

Announcements

Men's Bible Study – Scripture and the Skeptic

📖 **Thursdays** 🕒 **7:00 AM** 📍 Building 2, Room 33

All men are invited—come as you are and grow together.



🌟 Support Our United Women in Faith at the National Assembly! 🌟

This May, 20+ women from the North Carolina Conference will gather in Indianapolis for the national Assembly—and you can help them shine!

🌿 **Basket of Our Region** – We're creating a basket that showcases the natural treasures of our area. We especially need tobacco and cotton. Can you help? Contact Adele: 716-310-5298.

🎨 **Folk Art for a Mission Auction** – Do you have folk art to share? Your contribution will help vulnerable children and youth in United Methodist programs across the U.S. Let Adele know if you can donate!

🙏 Thank you for supporting this special ministry. God bless!

📖🌟 **NEW BOOK STUDY STARTING SOON!** 🌟📖

Fellowship Friends is beginning a new study this May—and you're invited!

📖 *The Last Sweet Mile* by Allen Levi

A powerful and thought-provoking story reflecting on faith, scripture, and the final year of the author's brother's life.

💬 *"The Kingdom of God moves forward most enduringly when ordinary people do small things kindly and well over a long period of time."*

📅 Begins: May 5

🕒 Time: 6:00 PM

📍 Location: Room 38

📅 Duration: 4 weeks (through May 26)

🌿 Come grow in faith, share in conversation, and connect in community.

All are welcome!

🌿 **UWF Move 4 Mission: Gentle Chair Yoga** 🌿

📅 April 28, 2026 🕒 11:00 AM

📍 Building 1, Fellowship Hall

🙏 Instructor: Laurie Nardo Kundst

Take a moment to breathe, stretch, and connect! Join us for Gentle Chair Yoga as part of Move 4 Mission, a fun and inspiring fundraiser hosted by United Women in Faith. This special event brings people together through movement—promoting health and wellness while supporting vital programs for women, children, and youth.

💛 All are welcome!

You do *not* have to be a member of UWF—or even female—to participate. Come move, connect, and make a difference in our community!

This Week at a Glance

Sun. 4/26 - UMKids, Confirmation, Youth, & Young Adult / Parent Group, 4:30 pm

Mon. 4/27 - Rise & Shine Group, 8:30 am, via Zoom
- SPRC Meeting, 6 pm, Bldg 2, Rm 34

Tues. 4/28 - UWF Gentle Chair Yoga, 11:00 am, Bldg 1, Fellowship Hall
- Fellowship Friends, 6 pm, Bldg 2, Room 38

Wed. 4/29 - Flourishing & Fruitful, 9 am, Bldg 3, Youth Room
- Noon Communion Service, 12 pm, Bldg 1, Fellowship Hall

Thurs. 4/30 - Men's Bible Study, 7 am, Compass Grill, Cedar Point

Opportunities to Serve

Food Pantry Needs

Thank you for your generosity! Please bring only the items listed so we can best meet current needs and use our space wisely. The pantry is in dire need of all the items listed below. Please bring only REGULAR SIZED cans.

Pasta sauce	Canned fruit	Rice	Cereal
Boxed milk	Canned meats	Soup	Crackers

🌟 Calling All Kid & Youth Champions! 🌟

Looking for a fun and meaningful way to serve in the new year? Help make a difference in the lives of our children and youth! Scan the QR code to fill out the Kids & Youth volunteer interest form and get involved today.



Note from Children's Ministries

Join the Adventure: Volunteer for VBS 2026! ❄️

Be part of Snowball Mountain Challenge VBS as kids explore faith through fun, games, and meaningful lessons.

Registration is now open! Scan the QR code to sign up.

Volunteers needed to:

- Lead small groups
- Help with games, crafts, and snacks
- Assist with storytelling
- Welcome and encourage families

Help kids discover: *"I can do all things through Him who strengthens me."* (Philippians 4:13)

Whether you can serve a day or the whole week, there's a place for you!

Questions? Contact Ashley Hopkins at childrensministries@swansboroumc.org.



Recurring Weekly Events

SUNDAY

Daymark Worship, 8:25 am
 Sunday School, 9:40 am
 Beacon Worship, 10:30 am
 UM Kids, Youth, & Young
 Adult/Parents Group 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 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

Wonder Widows
 - 12:00 pm 1st Saturday

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**
 6:00 pm 2nd Wed

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

Sun. 4/19/26

In-Person Attendance – 8:30 – 132 10:30 – 128

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 – 6th gr. - Bldg. 1, Rm 13

7th-12th gr. – Bldg. 3, Youth Room

	2026 March	2026 Year-to-Date
Contributions to Church Operating Budget	\$ 72,547	\$ 193,236
Contribution from Childcare	\$ 25,000	\$ 25,000
Less Church Operating Expenses	(80,135)	(237,764)
Net Church Operating (Income/Deficit)	\$ 17,412	\$ (19,528)
Building Contributions	\$ 9,531	\$ 21,149
Less Building Debt Payments	(19,326)	(57,977)
Building (Deficit)	\$ (9,795)	\$ (36,828)
Net Total (Income/Deficit)	\$ 7,617	\$ (56,356)
Balance Owed on Building Loan		\$ 402,057

WELCOME



Swansboro United Methodist Church – April 26, 2026

ABOUT US

Our community of faith includes people of 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.**

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 Monday - Thursday
 9 am - 2 pm