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 wellsupervised 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.

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.

Beth Moore Women's Bible Study | Esther: It's Tough Being A Woman. Saturdays, January 11—March 15, 9:00-11:00am. Join Sue Austin & Lisa Ellcessor in exploring the book of Esther in the Bible. You'll discover treasures to aid you in your hurried, harried, and pressured lives. Work books are \$20, available at Guest Services.

OUR MISSION

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

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

TODAY

New Members | Today we congratulate and welcome the following into membership: Bill Bruneau, Bobbie Bruneau, Brandy Duncan, Jeremy Duncan, Jerry Flanagan, Marcia Flanagan, Cassi Gowin, Richard Gowin, Julie Hankins, Jeff Haughn, Deanna Hunt, Brady Keever, Bonnie Roberts, George Roberts, Melissa Smith, Kerri Webb, Robert Webb.

JANUARY

- **11** Women's Bible Study 9:00-11:00am. Beth Moore's *Esther: It's Tough Being A Woman* begins. See the announcement above for more info. Childcare is *not* available for this study. Pick up your workbook today!
- **12** FOCUS Youth Group | 6:30-8:00pm. For youth 6-12th grade.

- ENDAK OF EVENIS
 - **19** Next LIFE Group Series Begins | January 19— March 2. *Out of the SALT Shaker: Flavoring Our World*. Written by our 2013 SALT class graduates. LIFE Groups are how we experience Jesus, friendships, care, and service together at Selma UMC. See the insert in today's bulletin for more info on our current LIFE Groups.
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MORE

• **Wi-Fi** | Feel free to use our guest Wi-Fi today. The password is **SUMCGuest**.



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STATS

December 29, 2013

Attendance

Selma Campus:

8:30 Youth & Adults 117	
8:30 Children 20	
10:00 Youth & Adults 130	
10:00 Children 19	
11:30 Youth & Adults 120	
11:30 Children 20	
Selma Total 426	

Yorktown Campus:

General Offering
Combined Total
Yorktown Total 164
10:45 Children 32
10:45 Youth & Adults 132

Selma \$10,761.15 Yorktown \$2,157.00



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January 5, 2014

OUR STORY

Selma Campus

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Selma, IN 47383

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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.



Muncie, IN 47304

765.405.1119

Yorktown: Sundays, 10:45am Yorktown Campus (The Compass Church) 8116 W Jackson St

Little Learners Preschool & Daycare 765.288.4777 Office Hours: Mon - Fri, 8am-4pm DEC 29 | ..."SET" JAN 5 | ..."PUT"

JAN 12 | ..."LET"