

# Weekly Events

## Sunday, May 23

- 9:00am **Worship Service**, Sanctuary \*  
10:00am Sunday School & Small Groups \*  
11:00am **Worship Service**, Sanctuary \*  
**\*Nursery Available: Birth to 4 Years**  
4:00pm New Member Gathering, Parlor  
5:30pm MYF-Methodist Youth Fellowship, Thorpe Bldg.

## Monday, May 24

- 9:00am Prayer Team, Parlor & Zoom  
11:00am Chair Yoga, Thorpe Bldg.  
7:00pm Men's Bible Study, Gholson Room

## Tuesday, May 25

- 8:00am Biscuit Eaters Reunion Group, Parlor  
10:00am Men's Life, Room 203

## Wednesday, May 26

- 7:00am 707 Bible Study, Thorpe Bldg.  
11:00am Chair Yoga, Thorpe Bldg.  
6:00pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room

## Thursday, May 27

- 9:15am SAM Event: A Dog in a Log, Southern Forest World

## Friday, May 28

- 11:00am Chair Yoga, Thorpe Bldg.

ACTS 2:1-8, 12-21



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Fly

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United Methodist Church

## Our Staff

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May 23, 2021

Worship 9:00 & 11:00 AM

Nursery Available

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Service is Celebrated Enthusiastically  
The Mission of Christ is Advanced Consistently*

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## Gathering Place Intern Donations

The Gathering Place Interns serve throughout the summer in a variety of ways. Our church has agreed to help provide food for one week in their house kitchen. This helps the students through the summer have items available while they're here serving! Here are some items they have requested, but feel free to add your own: Pasta, Pasta Sauce, Peanut Butter, Jelly, Cereal, Mac-n-cheese, Bottled water, soft drinks, chips, dip/salsa, snack bars, pop tarts, etc. There will be a box for collecting these items in the Gholson Room. Donations should be received by June 13<sup>th</sup>.

## Needed: Driver with CDL

SSUMC is seeking to expand its pool of authorized drivers. Our new bus was a great success on our most recent trip. If you know of someone or would like to be approved, SSUMC will pay for your licensing. Contact our Church Office.

[anne@stsimonsumc.com](mailto:anne@stsimonsumc.com)

## Skylark Baby Bottle Drive

Support Skylark's work meeting physical and spiritual needs. Pick up a bottle and fill it with change! Return bottles to the Church at any time on or before Father's Day, June 20, 2021.

## A Few Extra Singers

**Chancel Choir | "Sing America's Song" | Sunday, July 4**

The choir is presenting "Sing America's Song"

Celebrating Our Heritage, Honoring Our Faith.

Join us at the beginning of rehearsal (Wednesday 6 PM) now until the presentation on Sunday, July 4th at 10:30 am.

Contact Kevin for more info.

[kevin@stsimonsumc.com](mailto:kevin@stsimonsumc.com)

## Ushers & Greeters Needed

**Sunday Mornings | 9:00 & 11:00am**

Ushers Serve once a month. Please join us to serve our Church.

For more information, please contact Phil Shinall or Anne Frazier:

[rphshinall@gmail.com](mailto:rphshinall@gmail.com) | [anne@stsimonsumc.com](mailto:anne@stsimonsumc.com)

Greeters welcome everyone who enters our Church. Sign up for

One Sunday a month. Contact Anne Frazier:

[anne@stsimonsumc.com](mailto:anne@stsimonsumc.com)

## VBS 2021: Treasured

**REGISTER NOW | June 27 - July 1, 2021**

We are so excited to announce dates for VBS 2021!

VBS is returning to SSUMC and will look more like what we are

used to! Visit our website to Register Now!

[www.stsimonsumc.com/vbs2021](http://www.stsimonsumc.com/vbs2021)

[heather@stsimonsumc.com](mailto:heather@stsimonsumc.com)

## Sympathy

Our Christian Love and Sympathy is extended to **Libby Sweat** upon the death of her sister, Suzanne Swann Laws.

## Memorials

A Gift has been given to the church in Honor of **Greg Green** by:

**Ray & Wanda Segars**

## This Sunday for Pentecost

As a part of our celebration of Pentecost you are invited to wear the colors red, orange, or yellow to worship this Sunday - symbolic of the fire of the Holy Spirit!



## Realm is Here!

This is an exciting, new tool to help us all stay connected! You have received an invitation if we have a current email on file, and you don't already have an account.

If you do not have an invitation, please contact our Church Office for more info.

[www.stsimonsumc.com/realm-connect](http://www.stsimonsumc.com/realm-connect) | 912.638.3317



## New Member Gathering

**Sunday, May 23 | 4:00 - 5:00pm | Church Parlor**

A New Member Gathering, for all members who have joined the church since January 2020, will be held in the Church Parlor. This will be a casual time together to help you get to know the senior pastor and to meet some of the newest members of the church. Light refreshments will be served. Please contact Tom Jones by Thursday, May 20 if you plan to attend. Tom and his wife, Anne, look forward to being with you!

[tom@stsimonsumc.com](mailto:tom@stsimonsumc.com)

## Hope 1312 Collective

**Foster Child Backpack Project**

Mary Varnell is spearheading a backpack project to provide all the foster kids a backpack. Often these kids move from place to place using small grocery sack. \$25 per backpack or ANY donation would be greatly appreciated. You may give a check to Mary Varnell in person or send a check (made out to her) to 100 Militia Hill Way, SSI. Thank you for helping these kids in hard places and giving them HOPE!

## Join the Church

If you would like to join St. Simons United Methodist Church you may do so by one of three ways:

- (1) Profession of Faith in Jesus Christ
- (2) Transfer from another United Methodist congregation
- (3) Transfer from another denomination

If you are interested in more information about becoming a member contact Rev. Tom Jones

**678.343.3767 | [tom@stsimonsumc.com](mailto:tom@stsimonsumc.com)**

## Connect With Us!

**Send GUESTssumc to 31996 to Connect With Us**

Open a new text message on your phone and send the words above to the listed phone number. Once you text in, you will be able to answer some follow up questions to share with us.

You may always reach out to our pastors and staff directly.

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