

Announcements

🍊 FALL FAMILY FUN IS TODAY! 🍊

Join us today from **4:30–6:30 PM** for trunk-or-treat, games, food, pumpkins, and family fun! Invite your friends and neighbors—everyone in the community is welcome! We look forward to seeing you there!

🍪 Youth Bake Sale & Silent Auction

Join us on **TODAY**, from 8:30 AM–12:30 PM in Building 1 Fellowship Hall. Stop by to enjoy delicious homemade treats, browse exciting auction items, and support our youth ministry. Your participation helps make a difference in the lives of our students. We hope to see you there!

🍽️ HELP US GATHER AROUND THE TABLE!

We need volunteers to prepare dinner for approximately 50 people on:

 **December 6**

Whether you can provide a full meal or help with part of the dinner, your contribution helps bring people together around the table.

Help us make Sunday nights a time to eat, connect, and grow together! Scan the QR code to sign up or call the church office.



🍊 CHILDCARE TRUNK OR TREAT 🍊

Our Trunk or Treat was such a hit last year that we're doing it again! We still need **volunteers** to decorate their vehicle trunks and hand out treats to our children.

 **Friday, October 30**

 **9:45–10:45 AM**

Costumes are encouraged but not required—please, nothing scary! Suggested treats include individually wrapped candy or small treasure-box toys and prizes. Want to help make this a fun morning for our kids? Scan the QR code to sign up! 🎃👻



🍽️ UWF Harvest Luncheon – November 1st

Join United Women in Faith (UWF) for our Harvest Luncheon! Enjoy a delicious catered meal from Moore's Barbecue, along with a short program.

The meal will be served at 12:25 PM. The cost is \$10 per person, payable at the time of registration.

Registration is required by October 28 to ensure an accurate headcount for food preparation. Scan the QR code to register or contact Alysia in the church office. We look forward to sharing this time of fellowship with you!



🙌 NCC YOUTH PILGRIMAGE | NOVEMBER 13–15

SUMC Youth is heading to Rocky Mount, NC, for the NCC Pilgrimage! Students will travel together and stay at the Hampton Inn near the convention center. Scan the QR code for more information or to register!



Meet & Greet – November 8

New to SUMC or interested in membership? Join us at 9:30 a.m. between services to meet our pastors and learn more about our church. We'd love to meet you!

Year-End Giving Brunch & Learn

November 15 | 9:30 & 10:30 AM | Building 1 Fellowship Hall

Join Rev. Lynn Benson of the United Methodist Foundation for a special Brunch & Learn exploring creative ways to support our church and its ministries while potentially enjoying financial and tax benefits. Learn about gifts of stock, retirement account distributions, and planned giving. Enjoy brunch, ask questions, and discover how your generosity can make a lasting impact!

Opportunities to Serve

Food Pantry Needs

Thank you for your generosity! Please bring only REGULAR-SIZED cans.

Canned yams	Au gratin potatoes	Cranberry sauce	Canned pineapple
Collards	Martha White Muffin Mix		

This Week at a Glance

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| Sun. | 10/25 | - Youth Silent Auction & Bake Sale, 8:30-12:30, Bldg 1, Fellowship Hall
- Stephen Ministry Training, 2 pm, Bldg 2, Rm 33
- Youth Choir & Youth Worship Band, 4 pm
- Fall Festival, 4:30 pm |
| Mon. | 10/26 | - Rise & Shine Group, 8:30 am, via Zoom
- Blood Drive, 9 am, Bldg 3
- Choir Practice, 6:30 am, Bldg 1, Choir Room |
| Tues. | 10/27 | - Rooted Together Group, 6 pm, Hopkins Home
- Fellowship Friends, 6 pm, Bldg 2, Rm 38
- Crystal Coast Choral Society, 7 pm, Bldg 1, Fellowship Hall |
| Wed. | 10/28 | - Brewster Book Study, 10:30 am, Bldg 2, Rm 31
- Mid-week Communion, 12 pm, Bldg 1, Fellowship Hall |
| Thur. | 10/29 | - Men's Bible Study, 7 am, Bldg 2, Rm 33
- Praise Band Practice, 6 pm, Bldg 3
- Brewster Book Study, 6:30 pm, Bldg 2, Rm 31 |
| Fri. | 10/30 | - Childcare Trunk or Treat, 9:45 am, Lower parking lot |

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

Widowed Wonders

- 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)**

12 pm, 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 Hattell/Mary Underseeth**

7:00 pm, 2nd Wed

Sun. 10/18/26

In-Person Attendance – 8:25 - 155 10:30 - 147

Adult Sunday school

Joy class – Bldg. 2, room 37

Logos class – Bldg. 2, room 33

Yellow Tangs class – Bldg. 2, room 38

A Cup of Grace – Bldg 2, room 31

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	2026
	September	Year-to-Date
Contributions to Church Operating Budget	\$ 58,847	\$ 600,598
Contribution from Childcare	\$ 25,000	\$ 75,000
Less Church Operating Expenses	(61,698)	(692,994)
Net Church Operating (Income/Deficit)	\$ 22,149	\$ (17,396)
Building Contributions	\$ 10,345	\$ 68,645
Less Building Debt Payments	(19,326)	(174,010)
Building (Deficit)	\$ (8,981)	\$ (105,365)
Net Total (Income/Deficit)	\$ 13,168	\$ (122,761)
Balance Owed on Building Loan		\$ 291,476

WELCOME



Swansboro United Methodist Church – October 25, 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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Church Office Hours
 Monday - Thursday
 9 am - 2 pm