

If you are visiting today, welcome!



We invite you to fill out a Connection Card found in the pew and place it in the offering plate. We offer new members classes twice a year, and members of the church leadership are always available to answer questions you may have. Please feel free to call (860) 647-9141 or e-mail office@southumc.com if you would like to learn more about the church or how you can get plugged in. We also invite you to join us for a time of fellowship following the 9:30 am service in Reception Hall, located next to the Sanctuary.



Now you can give using a text message!

Using your cell phone you can send a gift to the church by text message. The number is 860-512-7185 - then type in the text message the amount of your gift followed by one of the key words. Example \$ amount SUMC - \$ amount KITS - \$ amount MACC

Extra, Extra!!

Pastor John's sermons are now available on YouTube! Visit [www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com) and search 'Next Generation Ministries South UMC' to find the videos. This is a great way to revisit a sermon or hear the message for the first time if you were unable to make it to church on a given Sunday.

VBS:

The VBS Flat Painting will be February 10 from 5-7 pm in Cooper Hall with pizza, paint and brushes provided! Bring your best paint clothes and a heart to serve.

Next Gen Updates

Youth:

Next Sunday the Souper Bowl of Caring Offering will be taken by our Youth, and everything offered will go to MACC's fight to end hunger in Manchester! Please help support the Youth program as they fight this worthy cause! Please join the Youth for a Potluck Super Bowl Party @ 21 Hartford Rd from 6 pm to Half-Time. Everyone is encouraged to bring something to share for this fun occasion! Let JT know if you plan to be there: 623-670-2612



Young Women's Bible Study:

The Young Women are starting a new study this Wednesday from 7:30-9 pm @ 21 Hartford Rd, and it's based upon Shauna Niequist's book Present Over Perfect. If you're interested in attending let Catey know: 802-274-4630.



Jan 27<sup>th</sup>  
Feb 3<sup>rd</sup>

Youth Group @ 5pm  
Potluck Super Bowl Party @ 6pm

Building Healthy Families' Volunteer Orientation and Training

BHF needs volunteers who want to make a difference in the lives of families with young children in the following ministry areas on Saturday mornings during March and April:

- Chefs for BrightStart For Families lunches
- Photography/Videography
- BrightStart for Families Children's Ministry
- BHF PlaySpace Hosts

Training Dates:

- Tuesday, February 12, 7-9pm
- Monday, February 18, 7-9pm

Location: BHF Learning Space at 20 Hartford Road, Manchester

RSVP: [volunteer@bhft.org](mailto:volunteer@bhft.org) or if you need another time or more information

\*Check out our new Nametag Storage in Reception Hall



\*Coming soon to the Narthex and The Café

South Church Name Badges

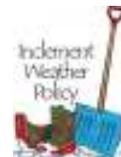
are now available to anyone who would like one. \$10 suggested donation

They have a magnetic back so clothing is not damaged (not able to be worn with a pacemaker; other options are available)

See Terry Marshall or contact her at 860-647-9141 ext 15 ([terry@southumc.com](mailto:terry@southumc.com))

"One more way to know and care for one another better!"

Weather Cancellation Policy for South Church



- If Manchester Schools are closed on a weekday, then our Church Building is also closed.
- If Sunday services are ever cancelled, you will find that info. on the following TV stations; CBS, NBC & FOX61.
- You can also call the church number 860-647-9141 ext. 5 for weather cancellation info.



Please remember to leave the parking spaces nearest the Church building for our members and friends with limited mobility. This is one more way we can extend care to one another. Thank you!



Washington School News

The cold weather has moved in, and our Mitten Trees are up both downstairs outside of *The Café* and in Reception Hall. Please consider bringing in mittens, gloves, and hats for our children at Washington School. Many kids do not come to school with cold weather gear for outside recess!! Thank you for caring!



A reminder... For your safety Please use the CROSSWALK when crossing Hartford Rd.