

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!!

Our sermons on YouTube are now accessible directly from our Church Website! (www.southumc.com) Click the link at the bottom of our Home page or on the Sermon Podcast page, and you will be taken straight to our YouTube videos!

VBS:

The VBS Flat Painting is TODAY 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:

The Youth raised over \$1,000 for MACC through the Souper Bowl of Caring Offering taken last Sunday! Thank you to all those that donated to this worthy cause! There are still some Winter Retreat spots available! Please communicate with JT ASAP if you want to go: 623-670-2612



Young Women/Young Men Happenings:

The Young Women just started a new study based upon Shauna Niequist's book Present Over Perfect, and they plan to meet again this Wednesday from 7:30-9 pm @ 21 Hartford Road! If you're interested in joining this Wednesday let Catey know by text: 802-274-4630.

The Young Men will be having a Fellowship night on February 21 from 6:30-8 pm @ 21 Hartford Rd! There will be food, video games, and an invitation to our next study starting in March. Text JT if you're interested in attending: 623-670-2612.



Feb 10th
Feb 17th

Youth Group @ 5pm - VBS Flat Painting
NO Youth Group

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: volunteerbhfct.org or if you need another time or more information

DO YOU LIKE

..... To take nothing and make it something??? We would like to start up a new group devoted to creating small, usable and/or decorative items from readily available "trash". As an example, we might take "cast of" drawers and make them into shelves, flower boxes, or small tables. Items produced would be sold at the Hi Ho Fair in November. The group is open to anyone with an interest. An organizational meeting will be held Saturday, March 2, from 10:00am to 11:00am at the Church (in Cooper Hall) with ongoing creative sessions for 2 hours on one Saturday a month through September.

Please demonstrate your interest by signing up on the provided clip board by February 24 in Reception Hall, The Café or by calling or emailing Nancy Dawson at 860-978-5480 dawsonaff@gmail.com.



Mark your calendars and locate your tools! The next SUMC Habitat Build Day will be March 9. The location will most likely be 2682 Main St. in Hartford where Habitat is putting up houses and duplexes. We're looking forward to another great day of building fellowship and fellowship building. There are spaces for twelve builders. Donations requested of builders, but not necessary. If interested, contact Jeff Kieft (720-882-8796 or gjkieft@yahoo.com).



We will be once again be partnering with the Town of Manchester in the Rebuilding Together effort on April 27, 2019. This is the 27th year Manchester has offered the program.

We need volunteers to assist with painting, yard work and landscaping. Many hands make light work and over 50 applicants have applied for the program.

Please look for the sign up sheet and waiver forms in Reception Hall during the month of February. Contact Teresa Dorer at 810-227-8373 or mtdorer@gmail.com with questions.



Please join Pastor John for a *South Church Prayer Event*

Sign up to Pray. . .
anytime on **Sunday, 2/24-Tuesday 2/26**
The event will end with a gathering of worship, prayer and fellowship at **6:30pm on 2/26 in The Café.**