

## ***This Week and Beyond***

### **Sunday, August 24**

8:45 am Contemporary Worship  
10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Traditional Worship  
2:00 pm Church Council Meeting  
5:00 pm Youth Group to Trinity UMC

### **Monday, August 25**

Church Office Closed

### **Tuesday, August 26**

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

### **Wednesday, August 27**

7:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal

### **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

## ***In Our Thoughts and Prayers***

- Ruby Spearman
- Caron Cannon
- Debby Maier
- Carol McCrary
- Jill Buffington
- Family of Ashley Caddigan, Daughter of Kitty Loggins
- Family of Pat Sarratt
- 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 8/19/25***

Offering week of 8/17/25	\$4,052
Weekly need to meet 2025 budget	\$10,404
Balance in General Fund	\$3,887
Estimated expenses for 08/27/25	\$14,712
Reserve Fund	\$7,535
2025 Apportionment Paid	\$2,000
2025 Received for Budget	\$276,371
2025 Expenses paid (including mortgage principal)	\$288,825
2025 Budget	\$541,018

## ***EFUMC Staff***

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### **Office Manager**

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### **Director of Traditional Music**

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### **Director of Contemporary Music**

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## ***Church Contact Information***

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**Facebook:** Easley First United Methodist Church

**Instagram:** easleyfumc



**August 24, 2025 | Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost**

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP   8:45 AM		
*Opening Song	“Breathe On Us” Ed Cash, Kari Jobe	Praise Team
Welcome and Announcements		Jeff Fogle
Scripture Reading	Jeremiah 1:4-10 (Pew Bible Page 532) Hebrews 12:18-29 (Pew Bible Page 178)	Mike Cauble
*Song of Praise	“Way Maker” Osinachi Kalu Okoro Egbu	Praise Team
Children’s Sermon		Pastor Matthew
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Michael
*Gospel Reading	Luke 13:10-17 Pew Bible Page 58	
Sermon		
Song of Reflection	“Presence Of The Lord” Chi Chi Onyekanne, Derek Johnson, Frankie Orella, Justin Tweito	Praise Team
A Service of Holy Communion	“The Great Thanksgiving and The Lord’s Prayer”	Hymnal Page 13
*Closing Song	“Your Great Name” Krissy Nordhoff, Michael Neale	Praise Team
*Those who are able may stand.		
<p><b>The Lord’s Prayer</b></p> <p><i>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.</i></p>		

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP   11:00 AM		
Pre-Service Music	“I Sing the Almighty Power of God” English Song/Arr. John Carter “Rhapsody on ‘Grace Greater than Our Sin”” Daniel Towner/Arr. Cindy Berry “Variations on ‘Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken”” F. J. Haydn/Arr. David Lantz	Ralph Boggess
Ringing of the Bell Tower Bell		Ushers
Welcome and Announcements		Pastor Michael
Prelude	“Let There Be Peace on Earth” Sy Miller and Jill Jackson Ralph Boggess, Handbells; Carol Dean, Piano	
Call to Worship	“Lead Me, Lord” South African Song Mike Lawson, Bass; Chancel Choir	
*Hymn	“Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken”	Hymnal Number 731
Scripture Reading	Jeremiah 1:4-10 (Pew Bible Page 532) Hebrews 12:18-29 (Pew Bible Page 178)	Buddy Jordan
Children’s Sermon		Pastor Matthew
Anthem	“Great Is Thy Faithfulness” William Runyan/Arr. Dan Forrest	Chancel Choir
Pastoral Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer		Pastor Michael
*Hymn	“O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee”	Hymnal Number 430
*Apostles’ Creed		Hymnal Number 881
*Gospel Reading	Luke 13:10-17 Pew Bible Page 58	Pastor Michael
Sermon		
Offertory	“People Need the Lord” Phill McHugh and Greg Nelson	Ralph Boggess
*Doxology	“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”	Hymnal Number 95
*Hymn	“Since Jesus Came into My Heart”	TFWS Number 2140
*Benediction		Pastor Michael
*Benediction Response	“Through All Our Living” Spanish Song/Arr. Ralph Boggess	Chancel Choir
Postlude	“Since Jesus Came into My Life” Charles Gabriel	Ralph Boggess
*Those who are able may stand.		