

What is Revolution?

rev·o·lu·tion noun \ re-və-'lü-shən\

- a. completion of a course
- b. motion of any figure about a center or axis
- c. a sudden, radical, or complete change

Revolution began in 2010 to provide a place for young people in South Carolina to have a powerful, life-changing encounter with Jesus Christ. The weekend retreat is designed to invite more and more people to know and live for Christ through passionate worship and spiritual renewal.

> Have questions about Revolution? Visit scmyp.org/revolution or email the Design Team at revolution@umcsc.org.

Schedule



Registration 6:00 - 8:00 PM Session 1 8:00 PM



Session 2 10:00 AM District Pizza Parties 12:30 PM & Water Mission Project Session 3 7:30 PM



Session 4 10:00 AM

(Doors Open 30 Minutes before each session)



fee - \$55 (until Jan. 10)

All Revolution 2018 registrations will be processed online. Please visit scmyp.org/revolution to register and pay for your group. Don't forget to register to bring your Senior Pastor or Associate Pastor for FREE!

JANUARY 2018 26-28

Speaker

Rev. Jasmine Smothers



Jasmine Smothers will be our 2018 Revolution speaker! Jasmine is the pastor of Atlanta First United Methodist Church in Atlanta, Georgia. She is also a contributing author of a variety of journals and devotionals - as well as coauthor of the bestselling book, Not Safe For Church: The Ten Commandments for Reaching New Generations. Jasmine serves on several different councils and leadership organizations all over the

country. She has a true heart for ministry and brings great energy and passion to everything she does. We are thrilled to welcome Jasmine to the Revolution stage!

ership Band



Bonray

This four-piece group includes Zac, Jesse, Jake and Morgan Bonner. Yes, that's right - they're all related, in fact, they're siblings! Hailing from Pennsylvania, they grew up in the church where their dad serves as pastor. The siblings have been playing music and performing together for most of their lives, crediting their parents for always having music in the home. Since officially becoming Bonray in 2014, the group has been touring around the U.S. Their new single "Turn My Eyes" is gaining lots of publicity and they will have another single coming out in January

2018 just before hitting the Revolution stage. Bonray is not only a super talented band, they are lots of fun and their energy and passion for worship is sure to inspire all of us. When it comes to being siblings, here's what they have to say, "We're a family and we're a band, we work together and we do life together. Faith and music was such a big part of our family growing up...and this is what it's meant to be. We're all best friends and we work through everything together. It's awesome to be able to experience these things with people that you know will be with you for the rest of your life." Check out Bonray's Youtube channel to hear how great they are - and make plans to meet them in person at Revolution 2018!

The Revolution Design Team has coordinated special pricing at several nearby hotels for the weekend retreat. Book hotel rooms by Dec 15th to get the best possible rate. Please visit **SCMyp.org/revolution** for a complete listing of hotels and pricing information.

Revolution t-shirts are a great way for youth and adults to remember their Revolution experience. To ensure correct quantities and sizes for your group, please pre-order online at scmyp.org/revolution by January 10, 2018. The cost per shirt is \$15. Please note: shirt sizes over 2XL have an additional \$2 charge.

strict Pizza Party

Your group is invited to come and share a free meal with other churches on Saturday afternoon, January 27, during the Revolution weekend. District Pizza Parties will be held at local parks around Columbia between 12:30 - 4:30 p.m. These will take place in conjunction with a hands-on mission project sponsored by Water Mission. More details, including your district's assigned location will be posted at scmyp. org/revolution. We hope to see your group on Saturday afternoon for pizza and a meaningful mission experience.

hare

Does your youth group have a talent to share in worship at Revolution 2018? We would love to hear from you! Please email video submissions of your talent or questions to shawna.darnall@gmail.com. All talent submissions must be received by December 15, 2017.

ponsorship

Become a Revolution 2019 Sponsoring Church & Save! Sponsor Revolution 2019 for \$225. Get 5 free registrations and save 20% off all additional registration fees and t-shirts. Sponsorship will be available May-August 2018. In addition, your church will be recognized as a sponsoring church. Visit scmyp.org/revolution for more information.

Water Mission

Did you know that 842,000 people die every day because of limited access to clean water? Did you know that in many places across the globe, children and young people walk hours just to retrieve water for their families? People are sick and dying and without water at this very moment and they need our help. Jesus said, "I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink." At Revolution 2018, we will have an opportunity to help meet the needs of people who are suffering from the global water crisis. The statistics may seem overwhelming, but having access to clean drinking water is something that is totally achievable for everyone in the world. At Revolution 2018, we are excited to partner with Water Mission, a South Carolina-based organization that is working tirelessly to bring an end to the global water crisis through education and water filtration systems. We will learn about their work, we will participate in a simulation experience, and we will have the opportunity to support them financially. As part of the Saturday free time schedule and in conjunction with the District Pizza Parties, your group will be able to experience the work of Water Mission in a hands on way. More information can be found at scmyp.org/revolution. As we gather in January to learn about Christ's "living water", may we also join together to support our thirsty brothers and sisters across the globe.

Living Water

But those who drink of the water that I will give them will never be thirsty. The water that I will give will become in them a spring of water gushing up to eternal life.

John 4: 14