This Week and Beyond

Sunday, November 23

Sunday School 9:30 am 10:30 am **Combined Worship** 5:00 pm Youth Group

Tuesday, November 25

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

Thursday and Friday, November 27 and 28 Church Office Closed for Thanksgiving



Sunday, November 30

Contemporary Worship 8:45 am

Sunday School 10:00 am Traditional Worship 11:00 am

Youth Group 5:00 pm

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

- Ruby Spearman
- Caron Cannon
- · Debby Maier
- Jean Carey
- Jim Ruud
- Shirley Dallas
- Clarice Bobo
- Weston Crowe, Great-nephew of Jan Crowe
- Colton Cock, Son-in-law of Lee & Sharon Lemere
- Lisa Cassell, Sister-in-law of Joe and Phyllis Venable
- Paul Nathan Davis, Friend of Alison Hood
- Katie Jordan, Neighbor of Judy Daughtridge
- Jennifer Lewis. Sister of Brooke Henderson
- Franco Corvera, Son-in-law of Jean Carey
- · Conflict in Ukraine
- Our Church

Our Stewardship as of 11/19/25

\$7,241 Offering week of 11/16/25 Weekly need to meet 2025 budget \$10,404 Balance in General Fund \$4.682 Estimated expenses for 11/26/25 \$18,274 Reserve Fund \$3,535 \$2,000 2025 Apportionment Paid 2025 Received for Budget \$393,666 2025 Expenses paid \$393,438 (including mortgage principal) 2025 Budget \$541,018

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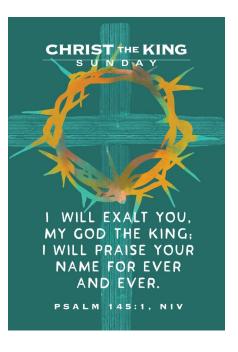
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Pastor Michael Hood



WELCOME! We're delighted you are worshipping with us. 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 today.

November 23, 2025 | Christ the King Sunday

COMBINED WORSHIP | 10:30 AM

Ralph Boggess *Pre-service music

"Let All Things Now Living a Song of Thanksgiving" Welsh Song/Arr. Katherine Davis

"For the Beauty of the Earth" Conrad Kocher/Arr. John Carter

"Come, Ye Thankful People, Come" George Elvey/Arr. Lee Dengler

Ringing of the Bell Tower Bell Ushers

Chancel Choir Call to Worship "Give Thanks"

Henry Smith/Arr. Ken Barker

*Hymn "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come" Hymnal Number 694 **Welcome and Announcements**

Jeff Fogle Children's Sermon **Pastor Matthew**

Presentation of Bibles

*Song of Praise "King of Kings" Praise Team

Scott Ligertwood, Brooke Ligertwood, Jason Ingram

Colossians 1:11-20 (Pew Bible Page 155) **Scripture Reading Pastor Matthew**

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer Pastor Michael **Chancel Choir**

Anthem "Look at the World"

John Rutter

*Gospel Reading Luke 23:33-43 **Pastor Michael**

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Sermon

Song of Reflection Praise Team "The Lord Will Provide"

Brett Younker, Jess Cates, Chris Davenport

"Praise God, from Whom all Blessings Flow" *Doxology Hymnal Number 95 **Communion Music** Ralph Boggess

"Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"

William Kirkpatrick/Arr. Gloria Roe "For the Beauty of the Earth" Conrad Kocher/Arr, Brian Büda "Sweet Hour of Prayer"

William Bradbury/Arr. Gary Prim

*Congregational Hymn "Shine, Jesus, Shine" TFWS Number 2173 Pastor Michael

*Benediction

*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.

- Christmas in the Curiosity Shoppe Please come check out the Christmas items in the Curiosity Shoppe. All proceeds go to helping fund needed items in our church. Thank you for shopping and donating!
- Ingles gift cards for sale Cards will be available outside the Fellowship Hall from 9:45 to 10:45 am each Sunday morning. Cards are in \$50.00 and \$100.00 increments. Payments for the cards can be done with cash, check, or credit card. Cards will be available in the church office during normal business hours. The church earns 5% of the face value of the card.
- Children's Fellowship All children and their friends are invited to come join the fun on Wednesdays at 5:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall.
- Hanging of the Greens The season of Advent is almost here when we decorate our church with wreaths and garland. In order to make that possible, please consider making a donation in honor or memory of a loved one. Donations must be received by today so that the names can be listed in the bulletin on next Sunday, November 30. Please indicate your donation on your check and the offering envelope. Because these donations will be placed in a special fund separate from the budget, please write a separate check for your donation to the Hanging of the Greens.



Service Volunteers

November 23 - Combined Worship

Heidi Mathis Greeter: Lay Welcomer: Jeff Fogle

Lay Reader: Pastor Matthew Media: Jo Hood, Nancy Pace

Nurserv: Tracee Simpson Linda Galloway Ushers:

Ann Lyons

*Contemporary Service ** Traditional Service

November 30

Becky Noblitt* Greeter: Lay Welcomer: Gary Mathis* Lay Readers: Rhett Bush*

Buddy Jordan**

Media: Jeff Knox, Jo Hood*

Jo Hood, Nancy Pace**

Joan Buffington* Nursery:

Tracee Simpson** Linda Galloway** Ushers:

Ann Lyons**