

This Week and Beyond

Sunday, May 3

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

Wednesday, May 6

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

Sunday, May 10 - Mother's Day

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
- Family of Betty Rozier
- Clarice Bobo
- Kari Dean
- Carol Dean
- Shelley Fones
- Dale Burriss
- Matthew Clem
- Louise Bradley, Mother of Robert Bradley
- Brad Kemper, Friend of Pam Kelley
- Richard Savory, Son-in-law of Char Fetterly
- Family of Hal Jones, Brother of Jimmy and Ned Jones
- Carolyn Eppard, Mother of Markley Hidde
- Lisa Cassell, Sister-in-law of Joe and Phyllis Venable
- Our Church

Our Stewardship as of 04/29/26

Offering week of 04/26/26	\$7,935
Weekly need to meet 2026 budget	\$10,887
Balance in General Fund	\$20,534
Estimated expenses for 05/06/26	\$13,308
Reserve Fund	\$7,243
2026 Apportionment Paid	\$0
2026 Received for Budget	\$166,922
2026 Expenses paid (including mortgage principal)	\$166,427
2026 Budget	\$566,169

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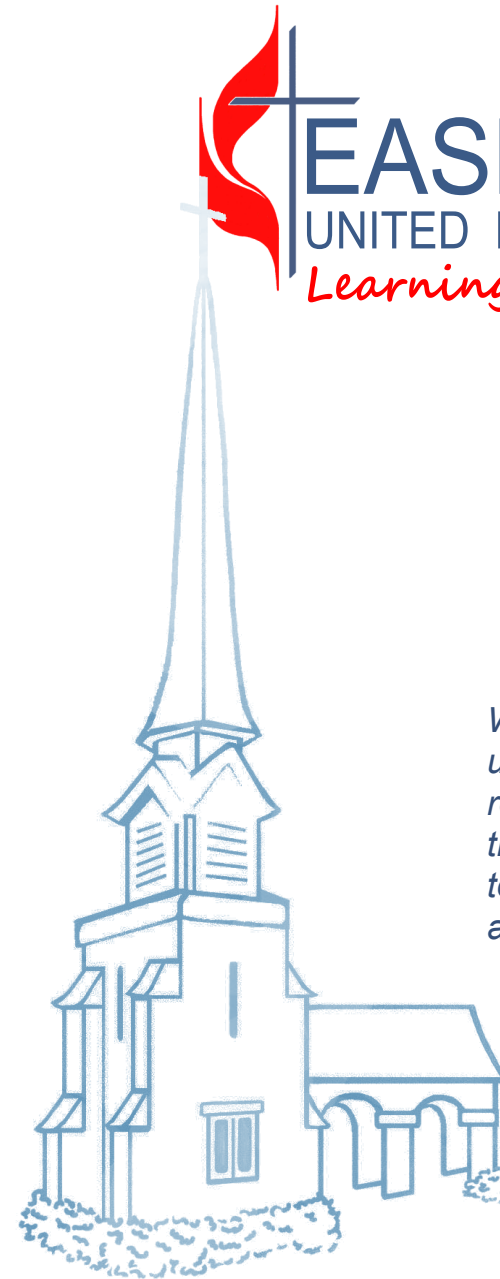
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Pastor Michael

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.

May 3, 2026 | Worship Service

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE | 8:45 AM

***Opening Song** "Song Of Hope (Heaven Come Down)" Praise Team
 Robbie Seay, Taylor Johnson, Ryan Owens,
 Chase Jenkins, Tedd Tjornhom, Dan Hamilton

***Opening Prayer and Passing of the Peace** Pastor Michael

Welcome and Announcements Charlene Fetterly

Scripture Reading 1 Peter 2:2-10 Diane Head
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***Song of Praise** "Cornerstone" Praise Team
 Edward Mote, Eric Liljero, Jonas Myrin,
 Reuben Morgan, William Batchelder Bradbury

Children's Sermon Pastor Matthew

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Michael

***Gospel Reading** John 14:1-14
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Sermon

Song of Reflection "Who You Say I Am" Praise Team
 Ben Fielding, Reuben Morgan

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 "The Great Thanksgiving and The Lord's Prayer"

***Closing Song** "Trust In God" Praise Team
 Brandon Lake, Chris Brown, Mitch Wong, Steven Furtick

***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 Carol Dean
 "Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee/Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring"
 John Dykes/Johann Sebastian Bach/Arr. Cindy Berry
 "Sweet By-and-By" Joseph Webster/Arr. Cindy Berry
 "My Jesus, I Love Thee" Adoniram Gordon/Arr. Cindy Berry

Ringing of the Bell Tower Bell Ushers

Welcome and Announcements Pastor Michael

Prelude "Largo" Ralph Boggess
 George Frideric Handel/Arr. William Reddick

Call to Worship "His Eye Is on the Sparrow" Chancel Choir
 Charles Gabriel

***Hymn** "The Church's One Foundation" Hymnal Number 545

Scripture Reading 1 Peter 2:2-10 Ed Shigley
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Children's Sermon Pastor Matthew
Anthem "Lord, I Stretch My Hands to You" Chancel Choir
 Jay Althouse

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Michael

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Sermon

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Offertory "Built on a Rock the Church Shall Stand/Ocean Étude" Ralph Boggess
 Ludwig Lindeman/Frédéric Chopin/Arr. Matt Limbaugh

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

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Communion Music Ralph Boggess

"Grace Greater Than Our Sin" Julia Johnston/Arr. Daniel Towner
 "More Love to Thee, O Christ" William Doane/Arr. Brian Buda

***Hymn** "Victory in Jesus" Hymnal Number 370

***Benediction** Pastor Michael

***Benediction Response** "I'll Fly Away" Chancel Choir
 Albert Brumley

***Postlude** "Victory in Jesus" Ralph Boggess
 Eugene Bartlett

**Those who are able may stand.*