

## Connection Card

Please place card in offering plate or hand to church leader  
OR  
scan QR code and fill out electronically



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CHILD(REN) with Age & Grade

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STREET ADDRESS

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CITY/STATE/ZIP

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CELL PHONE

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HOME PHONE

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EMAIL

### Stay informed:

- Text Messages & Alerts
- Michael's Musings Friday Email
- E-News (Bi-weekly)
- Children & Youth Weekly Email

### I am a:

- First-time Guest
- Frequent Visitor
- Regular Attender

### Next Steps:

- Attend Explore South Elkhorn
- Find a Group & Join Community

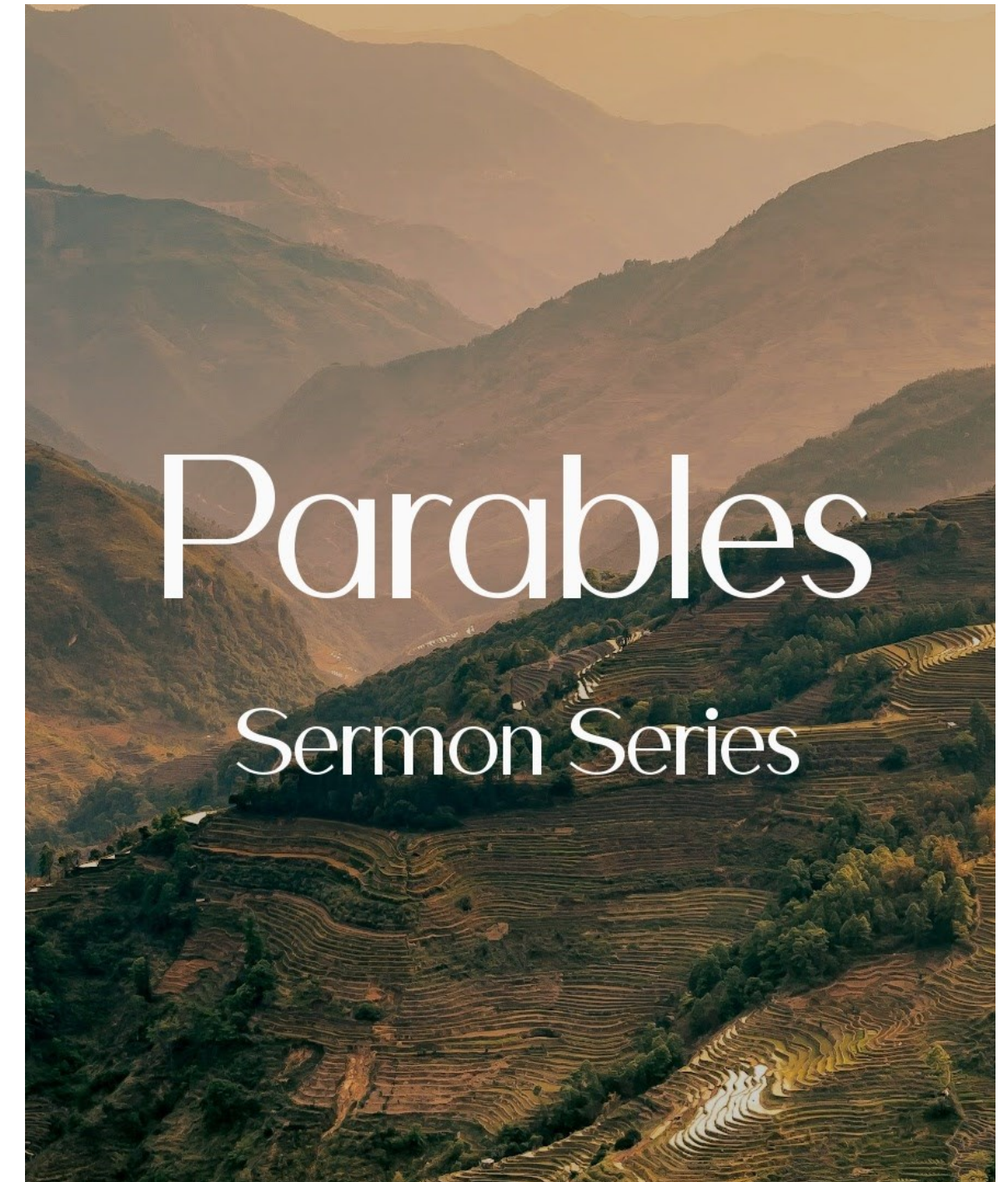
# Order of Worship

<b>Prelude</b>		
<b>Welcome</b>		Michael Swartzentruber
<b>Call To Worship</b>	Leader: God scatters seeds of wisdom and calls us to grow. <b>All: We come to grow in Christ.</b> Leader: God scatters seeds of grace and calls us to love. <b>All: We come to love as Christ loves.</b> Leader: God scatters seeds of renewal and calls us to hear. <b>All: We come to hear the teaching of Christ.</b>	
<b>Song</b>	<i>God Of Grace and God of Glory</i>	
<b>Centering &amp; Lord's Prayer</b>		Holly Fuqua
<b>Children's Moment</b>		Holly Fuqua
<b>Sermon</b>	Matthew 13:1-23 <i>Parable: Seeds, Soil, Sower</i>	Michael Swartzentruber
<b>Song</b>	<i>In Remembrance of Me</i>	
<b>Communion</b>		Dain Smith Elders: Jerry Shepard, Mary Colvin <i>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.</i>
<b>Generosity</b>		Michael Swartzentruber <i>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)</i>
<b>Special Music</b>	<i>His Eye Is On the Sparrow</i>	Diana Vetter Moore
<b>Call to Discipleship</b>		Michael Swartzentruber
<b>Song</b>	<i>Be Thou My Vision</i>	
<b>Announcements</b>		Michael Swartzentruber
<b>Benediction</b>		Dian Smith

**Serving**  
**Greeter:** Anna James, Cheryl Goodman  
**Deacons (Prepare & Serve):** Gary & Linda Amos, Barb Ellerbrook  
**Deacons (Serve & Clean):** Fanny Hughes, Lanny Adkins



**SOUTH ELKHORN**  
CHRISTIAN CHURCH



INSPIRING CHRIST'S DEEPER WAY OF *love*

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## 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**  
*Discipleship Minister*

**Chris Weiss**  
*Music Minister*

**Diana Vetter Moore**  
*Music Associate*

**Allison Colvin**  
*Pianist*

July 7, 2024



## 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

**August 25, 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 fill out the connection card or contact the church office: [admin@southelkhorncc.org](mailto: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.

## 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](https://southelkhorncc.org/online) (or scan the QR code) to watch the service each week.



# LIFE TOGETHER

## SUMMER SUNDAYS: POOL PARTY!

**July 14, 6:15 PM, Falling Springs**

Bring a bathing suit and towel to make a splash with your South Elkhorn family at Falling Springs Pool in Versailles, KY! Use the QR code to RSVP.



Mark your calendar for later events with your church family this Summer!

**August 18, 5:00 PM:** Game Show, Potluck, & Ministry Fair

**September 22:** Hiking Day Trip, Camp Nelson National Monument

## LEND A HAND WITH STEP-BY-STEP

**July 18 or August 1**

Step-by-Step is seeking volunteers to hold babies. There are also opportunities to work with toddlers and bigger kids. Any volunteer must complete a background check (no cost) provided by Step-by-Step. Contact Amanda Williams, the Step-by-Step Community Engagement Coordinator, to get the details and background check process started: [amandaw@sbslex.org](mailto:amandaw@sbslex.org).



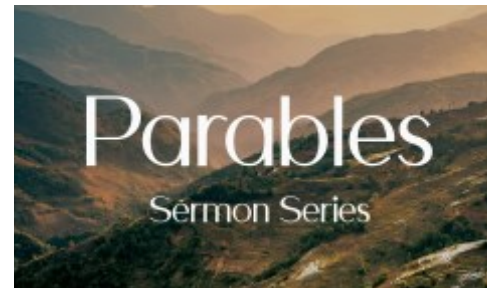
## STAY INFORMED

**Stay Up to Date on Church News Events & Opportunities**

Subscribe to one or more email lists: The Current Weekly E-news, Michael's Friday Musings, Children & Youth News, and Community Care Alerts. You can also subscribe to church text messages.



# Sermon Series



## THIS SUNDAY

Michael Swartzentruber  
*Parable: Seeds, Soil, Sower*  
Matthew 13:1-23

## NEXT SUNDAY

Michael Swartzentruber  
*Parable: The Widow & The Judge*  
Luke 18:1-8

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

# CHILDREN & YOUTH

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

## CAMP WAKON DA-HO

South Elkhorn has 38 children, youth, and adults attending camp this summer! If you would like to send a note of encouragement to a camper, it can be mailed to the address below. Please make sure to send it early so that it arrives in time. Check the Current or contact the church office for names of campers.



Camper's Name, Week of Camp (i.e. CYF 1 Camp)

Camp Wakon Da-Ho  
7900 East KY 70  
Yosemite, KY 42566

# 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](https://southelkhorncc.org/prayer-list)

## Notes

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## ONLINE GIVING

Make a one time gift or set up recurring gifts

## DONATE ON VENMO

@southelkhorncc  
Description: Offering