

## Announcements

### 🌟 You're Invited! 🌟

Family Ministries Welcome for Pastor Elias

📅 TODAY! | 🕒 4:30–6:30 PM

Let's give Pastor Elias a joyful (and splashy!) welcome! 🎉

🍔 Burgers & Hot Dogs

💧 Water Slide • Water Balloons • Wading Pools

🎪 Games • Laughter • Fun for All Ages!

Don't forget to bring:

🪑 A lawn chair

🧴 A towel

🥗 A side dish to share

Come ready for food, fellowship, and summer fun!

Let's celebrate together!

### 🔧 Help Us Roll Out the Welcome Mat!

Setup Volunteers Needed – TODAY, July 27<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 pm

Family Ministries is hosting a special Welcome for Pastor Elias, and we need your help getting everything ready! Join us to help set up and make the space inviting for this special event.

Many hands make light work—thank you for being part of the welcome!

### Name Tag July!

We're encouraging everyone to wear name tags throughout the month of July. This will help Pastor Elias get to know us better—and it's a great way for all of us to learn new names and connect with one another!

### Kairos Prison Ministry Opportunity – November 6–9

Have you been to prison lately? The Kairos Prison Ministry of Pamlico is preparing for a weekend ministry event, November 6–9. Men, this is a powerful opportunity to be the hands and feet of Jesus to those who are incarcerated.

Tom Scholl, who served on a Kairos team last spring, shares:

*"It was an amazing weekend for me and for the men participating. I experienced lives changed."*

Interested? Contact Tom at 910-389-6170.

## This Week at a Glance

Sun. 7/27 - Family Ministries Welcome for Pastor Elias, 4:30 pm

Mon. 7/28 - Choir practice, 6:30 pm

Sat. 8/2 - Wonder Widows, 12 pm

## Opportunities to Serve

### 📢 Treasurer Needed for United Methodist Men!

Are you good with numbers? Want to serve in a meaningful way?

The United Methodist Men are looking for a dedicated Treasurer to help support their mission and ministry.

✉️ Contact: Jim Drum

✉️ Email: jadrum91@gmail.com

☎️ Phone: 336-317-1338

*Your gifts can make a difference!*

### 📖 Be a Voice of the Word!

We need scripture readers for both the 8:25 and 10:30 services.

Share your voice and be part of worship—sign up in the Narthex or contact the church office Monday through Thursday, 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

### 🌿 Help Our Tree Bloom with Hope! 🌿

We're kicking off a *beautiful* and impactful fundraiser to support our Zoe mission group in Vizag, India—and YOU can make a difference!

🌳 A bare tree will appear in the Narthex soon, and we need your help to fill it with leaves! ❤️ Each leaf is \$50, with every dollar going directly to empower vulnerable youth through Zoe.

### Food Pantry Needs

Spaghetti Sauce

Cereal

Rice

Spaghetti Noodles

Instant Potatoes

Mac & Cheese

## Recurring Weekly Events

### SUNDAY

Daymark Worship, 8:25 am  
 Sunday School, 9:40 am  
 Beacon Worship, 10:30 am  
 UM Kids, 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,  
 4<sup>th</sup> Wed. of the month, 1:00 pm

### THURSDAY

Sea Scouts, 6:00 pm

### MONDAY – FRIDAY

AA Early Birds, 6:00 pm  
 AA groups, 8:00 pm

## Monthly Events

### United Women in Faith

For info: Melissa Bolling (910) 382-4546

### Morning circle

- **Dixie Moore/Mary Smith**  
10:30 am 2nd Wed
- **Creekside (Weeks/Hurst)**  
11:30 am 2nd Sunday

### Afternoon circles

- **Hazel Midgett/Mattie Tolson**  
4:00 pm 2nd Wed

### Evening Circles

- **Charlotte Fields/Minnie Jones**  
6:30 pm 2nd Wed
- **Lula Hatsell/Mary Underseeth**  
7:00 pm 2nd Wed

### Wonder Widows

- 12:00 pm 1st Saturday

Sun. 7/20/25

In-Person Attendance – 10:30 - 245

Online engagement – 10:30 - 44

### Adult Sunday school

Emmaus class – Bldg. 2, room 34

Joy class – Bldg. 2, room 37

Logos class – Bldg. 2, room 33

Yellow tangs class – Bldg. 2, room 38

### Kids Sunday School

Nursery 0-2 yr. - Bldg. 3, Rm 140

3 yr. old – 5th gr. - Bldg. 1, Rm 10

	2025 June	2025 Year-to-Date
Contributions to Church Operating Budget	\$ 94,031	\$ 436,533
Less Church Operating Expenses	(62,859)	(434,020)
<b>Net Church Operating Income</b>	<b>\$ 31,173</b>	<b>\$ 2,512</b>
Building Contributions	\$ 8,013	\$ 43,378
Less Building Debt Payments	(19,326)	(115,953)
<b>Building (Deficit)</b>	<b>\$ (11,313)</b>	<b>\$ (72,576)</b>
<b>Net Total Income/(Deficit)</b>	<b>\$ 19,860</b>	<b>\$ (70,063)</b>
<b>Balance Owed on Building Loan</b>		<b>\$ 564,838</b>

# WELCOME



**Swansboro United Methodist Church – July 27, 2025**

## 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 explore our outstanding children's and youth ministries.

## OUR MISSION STATEMENT

**Worship God, Love One Another, Serve the World.**

We are committed to making disciples who, in turn, 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.**

## FIND US

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## CONTACT US

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 9 am - 2 pm