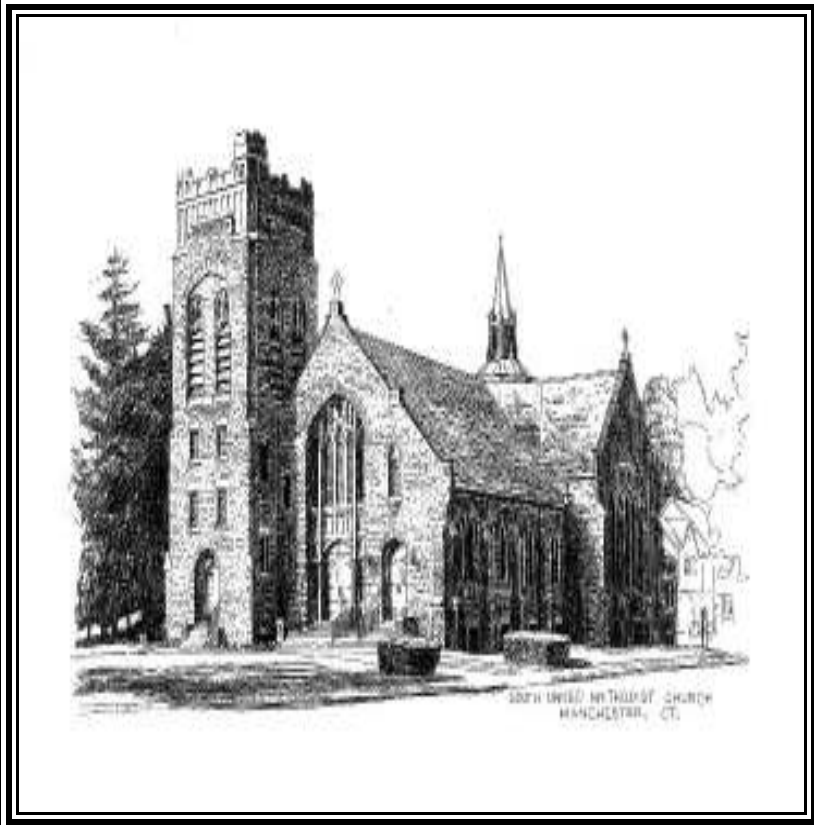


South United Methodist Church



~Welcome to South Church *On-Line*~

Pastor: Rev. John Marshall, Jr.

Director of Ministries: Terry Marshall

Next Generation Ministries: JT & Catey Himmelstein

Director of Music: Earle Bidwell

Organists: Christopher Walton & Tatiana Lukyanova

Office Managers: Colleen Olbert & Patti LaForest

Lay Leaders: Deb Grehn & Don Wilby

Sextons: Ken Schaller & Don Wilby

Retired Clergy: Rev. Richard Thompson

Missionary: Dr. Belinda Forbes, Nicaragua

Order of Worship for Sunday *On-line* Worship The 8th Sunday After Pentecost 7-26-2020

our focus Scripture verse today is...
*Jesus said, "The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field,
which someone found and hid; then in his joy
he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field."
Matthew 13:44, NLT*

Opening Music

Welcome/Announcements

Music

Theme of the Day

**"There is nothing greater
than the joy of finding the Lord."**

Opening Prayer

Call to Worship: **from Psalm 148:1-6, NRSV**

Children's Moment

Music

Pastoral Prayer for the People

Please submit prayer requests to be included
either by email: Prayer@southumc.com or by phone: 860-337-2793

The Lord's Prayer:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in
heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us
our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against
us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from
evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory,
forever. Amen.

Scripture Reading: **Matthew 13:44-46, NLT**

Message **"The Ultimate Treasure Hunt"**

Offering

Blessing

Closing Music

NRSV - The New Revised Standard Version of the Holy Bible
NLT - The New Living Translation of the Holy Bible



PLEASE NOTE

our
**ON-LINE
Worship Service**
has MOVED to
9:30am
on Sunday's

Mon. & Fri.
9am-Noon

Wed. & Thur.
5pm-8pm

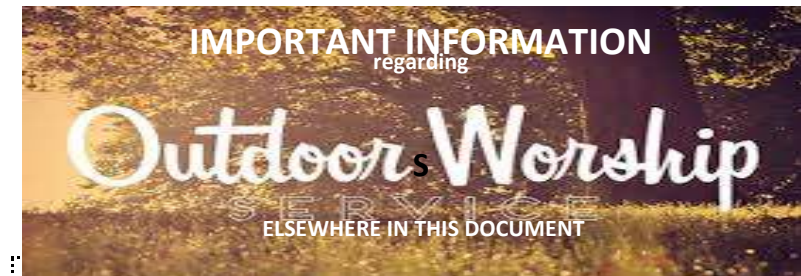


In the initial stage of re-opening South Church
we will have limited **CHURCH OFFICE HOURS**
(BEGINNING THE WEEK of JULY 13)

Some things to keep in mind. . .

- * Please **enter the building** via the Main St. door
- * Please **wear a mask** inside the church office
- * Please **keep to a max. of 4 persons** at one time
(INCLUDING STAFF MEMBERS) in the church office
- * Please **limit walking through** the church building
for the safety of staff and others required to be
there.
- * Please **exit the church building** through the
Parsonage side door.

~Thank you in advance for your cooperation!~



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If you need to reach
Pastor John or Terry
Please call the Parsonage at
860-643-4014

SUMMER DEVO SCHEDULE FACEBOOK LIVE



Wednesday's at 7:30pm
followed by a
ZOOM Bible Study at 7:45pm

This Wednesday, JULY 29, 2020
You can access the Devo.
through our Face Book Page or
through our website; www.southumc.com

NEXT Summer Bible Study
Wednesday, July 29 @ 7:45pm



Get our Meeting ID and password by:
Email from Pastor John, by USPS
or by Calling Pastor John at 860-643-4014

The SUMC Drive-by MACC Bin



Thank you to **EVERYONE** who
donated diapers for the special
drive by donation drive - I was a
very successful event!

MACC is STILL in need of FOOD
donations! IF YOU CAN... PLEASE
drive through and place items in
the bin! (by the upper ed wing ramp
door) Items will be brought by
SUMC staff members directly to
MACC for distribution.

NEW items Needed:

Regular coffee, juice boxes, Beef
stew, peanut butter, Mac n Cheese,
pasta sauce, kid's snacks.



Altar flowers are
given in loving memory of;
Jean Kocsis
by Cynde Anderson.

Altar flowers are also given in memory of;
*Deceased members of
the United Methodist Women*
by The United Methodist Women

Virtual Youth Mission Trip - July 26-30
w/The Hartford Project for grades 7-12
Please pray for this event and connect w/
JT at nextgen@southumc.com for info.



PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES at SUMC. . .



Weekly Prayer ZOOM Meetings
This SUMMER on Tuesday's
(NEW TIME!) from 6:15-6:45pm
email: prayer@southumc.com
to receive ID & password info.
If you'd like to join in:
ALL ARE WELCOME!

ALSO FOR SUNDAY MORNINGS...

If you would like Pastor John to pray over your
requests
during our Sunday Morning services... please submit
them via email to:prayer@southumc.com or by phone:
860-337-2793 by Saturday morning of each week.

Your continued support of South Church
throughout the COVID-19 Crisis,
enables and ensures that our ministries
will continue not only for our church family,
but for our community and world.



You can continue to support our church. . .

*Through the "Giving" tab on our website

*Through Text giving - the number is 860-512-7185

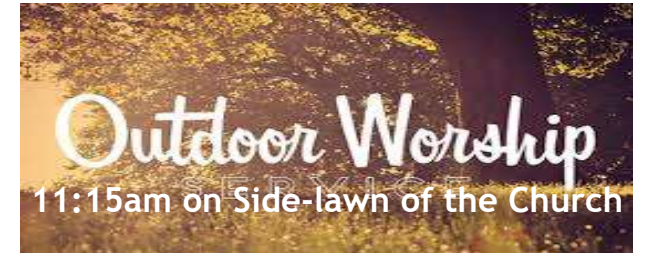
*Through Mailing a check to the church (address above)

- Thank You for your continued support! -

CURRENT SUNDAY WORSHIP opportunities at SUMC



We will continue to live stream a modified service
for those not yet able to attend in person
NEW TIME: SUNDAY'S at 9:30 am
-AND-



An in person OUTDOOR worship service,
following suggested CDC and local guidelines
SUNDAY'S at 11:15am
the location is on the side lawn of the church building
outside the outdoor pulpit.

- Please bring your own lawn chair or blanket -
EVERYONE will be responsible for sitting/keeping
at least 6 feet from those not from your
household.

Please note: **No entry will be allowed into the
church building** on Sunday mornings for any
reason, but port-o-lets will be available for use
outside if needed.

Masks will only be required if you are unable to
keep the suggested 6 foot distance from those
NOT from your household, but we anticipate since
we will be out side, they will not be needed.

At this time we are not allowed to provide any
refreshments so please **feel free to bring
water/snacks etc...**

There will be at least **10 reserved parking spots**
for those with mobility issues, but still wish to
participate in the outdoor service. All other
parking will be across Hartford Rd. in church lot.