This Week and Beyond

Sunday, May 4

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

Tuesday, May 6

6:30 pm Praise Band Rehearsal

Wednesday, May 7

6:00 pm Lent Bible Study

7:00 pm Chancel Choir Řehearsal

Thursday, May 8

11:00 am Lent Bible Study

Sunday, May 11 - Mother's Day

8:45 am Contemporary Worship 10:00 am Sunday School 11:00 am Traditional Worship

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

- Jean and Marlee Carey
- Ruby Spearman
- Caron Cannon
- Debby Maier
- Jennifer Lewis, Sister of Brooke Henderson
- Aundrea Clem, Daughter-in-law of Lynne Clem
- Jim Martin, Brother of Sally Smith
- Family of Foster Gentry, Father-in-law of Deana Gentry
- Conflict in the Middle East and Ukraine
- Our Church

Our Stewardship As of 04/30/25

\$6.995 Offering week of 4/27/25 Weekly need to meet 2025 budget \$10,404 Balance in General Fund \$7.271 Estimated expenses for 05/7/25 \$6,984 Reserve Fund \$10,000 2025 Apportionment Paid \$2,000 2025 Received for Budget \$157,301 2025 Expenses paid \$158.826 (including mortgage principal) 2025 Budget \$541.018

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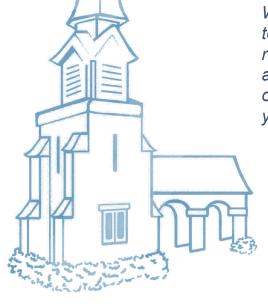
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Pastor Michael Hood

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.



May 4, 2025 | Third Sunday of Easter

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP | 8:45 AM

*Opening Song "Here Is Our King" Praise Team

David Crowder

Welcome and Announcements Charlene Fetterly

Scripture Reading Acts 9:1-20 Diane Head

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*Song of Praise "I Will Follow" Praise Team

Chris Tomlin, Reuben Morgan, Jason Ingram

Children's Sermon Pastor Michael

Pastoral Prayer

*Gospel Reading John 21:1-19

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Sermon

Song of Reflection "Trust In God" Praise Team

Brandon Lake, Chris Brown, Mitch Wong, Steven Furtick

A Service of Holy Communion Hymnal Page 13

"The Great Thanksgiving and The Lord's Prayer"

*Closing Song "What A Beautiful Name" Praise Team

Ben Fielding, Brooke Ligertwood

*Benediction Pastor Michael

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 Carol Dean

"My Faith Looks Up to Thee" Lowell Mason/Arr. Cindy Berry
"Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone?" George Allen/Arr. Cindy Berry
"The Old Rugged Cross" George Bernard/Arr. Phillip Keverson
"Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross" with "In the Cross of Christ I Glory"
William Doane/Ithamar Conkey/Arr. Cindy Berry

Ringing of the Bell Tower Bell Ushers

Welcome and Announcements Pastor Michael

Prelude "Be Still, My Soul" Ralph Boggess
Jean Sibelius/Arr. Albin Whitworth

Call to Worship "Surely the Presence of the Lord" Chancel Choir

Lanny Wolfe

*Hymn "It Is Will with My Soul" Hymnal Number 377

Scripture Reading Acts 9:1-20 Ginnye Lusk

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Children's Sermon Pastor Michael

Anthem "Be Known to Us in Breaking Bread" Chancel Choir

Jay Althouse

Pastoral Prayer

*Gospel Reading John 21:1-9 Pastor Michael

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Sermon

A Service of Holy Communion Hymnal Page 12

Offertory "O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go" Ralph Boggess

(See words—Hymnal Page 480) Albert Peace/Arr. Brian Buda

*Doxology "Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow" Hymnal Number 95

The Great Thanksgiving and The Lord's Prayer

Communion Music

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Ralph Boggess

"O Man, Bemoan Your Grievous Sins" Johann Sebastian Bach

"Sweet Hour of Prayer"
William Bradbury/Arr. William Felton

*Hymn "Jesus Calls Us" Hymnal Number 398

*Benediction

Pastor Michael Lead Me. Lord" Chancel Choir

Ralph Boggess

*Benediction Response "Lead Me, Lord"
Samuel Sebastian Wesley

*Postlude "Jesus Calls Us"

William Jude

*Those who are able may stand.

Instrumentalists: Ralph Boggess, Organ/Piano; Carol Dean, Piano

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