Offering their services as we worship God today:

**Greeter:** Joan McCusker
**Ushers:** Volunteers from those in attendance today
(*if interested, please see Cathy*)
**Coffee Hour:** Melissa Furtado
**Offering Counters**: Mary Hunt and Ruth Auld

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| **Organist/Pianist/Choir Director** | Ben Healy |
| **Secretary** | Melissa Anderson |
| **Nursery Attendants** | Kelly Dever & Alyssa Reynolds |
| **Pastor** | Rev. Y. Joe Kim |

**Church Address:** 10 Williston Road
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**Church Office:** Mon, Thur, Fri 9am-2pm
(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.*

***August 6, 2017 9:00am***

"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** (8:50-9:00)

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| The Lily of the Valley | FWS #2062 |
| This Little Light of Mine | UMH #585 |
| Pass It On | UMH #572 |

**Opening Prayer**

**Welcome & Ministry Highlights**

***Hymn** FWS #2236
"Gather Us In"

***Today's Bible Reading** **Matthew 10:1-8**
(New Testament page 10 in the pew Bible)

**Children's message**

**Sermon** **Rev. Y. Joe Kim**
**"Freely Give"**

## *Thanksgiving and Sacrament of Holy Communion*

(UMH pages 9-11) In the Methodist tradition grape juice is used in place of wine out of consideration for those who may struggle with alcohol consumption.

**Communion Prayer**

**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 #593

"Here I Am, Lord"

***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**)**

***Song of Discipleship** FWS #2241

"The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve"

***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*

**Wednesdays in August**

A retreat each Wednesday 9:00-10:00am for the month of August, meeting in sanctuary for praise, prayer, and seeking God's guidance for our daily lives.

Questions, call Joan McCusker 508-927-4775 or Sherry Peck 508-888-1808

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## Vacation Bible School

**August 14 – 18 5 - 8pm**

For kids entering Kindergarten - 5th grade
All are welcome! You do not need to be a member of Swift Memorial to attend.

There's still time to register!!
www.myvbs.org/SwiftMemorialUMC

VBS DONATIONS – donation slips can be found in Gibbs Hall for several items needed (purchased or borrowed) to help run the VBS program. Please take a moment during coffee hour to look over the slips, grab 1 or 2 and leave your info on the donation sheet.

# Announcements and Notices

## THIS WEEK (August 6-12)

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| TODAY | 8:50-9:00am Praise and Worship |
| | 9:00am Worship Service (Communion) |
| MONDAY | Church Office Open 9:00am-2:00pm |
| | 7:00pm Church-wide Prayer Meeting |
| TUESDAY | *7:00pm Finance Committee Meeting* |
| WEDNESDAY | 9:00am Retreat |
| | *7:00pm Elder Team Meeting* |
| THURSDAY | Church Office Open 9:00am-2:00pm |
| | 5:30 – 6:30pm Yoga with Ebb and Flow (H) |
| FRIDAY | Church Office Open 9:00am-2:00pm |
| SATURDAY | 6:30-8 AA |

(H) = offered and organized through The Hoxie Center

Last Week Attendance: 74
General Offerings: $1609.00
Designated Offerings: $462.00

Missions $25.00
Blessing $20.00
Activity Center $250.00
Pastor Discretionary Fund $150.00
Coffee Hour Donations $17.00

Financing Needed Weekly: $4,439.13

**August Elder of the Month is Cathy Sharon-Matthews**

If you have questions or concerns regarding any matter, please contact Cathy. If she doesn't know the answer, she will research it and get back to you.
All conversations and inquiries are private and confidential.
Cathy can be reached at 508-274-1864

On the table at the back of the sanctuary there are two documents regarding the Activity Center. The first is a copy of the proposal for the Activity Center that Pastor Joe presented in June. The second is an invitation for you to join in the future of the building.

*Today after worship*, there will be a meeting to discuss Finances and Stewardship.

*(please note date change)* On August 20th, those who are interested in joining for the future of the Activity Center will meet after worship service to come up with a proposal draft to present to the Elder Team and Trustees.

Children in Kindergarten – Middle School grades are invited downstairs during worship service for Sunday School.

# In Our Thoughts & Prayers

**Betty Ellis**
**Jean Trench Ellis**
**Tom and Nancy Armstrong**
**Bob Bennett**
**Denise Wilson**
**Hakyung Cho-Kim**
**Danny Held and the Held family**
**Jenna Wood**
**Sara Connolly**
**Joanie Cahoon**

**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)

## * Coming up at Swift Memorial… *

### Vacation Bible School

**August 14 – 18  5 - 8pm**

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### Community Blood Drive

(Sponsored by Swift Memorial UMC through CC Healthcare)

**Monday, August 28  12-6pm**

For more information or to make an appointment to donate contact Cape Cod Healthcare directly 508-86-BLOOD (25662) or capecodhealth.org

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### *Yard Sale*

Saturday, September 23rd

Start setting aside those items you'd like to donate!!
Watch for further details for drop off dates/times.