Offering their services as we worship God today:

Greeter: Sally Cobb
Ushers: Beth Karbott, Sally Cobb, Mary Delano, & Deb Linehan
Coffee Hour: Ann Burnham
Offering Counters: Wanda Crowell

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
(508) 274-0499 (cell)
80 Old Plymouth Rd
Sagamore Beach, MA 02562

Facebook/swiftmemorial

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.*

April 29, 2018 10:00am

"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)

His Eye Is on the Sparrow	FWS #2146
The Lily of the Valley	FWS #2062
Christ Beside Me	FWS #2166

Opening Prayer

Welcome & Ministry Highlights

***Hymn** FWS #2189
"A Mother Lined a Basket"

***Today's Bible Reading** **Exodus 2:1-10**
(Old Testament page 49 in the pew Bible)

Sermon **Rev. Y. Joe Kim**
"A Woman of Faith"

Song of Thanksgiving UMH #557
"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"

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 FWS #2050
"Mothering God, You Gave Me Birth"

***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 #530
"Are Ye Able"

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

***Postlude & Passing the Peace** "Shalom to You" UMH #666
(music as we leave worship and re-enter the world as Christ's servants)

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*Congregation is invited to stand if able

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

When? Saturday, May 5
(first Saturday of each month)

Time? 8:00am

Where? Parsonage, 80 Old Plymouth Rd

Contact: Bill Held, 508-564-3414 wpheld@comcast.net
or Ted Burnham, 508-224-7823 tedann84@verizon.net

Announcements and Notices

THIS WEEK (April 29 – May 5)

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	7:00pm Bible Study @ Judie Sgarzi's
	6:30pm AlAnon
WEDNESDAY	10:00am Bible Study (in Gibbs Hall)
	5:00pm AlAnon
	7:00pm *Finance Committee meeting*
THURSDAY	Church Office Open 9:00am-2:00pm
	9:30am Knitting Group @ Charlotte Hopper's
	11:00am National Day of Prayer service
	5:00pm AlAnon
	6:15pm AA
FRIDAY	Church Office Open 9:00am-2:00pm
SATURDAY	8:00am Men's Breakfast
	6:30-8:00pm AA

Last Week Attendance: 69
General Offerings: $1247.00 (+1024.16 UMFNE quarterly interest)
Designated Offerings: $30.00
$30.00 Coffee Hour Donations
Financing Needed Weekly: $4,439.13

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

Elder of the Month (April) is Dave Malcolmson
If you have questions or concerns regarding any matter, please contact Dave. If he doesn't know the answer, he will research it and get back to you. All conversations and inquiries are private and confidential. Dave can be reached at 508-648-2138.
(May: Bill Held)

A storage shed has been donated to our church and we need some help getting it from its current location in Duxbury to the church yard. It is a 19' shed.
If you (or someone you know) has use of a ramp truck and would be able to help us out, please contact Trustees chair, Bill Cifrino 774-454-1129 or the church office. Thank you!

Vacation Bible School Meeting

Next Sunday, May 6th immediately following worship service.

If you are interested in being a part of the volunteer team for 2018 VBS at Swift, please plan to attend this brief meeting. If you are unable to attend, please let Pat Frost know.
PATFROSTY@COMCAST.NET

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 and 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

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

UNITY

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

Thursday, May 3rd

The National Day of Prayer is an annual observance held on the first Thursday of May, inviting people of all faiths to pray for the nation. It was created in 1952 by a joint resolution of the United States Congress, and signed into law by President Harry S. Truman.

Find out more about it at www.nationaldayofprayer.org

Prayer service at Swift Memorial 11:00am.
Sponsored and organized by our Knitting Group.

Prayers, responsive readings, singing hymns, scripture readings

All are welcome!