Offering their services as we worship God today:

Greeter: Mary Raymond
Ushers: Dave Stockbridge, Sally Cobb, Chip & Mary Raymond
Coffee Hour:
Offering Counters: Dave Stockbridge & Chip Raymond

Organist/Pianist/Choir Director	Ben Healy
Secretary	Melissa Anderson
Nursery Attendants	Kelly Hatch & Alyssa Reynolds
Custodian	Sue Newell Reilly
Pastor	Rev. Y. Joe Kim

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(508) 888-0170 swiftmemorial@verizon.net

Pastor's Office: Tue – Fri 9am - 12noon
If you would like a pastoral visit, please contact Pastor Joe directly.

Pastor's Contact Info: yhjoekim@gmail.com
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80 Old Plymouth Rd
Sagamore Beach, MA 02562

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Website: **www.swiftmemorial.org**

OUR VISION STATEMENT *is to create a true Christian family environment that spreads and grows into the community and allows the community to experience a closer relationship to Christ.*

STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT: *As members of the body of Christ, we will faithfully participate in its ministries by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, and our service.*

March 11, 2018 10:00am
Fourth Sunday in Lent

"Yes, there *is* more..."

Swift Memorial
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

We're glad you're here!

Today's Worship Leader: Sandra Knight

We Gather to Praise God

Praise and Worship (9:50-10:00)

My Life is in You, Lord	FWS #2032
Great Is the Lord	FWS #2022
As the Deer	FWS #2025

Opening Prayer

Welcome & Ministry Highlights

***Hymn** UMH #92
"For the Beauty of the Earth"

***Today's Bible Reading** **Psalm 107:1-3 & 17-22**
(Old Testament page 559 in the pew Bible)

Sermon **Rev. Y. Joe Kim**
"A Call to Give Thanks"

Song of Thanksgiving **FWS** #2036
"Give Thanks"

Giving Tithes and offerings
(response to God's grace)

Leader: God wants our love more than our offerings; God cares about our hearts not the amounts of our offerings. (Hosea 6:6)

All: As we count all the blessings God has already given to us, we cheerfully give our offerings to God, the Provider, with grateful hearts. Amen! (2 Corinthians 9:7)

Offertory Anthem UMH #294
"Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed"

***The Doxology** (a song of glory to God) UMH #95
"Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"

***Prayer of Dedication**
(the leader prays over the gifts of the people)

Joys, Concerns & Pastoral Prayer

***Song of Discipleship** UMH #102
"Now Thank We All Our God"

***Benediction** (a closing word for God's people)

***Postlude & Passing the Peace** UMH #357
(music as we leave worship and re-enter the world as Christ's servants)
"Just as I Am, Without One Plea"

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*Congregation is invited to stand if able

****UMH** – red *United Methodist Hymnal*
****FWS** – black *The Faith We Sing Hymnal*

EASTER FLOWERS

Flower orders and payments need to be in by

Thursday, March 15.

Order forms and payment can be placed in the offering plate, payable "Swift Memorial UMC", make sure to mark it "Easter Flowers".

Exciting travel opportunity!

Pastor Joe and Christine invite you to join them on an 11-day Journey Through the Bible in 2019. Brochures with all of the details are on the table in Gibbs Hall. If you are interested or have questions, please contact Christine 508-274-0598, christinekim486@hotmail.com

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Be a part of our new church directory (not just for members)!

If you didn't get a chance to have your photo taken in February, please sign up in Gibbs Hall.

Announcements and Notices

THIS WEEK (March 11 - 17)

TODAY	9:30-9:50am Prayer Group (in Ladies Parlor)
	9:50-10:00am Praise and Worship
	10:00am Worship Service & Sunday School
MONDAY	Church Office Open 9:00am-2:00pm
	7:00pm Church-wide Prayer Meeting
TUESDAY	6:30pm AlAnon
	7:00pm Bible Study @ Judie Sgarzi's
	8:00pm Line Dancing lessons (H)
WEDNESDAY	10:00am Bible Study (in Gibbs Hall)
	5:00pm AlAnon
	7:00pm Elder Team meeting
THURSDAY	Church Office Open 9:00am-2:00pm
	9:30am Knitting Group @ Charlotte Hopper's
	5:00pm AlAnon
	6:15pm AA
FRIDAY	Church Office Open 9:00am-2:00pm
	7:30pm Saints and Singers concert
SATURDAY	6:30-8:00pm AA

(H) = offered and organized through The Hoxie Center

Last Week Attendance: 58
General Offerings: $1495.00
Designated Offerings: $229.00

$70.00 Pastor cell phone
$49.00 Game Night donations
$60.00 Men's Breakfast (for Missions)
$50.00 Pastor Discretionary

Financing Needed Weekly: $4,439.13

Elder of the Month – Bill Held

If you have questions or concerns regarding any matter, please contact Bill. If he doesn't know the answer, he will research it and get back to you. All conversations and inquiries are private and confidential. Bill can be reached at wpheld@comcast.net

This Friday, March 16 at 7:30pm

Saints and Singers Chorus
"The Resurrection and the Life"

A free will offering will be taken.

NEW STUDY OFFERED

There will be an April study led by Cho-Kim. For more information and to sign up, please see the bulletin insert.

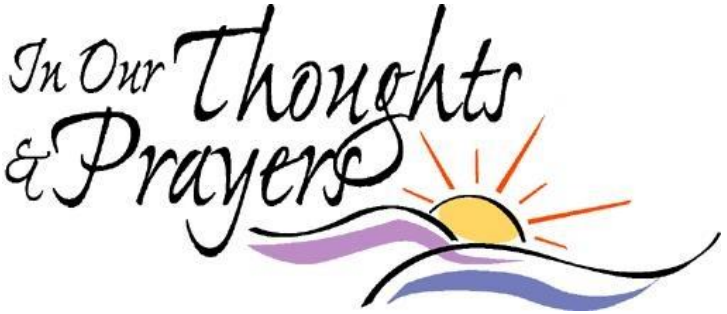
Hardcopies of Pastor Joe's sermon today can be found on the literature table at the back of the sanctuary.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Children are invited downstairs for their opportunity to learn about God and having a relationship with our Lord.

Sunday School 101 (Elementary) teachers:
Julia Chick & Pat Frost

Relationship With The Lord 201 (Middle School) teachers:
Melissa Furtado and Cathy Sharon-Matthews



Betty Ellis
Jean Trench Ellis
Tom and Nancy Armstrong
Bob Bennett
Denise Wilson
Hakyung Cho-Kim
Danny Held and the Held family
Jenna Wood
Dorothy Caipie
Jim McCusker
Chip Raymond
Alice Cooper
Josh Stennett
Barbara Klotzbach

The caregivers of those who are sick or in need of extra assistance.

(if you wish to have your name removed, please contact Melissa Anderson in the church office to update the bulletin)

Joys, concerns, and updates can be added to our prayer chain by contacting Cathy Sharon-Matthews through phone call, text, or e-mail, 508-274-1864 or cathys_36@yahoo.com

Holy Week Worship Schedule

March 25, 10:00am

March 29, 7:00pm

March 30, 7:00pm

April 1, 6:00am Sonrise service
Shared with Bourne UMC at Scusset Beach (at the end of the footpath of the canal). A continental breakfast will be served in Gibbs Hall after the service.

10:00am traditional service &
Easter Cantata, "Road to Calvary"