

This Week and Beyond

Sunday, April 12

9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Combined Worship
11:45 am Churchwide Lunch (Gym)
6:00 pm Youth Group

Wednesday, April 15

10:30 am UMW Circle #7 Meeting
2:00 pm Faith Seekers Book Club Meeting
6:00 pm Children's Fellowship
6:00 pm Praise Team Rehearsal
7:15 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, April 19

8:45 am Contemporary Worship
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Traditional Worship
6:00 pm Youth Group

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

- Ruby Spearman
- Caron Cannon
- Jean Carey
- Frances Downie
- Betty Rozier
- Family of Steve Swindoll
- Family of Lori Burgess
- Brad Kemper, Friend of Pam Kelley
- Richard Savory, Son-in-law of Char Fetterly
- Chris Maier, Brother of Rob Maier
- Carolyn Eppard, Mother of Markley Hidde
- Lisa Cassell, Sister-in-law of Joe and Phyllis Venable
- Our Church

Our Stewardship as of 04/08/26

Offering week of 04/05/26	\$10,288
Weekly need to meet 2026 budget	\$10,887
Balance in General Fund	\$13,512
Estimated expenses for 04/15/26	\$16,728
Reserve Fund	\$7,143
2026 Apportionment Paid	\$0
2026 Received for Budget	\$123,867
2026 Expenses paid (including mortgage principal)	\$130,079
2026 Budget	\$566,169

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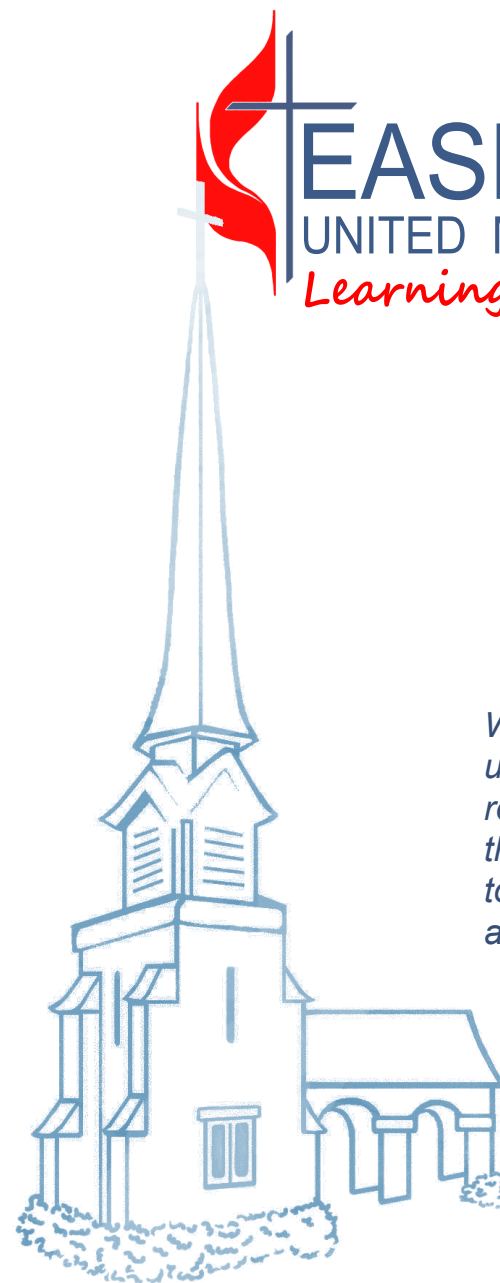
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Office Hours: Mon. - Thurs. 9:00 am - 1:00 pm
Friday Office Closed

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EASLEY FIRST
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Learning • Growing • Serving

Pastor Michael

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.

April 12, 2026 | Combined Worship Service

COMBINED WORSHIP SERVICE | 10:30 AM

Pre-Service Music		Ralph Boggess
	“Hail Thee, Festival Day”	Ralph Vaughan Williams
	“Air” from Water Music Suite	George Frideric Handel
	“Alleluia” from Exsultate Jubilate	Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart
Opening Song	“Just That Good”	Praise Team
	Ethan Hulse, Kristian Stanfill, Patrick Mayberry	
Welcome and Announcements		Pastor Michael
Passing of the Peace		
Call to Worship	“Christ Is Alive”	Chancel Choir
	Anonymous Melody in Psalmody Evangelical	
*Congregational Hymn	“Lift High the Cross”	Hymnal Number 159
Reading from the Epistle	Psalm 114	Valerie Stephens
	Pew Bible Page 432	
Children’s Sermon		Pastor Matthew
Anthem	“Halle, Halle, Halle” (Psalm 150)	Chancel Choir
	Caribbean Melody/Arr. Hal Hopson	
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Michael
*Scripture Reading	John 20:19-31	
	Pew Bible Page 88	
Sermon		
Song of Reflection	“We Believe”	Praise Team
	Matthew Hooper, Richie Fike, Travis Ryan	
*Doxology		
A Service of Holy Communion		Hymnal Number 13
	“The Great Thanksgiving and The Lord’s Prayer”	
*Communion Song	“Come Unto Jesus”	Praise Team
	Laura Story, Jordan Kauflin, Matthew Merker	
*Congregational Hymn	“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”	Hymnal Number 89
*Benediction		Pastor Michael

**Those who are able may stand.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Curiosity Shoppe** All items in the shoppe are 1/2 off the listed price. Thanks to everyone for bringing their friends and for shopping. All funds from the shoppe go directly to EFUMC. The shoppe needs gently used spring and summer items. No books, clothing, or kitchenware.
- **Graduates for 2026** If you know of a church member that is graduating from high school or college this spring, please contact Lisa in the church office before April 15.
- **Ingles gift cards available on Sundays!** Cards are available in the Fellowship Hall from 9:45 to 10:45 am each Sunday morning. 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.
- **New Church Office Hours** The office will now be open from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm Mondays through Thursdays. The office will be closed on Fridays.

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.

SERVICE VOLUNTEERS

April 12 - Combined Worship Service

Greeter: Jessi Stevens
Welcomer: Pastor Michael
Lay Reader: Valerie Stephens
Media: Jeff Knox, TBD
Nursery: Caitlin Daley
Ushers: Ron Fones
Danielle Perry

April 19

Greeter: Denise Kellers*
Lay Welcomer: Gary Mathis*
Lay Readers: Rhett Bush*
Carl Klebe**
Media: Jeff Knox, TBD*
Jo Hood, Nancy Pace**
Nursery: Meg Edwards*
Elizabeth Lawson**
Ushers: Ed Shigley**
Pat Shigley**

** Contemporary Service — ** Traditional Service*