

## Opportunities To Serve

### Swansboro Community Ministries

There are many ways to serve with our partners in Richmond's Swansboro neighborhood. Musical Mondays offers opportunities for those with musical ability as well as anyone interested in helping students with arts, crafts, and homework at Koinonia Christian Church. On Read Across America Day, Thursday, March 1, you can read to a class at Swansboro Elementary School. More information: [www.reveilleumc.org/swansboro](http://www.reveilleumc.org/swansboro)

### Friends of the Homeless

Reveille UMC partners with Friends of the Homeless to serve a hot midday meal and provide bagged lunches each month. Help with the midday meal on February 22 and March 22 at 11:15 am in the fellowship hall, or join in the fun of making lunches February 25 or March 25 at 10:30 am in the welcome center. More information: [www.reveilleumc.org/foh](http://www.reveilleumc.org/foh)

### CARITAS

CARITAS meets the needs of area homeless and the lack of temporary housing. Reveille will host the CARITAS men's group and provide meals and overnight lodging, April 7-14. Helpers are needed to greet guests, serve meals, and stay overnight. More information: [www.reveilleumc.org/caritas](http://www.reveilleumc.org/caritas)

**Rebuilding Together** Make a commitment to serve by helping senior and disabled homeowners and join the Reveille team for National Rebuilding Day, a one-day home repair blitz on Saturday, April 28. Information and registration coming soon at [www.reveilleumc.org/rebuilding-together](http://www.reveilleumc.org/rebuilding-together)

## More Opportunities During Lent

**Men's Prayer Breakfast**, every Monday, 7:00 am, fellowship hall

**Christian Yoga**, every Tuesday, 9:15 am, narthex

**Coed Christian Pilates**, every Wednesday, 2:00 pm, youth center

**Book Club**, February 15 and March 15, 11:00 am, church parlor

**Alzheimer's Support Group**, February 15 and March 15, 6:30 pm, room 209

**Leisure Club**, February 20 and March 20, 11:00 am, fellowship hall

**UMW General Meeting**, March 6, 10:30 am, fellowship hall

**Journey Middle School Retreat**, March 16-18, Rockbridge Alum Springs



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## Lent and Easter at Reveille



### Covenant: An Unbreakable Love and Trust with God

During the season of Lent we invite you to worship, grow, and serve at Reveille and experience the deepest and most eternal trust that comes from a relationship with God in an unbreakable love known as covenant.

## Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

**February 13 | 5:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall**

Enjoy a Mardi Gras-themed pancake supper the night before Lent begins on Shrove Tuesday, February 13, 5:30-7:00 pm, in the fellowship hall. The meal features delicious pancakes with assorted toppings, sausage, bacon, and more! The supper is hosted by the Men's Prayer Breakfast and open to all. Donations will be accepted at the door to benefit the Youth Missions Fund.

## Ash Wednesday Services

**February 14 | 12:15 pm Chapel | 6:30 pm Koinonia Christian Church**

The imposition of ashes, prayers, and hymns will be offered at 12:15 pm in Reveille's chapel. Koinonia Christian Church, our Swansboro partner church, will host a joint Ash Wednesday service at 6:30 pm. Everyone is invited to attend. Koinonia Christian Church is located at 3600 McRand Street in Richmond and a carpool to the service from Reveille will be arranged.

## Breakfast and Blessing

**Tuesdays | 7:15 am at Ellwood Thompson's**

Every Tuesday during Lent, we invite you to renew your spirit as you connect with others. Join our clergy for coffee, breakfast, conversation, and morning prayer at Ellwood Thompson's, 4 N. Thompson Street, Tuesdays, February 20-March 27, at 7:15 am.

## Be Inspired Daily During Lent

Sign up to receive a daily email\*, February 12-April 1, reflecting upon the season of Lent and our sermon series, "Covenant." Sign up at [www.reveilleumc.org/devotional-email](http://www.reveilleumc.org/devotional-email). For more inspiration, check Facebook weekdays starting February 19 for messages from our staff.

\*If you signed up for the Advent devotional email you will automatically receive this email.

Look inside for Lent, Holy Week, and Easter worship times,  
a new Lenten study, opportunities to serve, and special events.

## Sunday Worship

8:30 am Chapel | 9:30 am Fellowship Hall | 11:00 am Sanctuary

### February 18 | "A Global Guarantee"

Lead Pastor Doug Forrester, Genesis 9:8-17

### February 25 | "Promises We Can't Keep"

Lead Pastor Doug Forrester, Genesis 17:1-7, 15-16

### March 4 | "Contracts and Covenants"

Minister of Adult Ministries Kelley Lane, Exodus 1-17

### March 11 | "Unbreakable"

Lead Pastor Doug Forrester, Ephesians 2:1-10

### March 18 | "The New Covenant"

Associate Pastor Stephen Coleman, Jeremiah 31:31-34

## Holy Week

### March 25 Palm Sunday | 8:30, 9:30, and 11:00 am

Lead Pastor Doug Forrester  
"Hosanna!" Mark 11:1-11

### March 29 Holy Thursday

Fellowship Dinner 5:30 pm | Fellowship Hall  
Worship Service 7:00 pm | Sanctuary  
"Come Sinners to the Gospel Feast," John 12:1-11  
Minister of Adult Ministries Kelley Lane  
Dinner reservations: [www.reveilleumc.org/wednesday](http://www.reveilleumc.org/wednesday)

### March 30 Good Friday | 7:00 pm | Sanctuary

A Tenebrae service with the Chancel Choir leading worship music.

## April 1 Easter Sunday

Holy Communion at All Services  
"Easter Fools," John 20:1-18  
Lead Pastor Doug Forrester

**6:30 am Sunrise Service in Front of Reveille**

**8:15 am Traditional Service in the Sanctuary**

**9:30 am Contemporary Service in the Fellowship Hall**

**11:00 am Traditional Service in the Sanctuary**

Child care will be available during the 8:15, 9:30, and 11:00 am services.

## Lenten Bible Study

### *Made for a Miracle: From Your Ordinary to God's Extraordinary*

Sundays, February 18-March 25, 4:30-6:00 pm  
Wednesdays, February 21-March 28, 10:00-11:30 am

Learn how to use your God-given gifts and talents for God's glory. Our Lenten study *Made for a Miracle: From Your Ordinary to God's Extraordinary* by Mark Slaughter, examines the two components of every miracle, divine action and human responsibility. Register for the Sunday evening or Wednesday morning class at [www.reveilleumc.org/study](http://www.reveilleumc.org/study).

## Lenten Speaker Series

Making a Difference: Toward Justice and Peace

### **Race in Our Criminal Justice System**

Wednesday, February 7, 21, 28, and March 7  
Wonderful Wednesday Meal 5:30 pm | Speaker 6:30 pm

You're invited to a special speaker series hosted by Reveille United Methodist Church in partnership with Koinonia Christian Church and Love Center of Unity Full Gospel Church. Join us as we learn about issues in our criminal justice system and what we can do as a faith community to make a difference. Details: [www.reveilleumc.org/justice-and-peace](http://www.reveilleumc.org/justice-and-peace)

## Special Events

### **February 11 | "Easter Baskets and the Empty Tomb" | 9:30 am**

Making sense of Jesus' death and resurrection alongside egg hunts and Easter parades can be challenging for parents. Come hear about some creative and developmentally appropriate ways to approach the holiday.

### **February 12 | UMFS Handbell Workshop | 5:30 pm**

The Reveille Ringers will lead a handbell workshop at a Valentine's Day themed meal for students with residents and counselors. Sign up to help serve the meal, bring a side dish, or dessert at [www.bit.ly/umfs-feb-2018](http://www.bit.ly/umfs-feb-2018).

### **March 4 | Meet Daniel and Claire Banke | 12:15 pm**

Meet Reveille's new Director of Music Ministries Daniel Banke and his wife Claire.

### **March 24 | Community Easter Celebration | 10:30 am**

Everyone is invited to a festive Easter egg hunt on Reveille's grounds with live music, a bounce house, petting zoo, crafts, and more!

### **March 25 | UMW Palm Sunday Bake Sale | 9:00 am-noon**

Purchase sweet Easter treats with all proceeds benefiting Reveille's United Methodist Women's mission projects.

See the enclosed calendar of Lenten opportunities and visit [www.reveilleumc.org/lent](http://www.reveilleumc.org/lent) for more information.