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

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STAY INFORMED

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

- ○ *Michael's Musings* Friday Email
- ○ *The Current* E-News
- ○ Children & Youth Weekly Email
- ○ 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, journey with Jesus:
All: we join him in the wilderness,
Leader: following him through hardship and temptation,
All: walking with him in faith,
Leader: open to his wisdom,
All: learning from his compassion,
Leader: trusting his joy, strength, and forgiveness,
All: and becoming new.

Song — *Everlasting God*

Centering & Lord's Prayer — Jen Brown-Murphy

Children's Moment — Holly Fuqua

Sermon — *Wilderness*
1 Corinthians 10:1-13 — Michael Swartzentruber

Song — *Take Our Bread*

Communion — Dain Smith
Elders: Jack McAllister, Doug Alexander

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

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 — *Emptiest of Places* — Dave & Karen Seely

Call to Discipleship — Michael Swartzentruber

Song — *Living Hope*

Announcements — Dain Smith

Benediction — Michael Swartzentruber

Serving
Greeters: Lanny Adkins & Floyd Kackley, David Riggins
Deacons (Prepare & Serve): Scott & Kelly King
Deacons (Serve & Clean): Oakley & Kim Watkins, Debbie Brammell
Media: Howard Rosewell, Jacob & Maddie Walbourn

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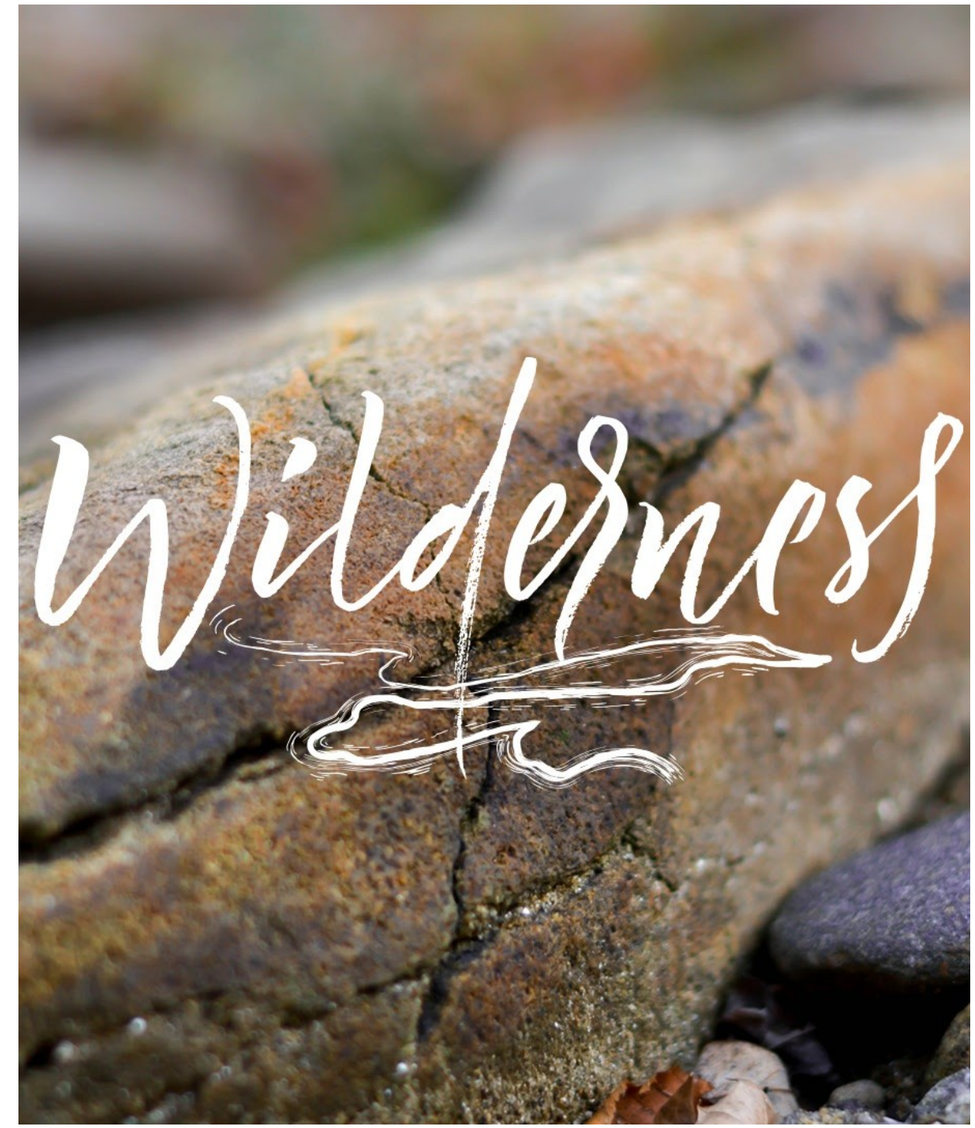

INSPIRING CHRIST'S DEEPER WAY OF *love*

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

Dain Smith
Adult Discipleship Minister

Jen Brown-Murphy
Student Minister

Diana Vetter Moore
Music Associate

Allison Colvin
Pianist

March 15, 2026

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, March 15, 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

FELLOWSHIP NIGHT: BASKETBALL

Sunday, March 22, 6:00 PM, Christian Ministry Center

All are invited. Basketball will be a time of casual play and fellowship, and no prior experience is required. Contact Holly at holly@southelkhorncc.org with any questions. Use the QR code to RSVP.

UPCOMING SERVICES

Maundy Thursday, April 2, 6:30 PM

A contemplative service in the Christian Ministry Center. Nursery is available for children ages 6 weeks to 2 years old.

Easter, April 5, 9:00 & 11:00 AM

Worship & Wonder at the 11:00 AM service only. Nursery is available for children ages 6 weeks to 2 years old at both services.

KEENAGERS POTLUCK & SPEAKER

Friday, March 27, 12:30 PM, Christian Ministry Center

You are invited to the monthly fellowship and potluck gathering for adults. Bobby Love will sing following lunch. If you have any questions, please contact Madonna Hurst at 859-333-3067.

Upcoming Worship

March 22: Youth Led-Worship
Wilderness
Jeremiah 29:11-14a
Special Music: Youth Ensemble

March 29: Palm Sunday
Wilderness
Matthew 21:1-11
Special Music: Praise Band & Choir

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

CHILDREN & YOUTH MINISTRY

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

TINY TOTS, CHILDREN, & YOUTH GROUPS

Children ages 3 through grade 12 meet today after worship for a meal and activities. Tiny Tots and Children can be pick up at 1:00 PM. Youth will stay to prepare for Youth Sunday until 2:00 PM.

EASTER EGG HUNT

Sunday, March 29, Following Worship

Children in 5th grade and under are invited to participate in the Easter Egg Hunt hosted by Middle and High School Youth. Parents, please plan to stay and enjoy the fun alongside your children. Use the QR code to RSVP.

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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Make a one time gift or set up recurring gifts

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