

This Week and Beyond

Sunday, August 31—Combined Worship

9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Traditional Worship
12:00 pm Churchwide Lunch (Gym)
5:00 pm Youth Group

Monday, September 1—Labor Day Holiday

Church Office Closed

Tuesday, September 2

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

Wednesday, September 3

7:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, September 7

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

- Ruby Spearman
- Caron Cannon
- Debby Maier
- Carol McCrary
- Jill Buffington
- William Johnson, Son of Lynda Johnson
- Family of Ashley Caddigan, Daughter of Kitty Loggins
- Angie Venable, Daughter-in-law of Joe and Phyllis Venable
- Lisa Cassell, Sister-in-law of Joe and Phyllis Venable
- Paul Nathan Davis, Friend of Alison Hood
- Katie Jordan, Neighbor of Judy Daughtridge
- Aline Long, Mother of Sharon Lemere
- Jennifer Lewis, Sister of Brooke Henderson
- Franco Corvera, Son-in-law of Jean Carey
- Conflict in the Middle East and Ukraine
- Our Church

Our Stewardship as of 8/27/25

Offering week of 8/24/25	\$48,009
Weekly need to meet 2025 budget	\$10,404
Balance in General Fund	\$40,675
Estimated expenses for 09/03/25	\$11,369
Reserve Fund	\$7,535
2025 Apportionment Paid	\$2,000
2025 Received for Budget	\$324,380
2025 Expenses paid (including mortgage principal)	\$301,460
2025 Budget	\$541,018

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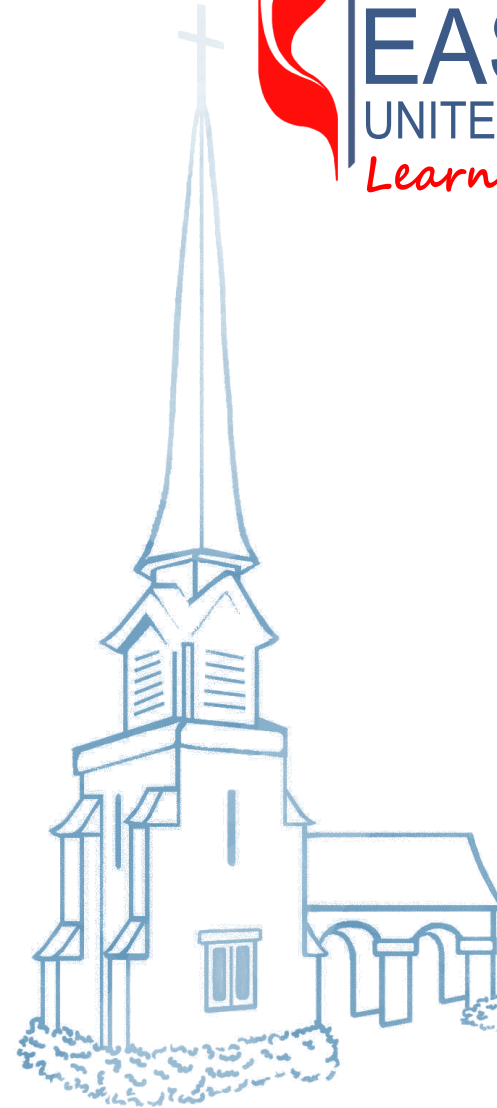
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Instagram: [easleyfumc](https://www.instagram.com/easleyfumc)



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.



August 31, 2025 | Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

COMBINED WORSHIP | 10:30 AM

*Pre-service music

“Brighten the Corner Where You Are” Charles Gabriel/Arr. Rob Perry

“Built on a Rock/Étude in C Minor” Ludwig Linderman/Frédéric Chopin/Arr. Matt Limbaugh

“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee” Ludwig van Beethoven/Arr. Marilyn Ham

*Opening Song

“Praise”

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

*Hymn

“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

Children’s Sermon

Scripture Reading

Anthem

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer

*Affirmation of Faith

*Gospel Reading

Sermon

Song of Reflection

*Doxology

*Closing Song

*Benediction

*Postlude

Ralph Boggess

Praise Team

Jeff Fogle

Chancel Choir

Hymnal Number 89

Pastor Matthew

Jeff Fogle

Chancel Choir

Jack White

Handbells: Mary Boggess, Lynne Clem, Meg Edwards

Pastor Michael

Hymnal Number 882

Pastor Michael

Praise Team

Hymnal Number 95

Praise Team

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.

- Join us for a Church-wide Lunch Today! Join us following this service for lunch in the gym. We will be having hamburgers and hot dogs with all the trimmings! Come join the fun and fellowship!
- Children’s Fellowship All children and their friends are invited to come join the fun on Tuesday, September 2, at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall.
- Ingles gift cards will not be available today, August 31 They will continue to be available in the church office during regular office hours. Cards are in \$50.00 and \$100.00 increments. The church earns 5% of the face value of the card.

Memorials Given July 25, 2025 - August 27, 2025	
In Memory Of	Given By
Jan Dalonas	Riley King
Jim Martin	Ann Lyons
	Joyce Snyder
	Judy Daughtridge
	Gary and Carol Ann Hoxit
Pat Sarratt	Mike and Linda Galloway
Pat Sarratt	Gary and Carol Ann Hoxit
Wanda Lee Hill	Gary and Carol Ann Hoxit
Ashley Caddigan	Mike and Linda Galloway
	Gary and Carol Ann Hoxit

Service Volunteers

August 31—Combined Service		September 7	
Greeter:	Jeff Fogle	Greeter:	Sonya Boyles*
Lay Welcomer:	Jeff Fogle	Lay Welcomer:	Charlene Fetterly*
Lay Reader:	Jeff Fogle	Lay Readers:	Diane Head*
Media:	Carson and Harrison Daley		TBD**
Nursery:	Tracee Simpson	Media:	Jeff Knox, Jo Hood*
Ushers:	Ed Shigley		Carson and Harrison Daley**
	Pat Shigley	Nursery:	Debbie Lizzi*
			Judy Daughtridge**
		Ushers:	TBD**
			*Contemporary Service
			** Traditional Service