

This Week and Beyond

Sunday, April 7

8:45 am Contemporary Worship
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Traditional Worship
5:00 pm Youth Group

Tuesday, April 9

6:00 pm Children's Fellowship
6:30 pm Praise Team Rehearsal

Wednesday, April 10

10:00 am United Women in Faith
7:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, April 14

8:45 am Contemporary Worship
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Traditional Worship
5:00 pm Youth Group

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

- Jerry & Beverly Vickery
- Jean and Marlee Carey
- Roger & Jan Crowe
- Ruby Spearman
- Phyllis Venable
- Mary Kay Ouvry
- Bob Lambour
- Betty Rozier
- Patsy Maier, Sister-in-law of Rob Maier
- Jim Martin, Brother of Sally Smith
- Family of Betty Sitton
- Family of David Riley, Husband of Peggy Riley
- Elliot, Cousin of Marlee Carey
- Robert Dangler, Brother of Dale Dangler
- Mary Turner, Wife of David Turner
- Carey Beard, Father-in-law of Kim & Kathie Cannon's daughter
- Bryan Cook, Friend of Tamah Jones

Our Stewardship As of 03/31/24

YTD Received for Budget	\$138,978
YTD Expenses paid including	
mortgage principal	\$142,032
Balance in General Fund	\$10,879
Balance in Reserve Fund	\$23,508
Offering week of 3/31/24	\$8,158
Weekly needed to meet budget	\$11,570
YTD Apportionment paid	\$13,000
2024 Budget	\$601,684
Estimated expenses for 04/10/24	\$8,724

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Pastor Michael Hood

Welcome!

We're delighted you are worshipping with us today. Whether you're new to EFUMC, a returning friend or a member, please sign the attendance registration pad and pass it to others on your pew. May you be blessed as you worship with us.



Second Sunday of Easter, April 7, 2024

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP | 8:45 AM

*Opening Song	“We Believe” Matthew Hooper, Richie Fike, Travis Ryan	Praise Team
Welcome and Announcements		Charlene Fetterly
Scripture Reading	1 John 1:1 - 2:2 Pew Bible Page 188	Julie Dangler
*Song of Praise	“Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)” Chris Tomlin, John Newton, Louie Giglio	Praise Team
Children’s Moments		Rev. Deana
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Michael
*Gospel Reading	John 20:19-31 Pew Bible Page 88	
Sermon		
Song of Reflection	“Living Hope” Brian Johnson, Phil Wickham	Praise Team
A Service of Holy Communion	“The Great Thanksgiving and The Lord’s Prayer”	Hymnal Page 13
*Closing Song	“Waymaker” Osinachi Kalu Okoro Egbu	Praise Team
*Benediction		Pastor Michael

**Those who are able may stand.*

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP | 11:00 AM

Pre-Service Music	“Fairest Lord Jesus” Silesian Folk Melody/Arr. Fred Bock “Sweet Hour of Prayer” William Bradbury/Arr. Clarence Kohlmann “Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken” Franz Joseph Haydn/Arr. Cindy Berry	
Ringing of the Bell Tower Bell		Ushers
Welcome and Announcements		Pastor Michael
Prelude	“Hail Thee, Festival Day” Ralph Vaughan Williams	
Call to Worship	“Breathe on Me, Breath of God” Robert Jackson	Chancel Choir
*Hymn	“Easter People, Raise Your Voices”	Hymn Number 304
Children’s Moments		Rev. Deana
Scripture Reading	1 John 1:1 - 2:2 Pew Bible Page 188	Mike Galloway
Anthem	“Halle, Halle, Halle” Caribbean Melody/Arr. Hal Hopson	Chancel Choir
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Michael
*Gospel Reading	John 20:19-31 Pew Bible Page 88	Pastor Michael
Sermon		
A Service of Holy Communion		Hymnal Page 12
Offertory	“The Strife Is O’er, the Battle Done” Giovanni da Palestrina/Arr. Alfred Fedak	
*Doxology	“Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”	Hymn Number 954
The Great Thanksgiving and The Lord’s Prayer		Hymnal Page 13
Communion Music	“Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us” William Bradbury/Arr. Dale Wood “O Sacred Head, Now Wounded/Symphony No. 7” Hans Hassler/ Ludwig van Beethoven/Arr. Marilyn Ham	
*Hymn	“Christ Is Alive”	Hymn Number 318
*Benediction		Pastor Michael
*Benediction Response	“Christ Is Risen” Polish Melody/Arr. Ralph Boggess	Chancel Choir
*Postlude	“Christ Is Alive” Anonymous English Melody	

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Instrumentalist: Ralph Boggess, Organ/Piano