

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

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- ☐ Michael's Musings Friday Email
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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: The wonder of God
All: is all around us.
Leader: The hope of God
All: is here with us.
Leader: The love of God
All: is at work through us.
Leader: So come and worship!
All: We rejoice and worship the Living God!

Song

Woke Up This Morning

Centering & Lord's Prayer

Jen Brown-Murphy

Children's Moment

Holly Fuqua

Scripture

Luke 21:1-4

Michael Swartzentruber

Song

As The Deer

Kit Assembly & Communion

James 1:27

Dain Smith
Elders: Abby Aasbo, Mary Colvin

Open Table: All are welcome. You are invited to come forward, take bread, dip your bread in the juice, and receive a blessing.

Generosity

Michael Swartzentruber

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

Crowded Table

Band

Call to Discipleship

Michael Swartzentruber

Song

I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me

Announcements

Dain Smith

Benediction

Jen Brown-Murphy

Serving

Greeters: Jeremy & Tracy Paden, Jane Phillips
Deacons (Prepare & Serve): Jim & Mary Ingmire
Deacons (Serve & Clean): Kim & Oakley Watkins, Victoria Hiatt
Acolyte: Maddie Perry

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SOUTH ELKHORN
CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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Jesus for Everyone



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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

August 17 2025



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

Today, August 17, 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 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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LIFE TOGETHER

KEENAGERS POTLUCK & SPEAKER

Friday, August 22, 12:30 PM, Christian Ministry Center
You are invited to the monthly fellowship and potluck gathering for adults. Dean Carpenter, Chaplain at Keeneland, will be sharing his experiences this month. Please bring a dish to share. If you have any questions, please contact Madonna Hurst at 859-333-3067.

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.

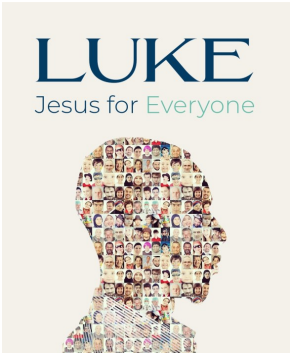


JOIN A CLASS OR GROUP THIS FALL

Beginning, Sunday, September 14
Whether you’re looking for study, support, or community, there’s a group for you. Explore the variety of opportunities to learn, share, and grow together. Use the QR code to learn more and express interest in a group.



Upcoming Worship



August 24
Luke: Rest for Everyone
Luke 13:10-17
Michael Swartzentruber
Special Music: Christ Has No Body Now Than Yours, Ensemble
August 31
Your Voice Matters
Numbers 27:1-11
Holly Fuqua

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 ages 3 through grade 12 are invited to meet after worship for a meal and activities beginning September 14. Use the QR code for more information and the full schedule.



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 the offering basket when passed.

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

Notes

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