# 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 Birthdate & Grade
STREET ADDRESS
CITY/STATE/ZIP
CELL PHONE

#### **STAY INFORMED**

EMAIL

Subscribe to one or more email lists by using the QR code or selecting from the list below.



- O *Michael's Musings* Friday Email
- O The Current E-News
- O Children & Youth Weekly Email
- O Community Care Alert

### **TEXT MESSAGES**

Sign up to receive text messages from South Elkhorn Christian Church by texting "start" to 888-413-9540. Occasional texts will include worship weather updates and event information.

## Order of Worship

Prelude

Welcome Michael Swartzentruber

Call to Worship Leader: Come and sing,

All: joy is ever near. Leader: Come and pray, All: hope lingers here. Leader: Come and eat,

All: there's bread enough for you.

Leader: Come and live,

All: love is now and always true.

**Song** All Creatures Of Our God and King

Centering & Lord's Prayer Jen Brown-Murphy

Children's Moment Holly Fuqua

Sermon Luke: Service for Everyone

Luke 10:25-37 Michael Swartzentruber

Song As The Deer

**Communion** Dain Smith

Elders: Don Mynear, Diana McKenzie

Open Table: All are welcome. You are invited to partake of the bread as it is passed, and drink from the cup as you are ready. Gluten-free wafers are in a paper cup on each tray.

**Generosity** Susan Springer

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 Alleluia, I Will Sing Celebration Choir

Call to Discipleship Michael Swartzentruber

**Song** For The Beauty of the Earth

**Announcements** Holly Fuqua

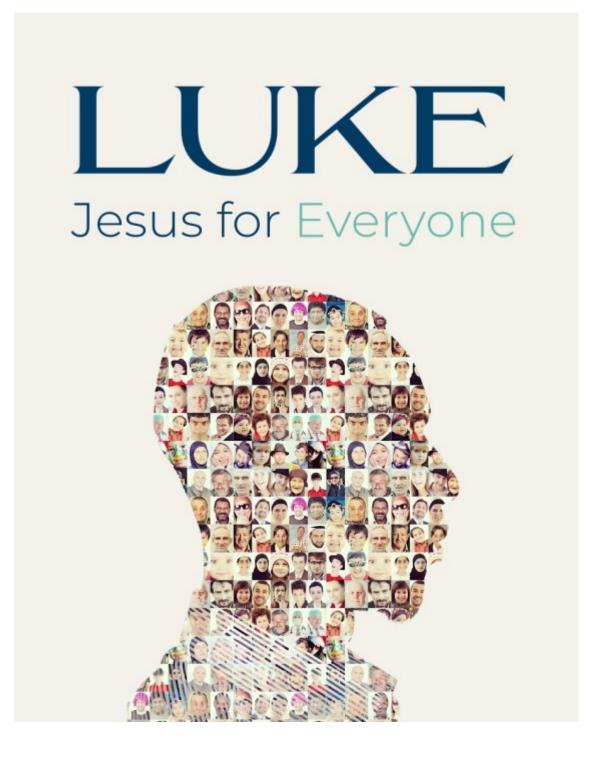
**Benediction** Holly Fuqua

### Serving

Greeters: Lynn Purdom, Lyn Thomson, David Riggins
Deacons (Prepare & Serve): Jim & Mary Ingmire
Deacons (Serve & Clean): Kim & Oakley Watkins, Victoria Hiatt
Acolyte: Landon Hughes

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### **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

Dain Smith Discipleship Minister

Jen Brown-Murphy Student Minister

**Chris Weiss** Music Minister

Diana Vetter Moore Music Associate

Allison Colvin **Pianist** 

## LIFE TOGETHER

### **CHURCH RETREAT**

### August 22-24, Camp Wakon Da-Ho, Deadline Today

Join your church family for a retreat of renewal, connection, and hope. Open to all ages, come for one day or the whole weekend. Spend the weekend with your church family for worship, games, swimming, small groups, prayer, rest and renewal, and much more. Use the QR code to sign up. Questions? Contact Dain Smith at dain@southelkhorncc.org.



### ALL-CHURCH FALL KICKOFF

September 7: 4:00 PM

### Outdoor Pavilion at the Episcopal Church of the Resurrection

Join the Fall Kickoff Potluck at the outdoor pavilion at Episcopal Church of the Resurrection. This event is a great way to connect as a church family and start the program year together. Bring a salad, veggie dish, kid-friendly side, or dessert—and bring lawn chairs and games. Use the QR code to RSVP or contact the church office at admin@southelkhorncc.org.



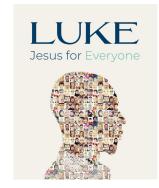
### **FALL FESTIVAL HELP NEEDED**

Saturday, October 12, 9:00-4:00 PM

Many volunteers are needed to make this day a success! Help with parking, the bake sale, or other areas as needed. Use the QR code to express your interest or sign up in the foyer. Contact Susan Springer at sspringer39@yahoo.com or 859-608-9757 if you have questions.



## Upcoming Worship



#### August 17

Luke: Worship for Everyone Luke 21:1-4; James 1:27 CWS Kit Assembly Special Music: Crowded Table, Small Ensemble

August 24

Luke: Rest for Everyone Luke 13:10-17

Michael Swartzentruber

Special Music: Christ Has No Body Now Than Yours, Ensemble

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)

### **PARENT MEETING**

Sunday, August 17, 9:30 AM, McMahan Hall

Come learn more about the children and youth program year, receive the calendar, meet other parents, and learn how to be involved. Children and youth will meet in classrooms for icebreakers, games, and fellowship. Light snacks and refreshments will be provided.



PRAYER LIST

If you have a prayer request, you

office or submit your prayer on

Prayer list available online at

southelkhorncc.org/prayer-list

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Place in the offering basket

when passed.

Notes

Share a prayer request.

can reach out to the church

#### **ONLINE GIVING**

Make a one time gift or set up recurring gifts

### **DONATE ON VENMO**

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### IF YOU ARE A GUEST TODAY

We want you to feel at home here, so relax and be yourself. We would love to follow up with you. Please complete 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**

August 17, 5:00 PM, Conference 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 use the QR code 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, and gather together for a feast (rooms 203 & 209). Visitors, please accompany your child to sign-in. All adults in Worship & Wonder rooms must complete a background check through the church office.

### NURSERY

Nursery is available for children ages 6 weeks to 2 years of age 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 (to watch the service each week.



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