - 152
 Online engagement - 8:25 75 10:30 - 48

	2024 April	2024 Year-to-Date
Contributions to Church Operating Budget	\$ 75,910	\$ 328,704
Less Church Operating Expenses	(81,637)	(348,863)
Net Church Operating (Deficit)	\$ (5,728)	\$ (20,159)
Building Contributions	\$ 11,769	\$ 98,012
Less Building Debt Payments	(19,326)	(87,290)
Building (Deficit) /Surplus	\$ (7,556)	\$ 10,722
Net Total (Deficit)	\$ (13,284)	\$ (9,437)
Balance Owed on Building Loan	\$	835,537

WELCOME



Swansboro United Methodist Church – May 5, 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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 9 am - 2 pm