

# WELCOME

Welcome to Selma United Methodist Church! So we can better connect with you, please take a moment to complete the **Connection Card** included in this bulletin and drop it in the offering. We want you to have a great experience with us today. If there is anything you need, please ask an usher.

## Children & Youth

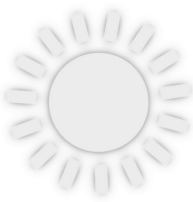
Raising kids is a great task. We want to help you raise them to grow into young men and women who love God. You love your kids. We do, too!

We want to help you raise your children into teens who love God. We have well-supervised environments designed just for children from birth through 5th grade, available during all Sunday morning services.

We help transition youth (grades 6-12) to become faithful Christian adults by focusing on friendships, missions, disciplines of faith, worship, and ministry opportunities. Visit our website or Guest Services for a current schedule.

## New to Selma UMC?

If you are visiting with us today, please feel no obligation to give. The offering is for our regular attendees. We hope you enjoy your stay with us. If you have any questions about Selma UMC, stop by Guest Services in the main lobby or give us a call at 765.282.1648.



# OUR MISSION

Our mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

# NEXT STEPS

We'd love to join you on the journey in your relationship with Jesus. Below are some ways you can build relationships and make a difference.

## LIFE Groups

LIFE Groups are how we experience Jesus together, build lasting friendships, care for one another, and serve others. To find out more about LIFE Groups, mark your Connection Card, stop by Guest Services or visit our website.

## Volunteering to Serve

One of the best ways to grow in your relationship with Jesus and build relationships with other Christians is through serving in a ministry. To find out more about ways to serve, mark your Connection Card, stop by Guest Services or visit selmaumc.org. We'll help you find a way to serve that's right for you.



# TODAY'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Out of the SALT Shaker** | Sundays, January 19—March 2. Our next LIFE Group Series, written by our 2013 SALT graduates, will take you deeper in your relationship with God. And it's meant to be shared... with a LIFE Group! Check out the LIFE groups currently available in the insert in today's bulletin, and be sure to grab a copy of the book. If you'd like to contribute toward the cost of your book, use the envelope provided in this bulletin.

**Game of Life (Kids' Mid-Week)** | Thursdays, January 23—February 27, 6:30-8:00pm. Kids K-5th grade will discover how to win at the real game of life.

Fun board games grouped with lessons from the Bible will give an experience your kids will relate to and love.

**Membership @ Selma UMC** | 10:00am, Sundays, Jan 26—Mar 9. Membership at Selma UMC is a commitment to help make the mission happen! In this 7-week course, you'll learn about our mission and values and what it means to be a member of Selma UMC. If this is your next step, mark the back of your Connection Card by January 19. Cost is \$10 for materials.

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## TODAY

**New LIFE Group Series Begins** | January 19—March 2. *Out of the SALT Shaker: Flavoring Our World*. Written by our 2013 SALT class graduates. See announcement above for more info.

**FOCUS Youth Group** | 6:30-8:00pm. For youth 6-12th grade.

## JANUARY

**23 Game of Life (Kids' Mid-Week)** | Thursdays, January 23—February 27, 6:30-8:00pm. Kids K-5th grade will discover how to win at the real game of life. See announcement above for more info.

**26 Membership @ Selma UMC** | 10:00am Sundays, Jan 26—Mar 9. See above announcement for more info.

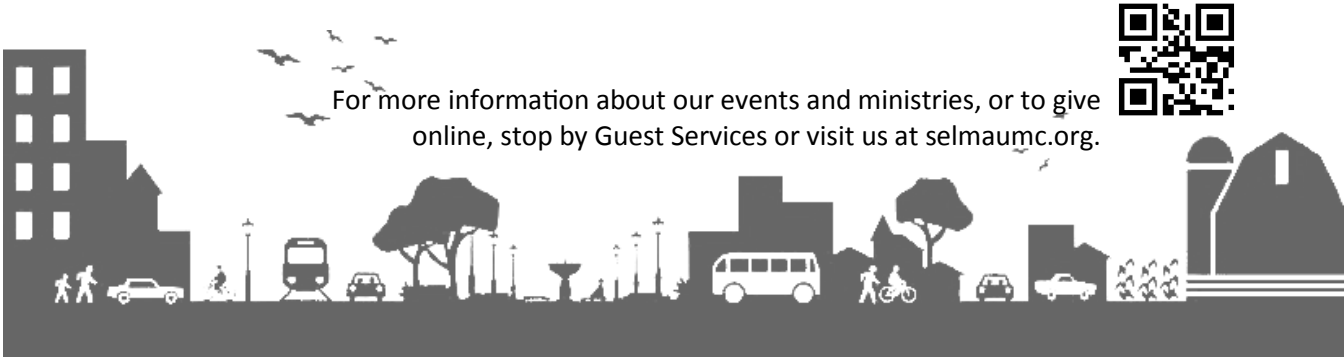
## MARCH

**2 Baptisms** | ??? @ The Compass Church. Baptism is an outward expression to the world that you are now a follower of Jesus Christ. Is this your next step? If so, mark the back of your Connection Card.

## MORE

- Wi-Fi** | Feel free to use our guest Wi-Fi today. The password is **SUMCGuest**.
- Weather Cancellations** | Selma UMC will use the following to inform you of any cancellations due to weather: WTHR (13), WISH (8), WLBC (104.1), our website, Facebook, email and text message.

For more information about our events and ministries, or to give online, stop by Guest Services or visit us at selmaumc.org.



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8:30am Nursery Coordinators ..... Jennifer Clements, Missy Davis  
10:00am Nursery Coordinator ..... Kelsey Maurer  
11:30am Nursery Coordinator ..... Courtney Clevenger

Little Learner’s Preschool & Daycare

Director - Susan Shreve ..... LittleLearners@selmaumc.org

STATS

January 5, 2014

Attendance

Selma Campus:

8:30 Youth & Adults .....  
8:30 Children .....  
10:00 Youth & Adults .....  
10:00 Children .....  
11:30 Youth & Adults... 174  
11:30 Children ..... 32

Selma Total ..... 206

Yorktown Campus:

10:45 Youth & Adults .....  
10:45 Children .....  
Yorktown Total .....

Combined Total ..... 206

General Offering

Selma ..... \$7,325.79  
Yorktown ..... \$609.00

SET, PUT, LET

...”LET”

Colossians 3:15-17

Todd Austin



January 12, 2014

OUR STORY

Selma United Methodist Church began in 1855 by a group of people committed to following Jesus and leading others to do the same. Today, we’re keeping that historic mission alive, serving God and our communities at two campuses, and sending people into our communities, across the nation, and around the world to share God’s love with others. We’re people of all ages and walks of life—factory workers, teachers, accountants, and artists. We’re glad you’re here.



**SELMA**  
United Methodist Church  
selmaumc.org

Four Services at Two Locations

Selma: Sundays, 8:30, 10:00 & 11:30am  
Yorktown: Sundays, 10:45am

Little Learners

Preschool & Daycare  
765.288.4777  
Office Hours: Mon - Fri, 8am-4pm

Selma Campus  
400 N CR 600 E  
Selma, IN 47383  
765.282.1648

Yorktown Campus (The Compass Church)  
8116 W Jackson St  
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JAN 5 | ...”PUT”

JAN 12 | ...”LET”