

Announcements



Charge Conference - Nov. 4th at 7:00pm in the Sanctuary

What is Charge Conference? It is the annual meeting of the business of the church. We receive news and inspiration from the larger Annual Conference, we approve leadership rosters, we vote on clergy salaries, we approve budgets, we approve candidates for ministry, we revisit the membership roster, and more. Our District Superintendent, Jon Strother, will be here to lead us.

CCCS Benefit Concert for Western NC Relief – The Crystal Coast Choral Society, SUMC Choir, and special guests invite you to enjoy an evening of music on **Nov. 2**, at 7 pm in the Sanctuary. Admission is free – donations will go to UMCOR.

All are welcome! If you've been unable to attend one of the home or beach gatherings to meet Pastor Laura & Charles, please join us for an informal community gathering. **Thurs. Nov. 7**, at 34^o North at 1106 Cedar Point Blvd, in Cedar Point. 5-6:30 pm.

The SUMC Daycare Center is collecting plastic grocery bags. If you have extra bags please consider donating them. There is a collection box in the church office.

Thanks & praise for all who were able to help or donate to the blood drive this past week. We collected a record 30 units!

This Week at a Glance

Sun. 11/3 – All Saints Sunday

Mon. 11/4 – Stephen Minister Training, 5:30 pm
– Adult Choir practice, 6:30 pm
– Charge Conference, 7:00 pm

Wed. 11/6 – Flourishing & Fruitful SwanLife group, 9:00 am

Thur. 11/7 – 34^o N Informal Community Meet & Greet, 5:00 pm

Fri. 11/8 – Youth leave for Pilgrimage

Sun. 11/10 – Youth return from Pilgrimage

Mon. 11/11 – Church Office is closed for Veteran's Day
– Dick von Hoorn Memorial Service, 2:00 pm

Opportunities to Serve

Swansboro United Methodist Men's Peanut Ministry needs help cooking peanuts. No experience is necessary, just a bit of energy and joy of fellowship. To sign up, please call Greg Kizziah at (252) 622-7940.

Providing Meals - If you are called to participate in preparing a meal for either the Onslow Community Outreach homeless shelter or for the families of Crystal Coast Hospice house. Please contact Carolyn Amdahl by texting 910 581 1450

Food Pantry – The Manna-Food pantry team makes distribution bags for the each week. Because of your generous giving, we have helped 224 families; giving out 334 bags of food. If you want to help, this week's pantry needs are: canned fruit, rice, canned ham, cereal, peanut butter, jelly, dry pasta, & spaghetti sauce, cereal, boxed potatoes, mac-n-cheese, and dish soap.

Upcoming Events

Pilgrimage 2024 – Swansboro Youth 6th – 12th grade will be going to Rocky Mount, **Nov 8-10**. To register, use the link in Scoop or SUMC website. For more info, email: Bryan at bhoff@swansboroumc.org.

Annual Frozen Food & Bake Sale – come stock up for the holidays! **Sun. Nov. 17**, 9:30-12 noon, in Bldg. 1 Fellowship Hall. Sponsored by the Swansboro UWF.



Nativity Festival – invites you to be part of this special celebration! If you would like to help set up nativity displays on **Dec. 5-6**, the live nativity scene on Dec 6, or help on the days of the Festival **Dec. 7-8**, please email: Swansboroumc.org/nativity.

Use the QR code or the SUMC Website to sign up.



Attention UMKids - Kindergarten - 5th grade! Join us on Sunday evenings at Leaper's Point with Leaper the tree frog. Our time together will include worship, prayer, and lots of fun from 4:30-6:30. Dinner is provided. Register using the link in the Scoop or the QR code

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

TUESDAY

Narcotics Anonymous, 6:30 pm
 Al-Anon, 8:00 pm

WEDNESDAY

Recovery on the Road,
 4th Wed. of month, 1:00 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**
 6:30 pm 2nd Wed

- **Lula Hatsell/Mary Underseith**
 7:00 pm 2nd Wed

WELCOME



Swansboro United Methodist Church – November 3, 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.**

Sun. 10/27/24 In-Person Attendance – 8:25 – 104 10:30 - 148
 Online engagement – 8:25 – 87 10:30 53

	2024 September	2024 Year-to-Date
Contributions to Church Operating Budget	\$ 90,901	\$ 684,001
Less Church Operating Expenses	<u>(70,587)</u>	<u>(705,899)</u>
Net Church Operating Income / (Deficit)	\$ 20,314	\$ (21,898)
Building Contributions	\$ 16,522	\$ 175,412
Less Building Debt Payments	<u>(19,326)</u>	<u>(208,917)</u>
Building (Deficit)	\$ (2,803)	\$ (33,505)
Net Total Income / (Deficit)	\$ (17,511)	\$ (55,403)
Balance Owed on Building Loan	\$	723,967

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 Monday - Thursday
 9 am - 2 pm