

Connection Card

Please place card in offering plate or hand to church leader
OR
scan QR code and fill out electronically



NAME(S)

CHILD(REN) with Age & Grade

STREET ADDRESS

CITY/STATE/ZIP

CELL PHONE

HOME PHONE

EMAIL

Stay informed:

- Text Messages & Alerts
- Michael's Musings Friday Email
- E-News (Bi-weekly)
- Children & Youth Weekly Email

I am a:

- First-time Guest
- Frequent Visitor
- Regular Attender

Next Steps:

- Attend Explore South Elkhorn
- Find a Group & Join Community

Order of Worship

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

Leader: God of one, God of all, for the gift of this day we give you thanks.

All: From moment to moment, season to season, you are the same, Lord; the God of love and grace who calls us to walk in light and hope.

Leader: God of all people, God of this people, we welcome your Spirit to move in this place today, that our hearts might be made new and our minds refreshed by your word.

All: May these gifts of worship we offer this day be genuine expressions of repentance and faith as we grow and mature as followers of Jesus Christ. Together, may we grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be glory both now and forever!

(Based on II Peter 3:18)

Praise to the Lord Almighty

Song

Centering & Lord's Prayer

Children's Moment

Holly Fuqua

Sermon

Sermon on the Mount: It's Time to Grow Up
Matthew 5:33-37, 48

Jim Abernathy

Song

One Bread, One Body

Communion

Elders: Peter & Morganne Brackney

Open Table: All are welcome. Pre-packaged communion elements are available as you come in the building.

Generosity

Deacons collect tithes and offerings. You can also give on your mobile device with Venmo (@southelkhorncc) or online by credit/debit card (visit southelkhorncc.org/give)

Special Music

I Choose You

Choir

Call to Discipleship

Song

Take My Life and Let It Be

Announcements

Benediction

Serving

Deacons: Jacob Gowan, Brewer Conley, Amy Colvin, Debbie Brammell

Greeters: Teresa Brown

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SOUTH ELKHORN
CHRISTIAN CHURCH



INSPIRING CHRIST'S DEEPER WAY OF *love*



WELCOME

We are an open table people. That means all are welcome here. No matter your past dilemmas or present challenges, no matter your age or race, no matter your gender or sexual orientation or political party: we want you to be creative, bold, generous, and make a difference. We hope God unleashes your passion and gifts because the world sorely needs them. We are eager for you to wonder, question, explore and grow. Most of all, we want to journey with you in the adventure of Christ's love. We are glad you're here!

Michael

WORSHIP STAFF

Michael Swartzentruber
Senior Minister

Holly Fuqua
Associate Minister

Jennifer Smith
Student Minister

Chris Weiss
Music Minister

Diana Vetter Moore
Music Associate

Allison Colvin
Pianist

February 19, 2023



IF YOU ARE A GUEST TODAY

We hope you feel at home here, so relax and be yourself. We would love to follow up with you. Please fill out and tear off the Connection Card to your right. You can place it in the box on the table in the foyer or hand it to a minister, deacon or other church leader. Let us know how we can share more about our church, plug you in, and pray for you.

EXPLORE SOUTH ELKHORN

Sunday, February 26, 5:00 PM, Room 211

Gathering of newcomers and curious souls. Meet the team, engage in conversation, and find your place in the church spiritual community. For more information or to RSVP, please fill out the connection card or contact the church office: admin@southelkhorncc.org.

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP & WONDER

Following the Children's Moment, children ages 3 to Grade 3 are invited to hear a sacred story, wonder about its meaning, & gather together for a feast (rooms 203 & 209). If your child is new to Worship & Wonder, please escort your child to fill out contact information following the children's sermon.

NURSERY

Nursery is available for children ages 6 weeks to 2 years during Sunday School & worship. (rooms 214 & 215)

LIVE STREAMING BROADCAST

The stage is video recorded and broadcast through social media and the website. The first three rows may be on camera. Visit southelkhorncc.org/online (or scan the QR code) to watch the service each week.



We are Disciples of Christ, a movement for wholeness in a fragmented world.

LIFE TOGETHER

ALL CHURCH CHILI COOK OFF & TALENT SHOW

Today, February 19, 5:00 PM, Christian Ministry Center

Enjoy a fun-filled evening of delicious chilis and great entertainment. Let us know what you will bring (i.e., chili, cheese, crackers, dessert) or if you, your family, or someone in your family would like to perform for the talent show. Use QR code to register or at the desk in the welcome center.



ASH WEDNESDAY

February 22, 6:30 PM, Historic Sanctuary

Join in a contemplative and intimate worship service to begin the season of Lent. Nursery is available for children ages 6 weeks to 2 years. Use the QR code to the right if you are planning to attend.



LENT

Begins February 22

Learn more about what Lent can mean and how you can experience it. Find a Lenten guide, Ash Wednesday prayer guide, and more resources in the foyer or online: southelkhorncc.org/lent

LABYRINTHS WALKS

Learn, Experience, & Practice

Learn more about the spiritual practice of labyrinth walking. Join Pastor Michael as he provides context, history, and guides walking opportunities during the season of Lent. RSVP for a walk using the QR code or visiting southelkhorncc.org/lent-labyrinth.

- Handheld Labyrinth Intro & Walk, Feb. 23 1:45 PM, Historic Sanctuary
- Zoom Handheld Labyrinth Intro & Meditation, Feb. 24 12:00 PM



EASTER EGG HUNT

Sunday, March 26, Following Worship, Rain or Shine

All children (5th grade and under) are welcome to attend. Use QR code to sign up so preparations can be made accordingly. Donations of wrapped candy or other fun items can be placed in the basket in the Christian Ministry foyer. Youth will help host this event.



Lent Sermon Series Begins



TODAY

Jim Abernathy
Sermon on the Mount: It's Time to Grow Up
Matthew 5:33-37, 48 (MSG)

NEXT SUNDAY

Michael Swartzentruber
Deeper Than You Think: Wilderness
Matthew 4:1-11

Worship service and messages available online & on your favorite podcast site.

CHILDREN & YOUTH

Tiny Tots (Age 3-Pre K)/Children (Grades K-5)/Youth (Grades 6-12)

CHILDREN & YOUTH GROUPS

Children & Youth do not meet today. We will see everyone at the Chili Dinner & Talent Show tonight.

YOUTH (Middle and High School)

Camp Wakon Da-Ho Work Weekend, March 17-19, Cost: \$25. Please contact Holly at hollyfuqua@gmail.com if interested. Deadline to register is March 1.

PRAYER LIST

Share a prayer request.

If you have a prayer request, you can reach out to the church office or submit your prayer on this card in the notes section (place in offering basket when passed).

Prayer list available online at southelkhorncc.org/prayer-list

Notes



ONLINE GIVING

Make a one time gift or set up recurring gifts

DONATE ON VENMO

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Description: Offering