## Connection Card

Please place card in offering plate or hand to church leader OR

scan QR code and fill out electronically



NAME(S)
CHILD(REN) with Age & Grade
STREET ADDRESS
CITY/STATE/ZIP
CELL PHONE
HOME PHONE
EMAIL

## Stay informed:

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

#### I am a:

- O First-time Guest
- O Frequent Visitor
- O Regular Attender

#### **Next Steps:**

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

# Order of Worship

Prelude

Welcome Dain Smith

**Call To Worship** Leader: We center ourselves in this house of worship,

All: We sing for joy and grow in hope.

Leader: We center ourselves in the presence of God,

All: We delight in God's beauty and grace.

Leader: We center ourselves in the silence of the ages, All: We pray and meditate on the goodness of God. Leader: We center ourselves in the way of Christ, All: We come alive in his deeper way of love.

The Church's One Foundation Song

Dain Smith Centering & Lord's Prayer

Children's Moment Dain Smith

John 4:7-26 Sermon Sara Don Bailey

Seen. Called. Loved.

In Remembrance Of Me Song

Communion Dain Smith

Elders: Cheryl Goodman, Sharon White

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.

Generosity Susan Mossman

> 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)

**Special Music** Allison Colvin

Call to Discipleship Dain Smith

Song At Your Name

Dain Smith **Announcements** 

**Benediction** Dain Smith

### Servina

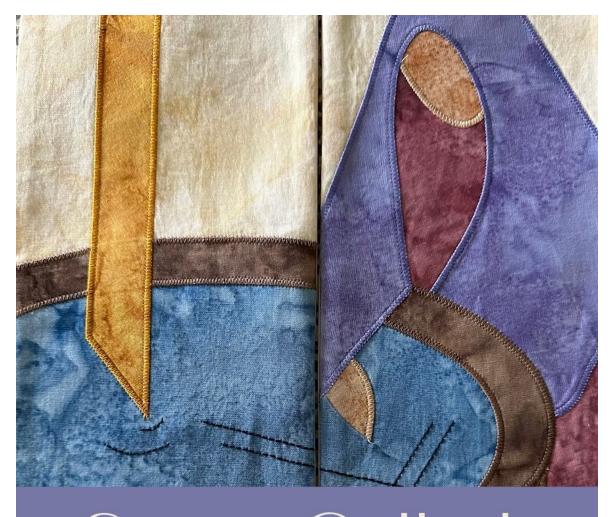
Greeter: Anna James

Deacons (Prepare & Serve): Rebecca Akers, Amber Silberman, Lanny Adkins

Deacons (Serve & Clean): Mark & Julia Amann, Anna James

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John 4:7-26



## **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

## September 1, 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**

#### October 13, 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.

## **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 (or scan the QR code) to watch the service each week.





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## LIFE TOGETHER

### **SUNDAY SCHOOL RESUMES**

Next Sunday, September 8, 9:30 AM

Join a class this fall to grow in faith. Use the QR code to learn more about available classes or pick up a Sunday School brochure in the foyer.

### MORE WAYS TO ENGAGE THIS FALL

Opportunities to be Involved in Ministries & Fellowship

Use the QR code to learn more about ways you can get involved in ministries, teams, events, and groups at South Elkhorn.

#### **FALL FESTIVAL HELP NEEDED**

Saturday, October 12, 9:00-4:00 PM

For over four decades, South Elkhorn has welcomed thousands of people from the community on the second Saturday in October to experience a fun, festive day! This year, over 175 vendors will feature their handmade, one-of-a-kind crafts.

Many volunteers are needed to make this day a success! Join the planning committee or help with parking, the bake sale, or other areas as needed. Use the QR code to express your interest or sign up in the foyer. Contact Susan Springer at *sspringer39@yahoo.com* or 859-608-9757 if you have questions.

## Sermon Series



#### THIS SUNDAY

Sara Don Bailey Seen. Called. Loved. John 4:7-26

## **NEXT SUNDAY**

Michael Swartzentruber What Love Looks Like: Extravagant Welcome Romans 15:7, Luke 15:11-32

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)

## CHILDREN'S WORSHIP & WONDER GRADUATION

Sunday, September 8, 10:30 AM

All children who graduated Grade 3 in the spring of 2024 will be recognized for graduating from Worship and Wonder. Please contact the church office if your child is in 4th grade in order to have enough gifts for everyone.

### TINY TOTS, CHILDREN, & YOUTH GROUPS

Children & Youth Groups resume September 8. Program guides and medical forms are in the foyer.







Place in the offering basket when passed.

Prayer list available online at

Notes

PRAYER LIST

Share a prayer request.

can reach out to the church

If you have a prayer request, you

office or submit your prayer on this card in the notes section

southelkhorncc.org/prayer-list





#### ONLINE GIVING

Make a one time gift or set up recurring gifts

#### **DONATE ON VENMO**

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