

This Week and Beyond

Sunday, April 19

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

Wednesday, April 22

5:30 pm Children's Fellowship
6:00 pm Praise Team Rehearsal
7:15 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, April 26

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
- Pat Martin
- Betty Rozier
- Family of Steve Swindoll
- Family of Lori Burgess
- Louise Bradley, Mother of Robert Bradley
- 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 Stewardship as of 04/15/26

Offering week of 04/12/26	\$18,330
Weekly need to meet 2026 budget	\$10,887
Balance in General Fund	\$26,743
Estimated expenses for 04/22/26	\$12,408
Reserve Fund	\$7,143
2026 Apportionment Paid	\$0
2026 Received for Budget	\$154,993
2026 Expenses paid (including mortgage principal)	\$146,370
2026 Budget	\$566,169

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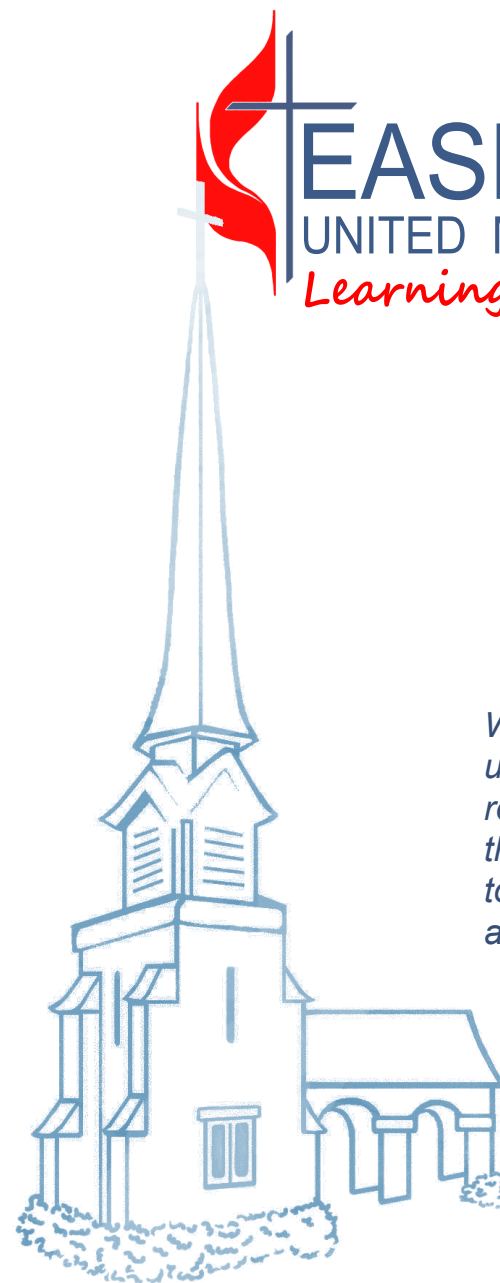
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Pastor Michael

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 19, 2026 | Worship Service

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE | 8:45 AM

*Opening Song	“I Believe” Phil Wickham, Jonathan Smith, Chris Davenport	Praise Team
Welcome and Announcements		Gary Mathis
Scripture Reading	Psalm 16 Pew Bible Page 384	Rhett Bush
*Song of Praise	“You Are My King (Amazing Love)” Billy J. Foote	Praise Team
Children’s Sermon		Pastor Matthew
Pastoral Prayer with the Lord’s Prayer		Pastor Michael
*Gospel Reading	Luke 24:13-35 Pew Bible Page 69	
Sermon		
Song of Reflection	“Living Hope” Phil Wickham, Brian Johnson	Praise Team
Holy Baptism and Confirmation	Adam Kerr, Matthew Kerr, Eli Stevens, Owen Stevens	
A Service of Holy Communion	“The Great Thanksgiving and The Lord’s Prayer”	Hymnal Page 13
*Closing Song	“The Table” Chris Tomlin, Ed Cash, Wayne Jolley	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

Pre-Service Music	“Just a Closer Walk with Thee” Spiritual/Arr. John Carter “I Walked Today Where Jesus Walked” Geoffrey O’Hara	Ralph Boggess
Ringing of the Bell Tower Bell		Ushers
Welcome and Announcements		Pastor Michael
Prelude	“The Strife Is O’er, the Battle Done: Alleluia!” Giovanni da Palestrina/Arr. Alfred Fedak	Ralph Boggess
Call to Worship	“Thine Be the Glory” George Frideric Handel	Chancel Choir
*Hymn	“The Day of Resurrection”	Hymnal Number 303
Scripture Reading	Psalm 16 Pew Bible Page 384	Carl Klebe
Children’s Sermon		Pastor Matthew
Anthem	“Fairest Lord Jesus” Silesian Folksong/Arr. Mark Hayes	Chancel Choir
Pastoral Prayer with The Lord’s Prayer		Pastor Michael
*Hymn	“Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee”	Hymnal Number 175
*Apostles’ Creed		Hymnal Number 881
*Gospel Reading	Luke 24:13-35 Pew Bible Page 69	Pastor Michael
Sermon		
Offertory	“O God Beyond All Praising” Gustav Holst/Arr. John Behnke	Ralph Boggess
*Doxology	“Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”	Hymnal Number 95
*Hymn	“Leaning on the Everlasting Arms”	Hymnal Number 133
*Benediction		Pastor Michael
*Benediction Response	“O God Beyond All Praising” Gustav Holst	Chancel Choir
*Postlude	“Leaning on the Everlasting Arms” Anthony Showalter	Ralph Boggess

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