



**EFUMC Weekly Calendar**

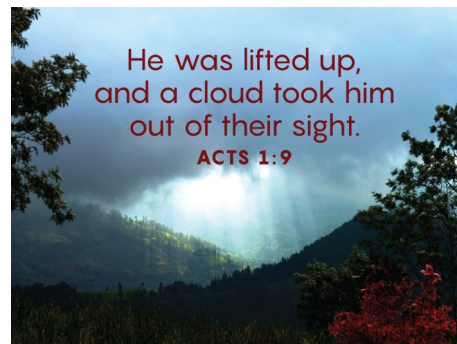
- Sunday, May 16**  
10:30 am Worship Service
- Tuesday, May 18**  
6:30 pm Praise Band Rehearsal
- Wednesday, May 19**  
6:30 pm Ensemble Rehearsal

**Office Hours**  
**Monday-Thursday**  
 8:30 am - noon  
 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm  
**Friday**  
 8:30 am - noon

**EFUMC Staff**  
**Pastor:** Rev. Ken Owens,  
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**Office Manager:** Lisa Jenkins,  
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**Director Traditional Music:** Dr. Ralph Boggess  
**Organist:** Steve Ellison  
**Director Contemporary Music:** Sara Bowden  
**Nursery Worker:** Sharon Sheriff



**Sunday, May 16, 2021**



**EFUMC Financial Report**  
As of May 12, 2021

Operating:	
Pledged Revenue	111,946
Non-Pledged Revenue	69,945
Total Operating Revenue	181,491
Operating Expenses:	(160,789)
Over	20,702
Annual Budget	504,196
% of Budget Received to Date	36%
Weekly offering (5/9/2021)	8,216
Weekly goal	10,500
Under	2,284



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***Grow in Christ. Reach out to others.***

*Providing families and individuals a Christ-centered option  
 in an increasingly complex and changing world through:*  
*Welcoming well*  
*Meaningful worship*  
*Encouraging small groups*  
*Training teachers and leaders*

**WORSHIP SERVICE**  
**May 16, 2021**

**Pre-Service Music**

“Here I Am, Lord”  
“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”  
“Rondeau/How Firm a Foundation”

Ralph Boggess, Piano  
D. Schutte/Arr. C. Marohnic  
J. Wyeth/Arr. M. Larkin  
J. Mouret/Early American Melody/  
Arr. C. Berry

**Bell Tower Bells**

**Welcome, Announcements, Offering**

Rev. Ken Owens

**Music - Graduate Processional**

“Allegro” from Concerto No. 6 for Organ

Ralph Boggess, Organ  
G. F. Handel

**Children’s Moments**

Rev. Deana Gentry

**Apostles’ Creed #881**

Rev. Ken Owens

**Prayer with the Lord’s Prayer**

Rev. Ken Owens

**Graduate Recognition**

Rev. Deana Gentry

**Music**

Women’s Quartet: Jan Batchelor, Mary Boggess, Lois Brown, Teresa Nash  
Ralph Boggess, Piano

“I Was There to Hear Your Boring Cry”  
TFWS #2051

J. Ylvisaker

**Scripture Reading Acts 1:1-11**

Rev. Ken Owens

**Sermon**

“Many Convincing Proofs”

Rev. Ken Owens

**Music - Hymn #593**

“Here I Am, Lord”

Women’s Quartet; Ralph Boggess, Organ

**\*Blessing**

Rev. Ken Owens

**\*Those who are able, please stand.**

**Scripture Reading Acts 1:1-11**

<sup>1</sup> In the first book, Theophilus, I wrote about all that Jesus did and taught from the beginning <sup>2</sup>until the day when he was taken up to heaven, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles whom he had chosen. <sup>3</sup>After his suffering he presented himself alive to them by many convincing proofs, appearing to them during forty days and speaking about the kingdom of God. <sup>4</sup>While staying with them, he ordered them not to leave Jerusalem, but to wait there for the promise of the Father. “This,” he said, “is what you have heard from me; <sup>5</sup>for John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now.” <sup>6</sup>So when they had come together, they asked him, “Lord, is this the time when you will restore the kingdom to Israel?” <sup>7</sup>He replied, “It is not for you to know the times or periods that the Father has set by his own authority. <sup>8</sup>But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.” <sup>9</sup>When he had said this, as they were watching, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. <sup>10</sup>While he was going and they were gazing up toward heaven, suddenly two men in white robes stood by them. <sup>11</sup>They said, “Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking up toward heaven? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven.”



**High School Graduates**

Casey Bomar  
Heather Cantrell  
Harrison Daley  
Averi Jones  
Griffin Mason

**College Graduates**

Kara Boyles  
Evelyn Dangler  
Mary Magill Ethridge  
Katie (Dailey) McMahon  
Austin Nash