

This Week and Beyond

Sunday, January 26

8:45 am Contemporary Worship
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Traditional Worship
3:30 pm Music Reading Class
5:00 pm Youth Group

Tuesday, January 28

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

Wednesday, January 29

7:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, February 2

8:45 am Contemporary Worship
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Traditional Worship
2:00 pm Finance Committee Meeting
3:30 pm Music Reading Class
5:00 pm Youth Group

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

- Jean and Marlee Carey
- Ruby Spearman
- Roger and Jan Crowe
- Caron Cannon
- Pat Martin
- Beverly Vickery
- Family of Tim Livingston
- Kate Pyritz, Daughter of Chris & Tabby Weston
- Clary Jane Smith, Great-granddaughter of Fran Smith and Betty Rozier
- Kisa Braselton, Friend of Jeff Knox
- Linda Dale Keener, Gary Mathis' brother-in-law's mother
- Jim Martin, Brother of Sally Smith
- Nelson Bishop, Friend of Nancy Pace
- Conflict in the Middle East and Ukraine
- Our Church

Our Stewardship As of 1/22/25

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| Offering week of 1/19/25 | \$6,414 |
| Weekly need to meet 2025 budget | \$10,416 |
| Balance in General Fund | \$13,648 |
| Estimate expenses for 01/29/25 | \$13,225 |
| Balance in Reserve Fund | \$0 |
| 2025 Received for Budget | \$29,772 |
| 2025 Expenses paid (including mortgage principal) | \$24,324 |
| 2025 Budget | \$541,634 |

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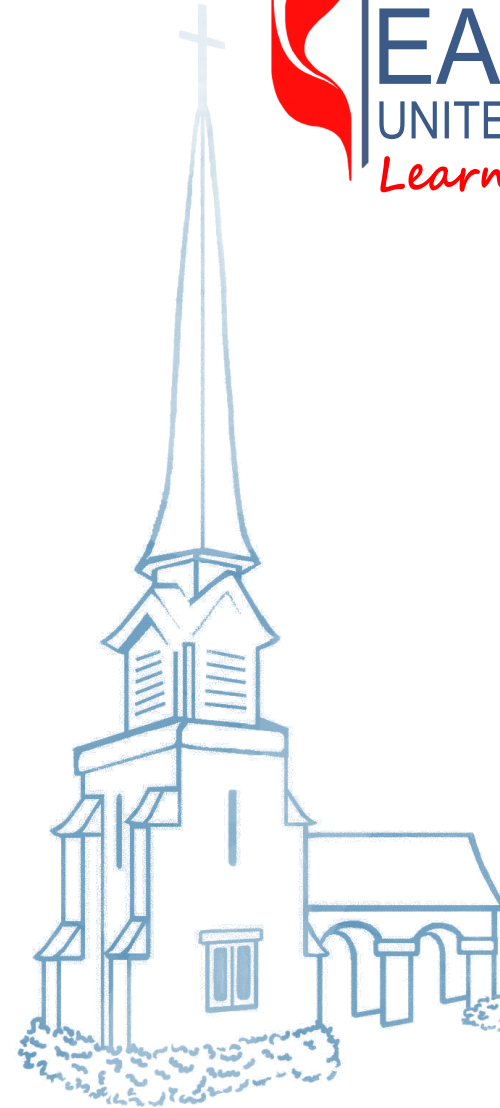
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Welcome!

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.



January 26, 2025 | Third Sunday after the Epiphany

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP | 8:45 AM

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| *Opening Song | “House Of The Lord” Phil Wickham, Jonathan Smith | Praise Team |
| Welcome and Announcements | | Jeff Fogle |
| Scripture Reading | Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10 Pew Bible Page 341 | Mike Cauble |
| *Songs of Praise | “Rest On Us” Brandon Lake, Elyssa Smith, Harvest Bashta Jonathan Jay, Rebekah White, Tony Brown | Praise Team |
| Children’s Sermon | | Pastor Michael |
| Pastoral Prayer | | |
| *Gospel Reading | Luke 4:14-21 Pew Bible Page 47 | |
| Sermon | | |
| Song of Reflection | “Living Hope” Phil Wickham, Brian Johnson | Praise Team |
| A Service of Holy Communion | “The Great Thanksgiving and The Lord’s Prayer” | Hymnal Page 13 |
| *Closing Song | “The Blessing” Chris Brown, Cody Carnes, Kari Jobe, Steven Furtick | 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

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| Pre-Service Music | “Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy” Early American Hymn/Arr. Brian Buda “I Love to Tell the Story” William Fischer/Arr. John Leavitt “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” William Runyan/Arr. Larry Shackley | Ralph Boggess |
| Ringing of the Bell Tower Bell | | Ushers |
| Welcome and Announcements | | Pastor Michael |
| Prelude | “Andante Cantabile” from Symphony No. 5 Peter Tchaikovsky/Arr. Oliver Janes | Ralph Boggess |
| Call to Worship | “Surely the Presence of the Lord Is in This Place” Lanny Wolfe | Chancel Choir |
| *Hymn | “O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing” | Hymnal Number 57 |
| Scripture Reading | Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10 Pew Bible Page 341 | Ginnye Lusk |
| Children’s Sermon | | Pastor Michael |
| Anthem | “Sing to the Lord a New Song” (Psalm 96) Albin Whitworth | Chancel Choir |
| Pastoral Prayer with the Lord’s Prayer | | Pastor Michael |
| *Hymn | “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” | Hymnal Number 140 |
| *Apostles’ Creed | | Hymnal Number 881 |
| *Gospel Reading | Luke 4:14-21 Pew Bible Page 47 | Pastor Michael |
| Sermon | | |
| Offertory | “The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve” Early American Hymn/Arr. George Shearing | Ralph Boggess |
| *Doxology | “Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow” | Hymnal Number 95 |
| *Hymn | “The Spirit Send Us Forth to Serve” | TFWS Number 2241 |
| *Benediction | | Pastor Michael |
| *Benediction Response | “Blessed Be the Name” (Psalm 72:19) Early American Hymn/Arr. Ralph Hudson | Chancel Choir |
| *Postlude | “The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve” Early American Hymn/Arr. George Shearing | Ralph Boggess |

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Instrumentalist: Ralph Boggess, Piano/Organ