

Birthdays

November 18—Ginger Hennings November 20—Dawn Lineberry

Lord, Hear Our Prayer!

East Bend: Hazel Matthews, Stewart Maples, Helen Fortune, Phil Curry, Mickey Martin, Mike Crouse, Evelyne Shreve, Roland Dove, Haithcock Family, Beauchamp's, Don Beauchamp, Billie Jean Dove, Tommy Smith, Earl Norman, Anne Hardy, Family of Ellen Jent.

Stony Knoll: Linda Smith, Sofie Carter, Dane Hill, Richard Shore, Dare Poindexter, Bristol Hope Hagen, Margaret Spillman, David Pilcher, Nate Wolford, Savannah Wright, Madison McCann, Daniel Watson, Larry Evans, Steven & Wendy Mosteller, Larry Evans, Judy Baker, and Aiden Flynn, Family of Craig Marler, Family of Julia Davis, Family of Deb Petty.

Long-Term Care: Sue Long, Nancy Wooten, Freddie Wall, Georgia Watts, Edwin Hunt, Aggie Mae Smitherman, Bobbie Lineberry, Lucille Cox.

Armed Forces: Randy Frye, Daniel Lunsford, Brian Speas, Cody Dagenhart, Eric Jennings, Amanda Payne, Tony Hatcher, Jay Staley, Robert Matthews, Michael Stillwell, Adam David, Drew Queen, Lance Miller, John Russell, Rannon Rowley, Justin Reavis, Matthew Regnery, Justin Minor, Aiden Flynn, Jason Drew.

World Wide: For Single-parent families, the underemployed, the homeless, victims of gun violence, those effected by natural disasters, world conflicts, those affected by Covid-19, and for the National political climate.

Pastor

Rev. David Blankenberg

Ministers

All the members of the church

EB—Choir Director & Organist

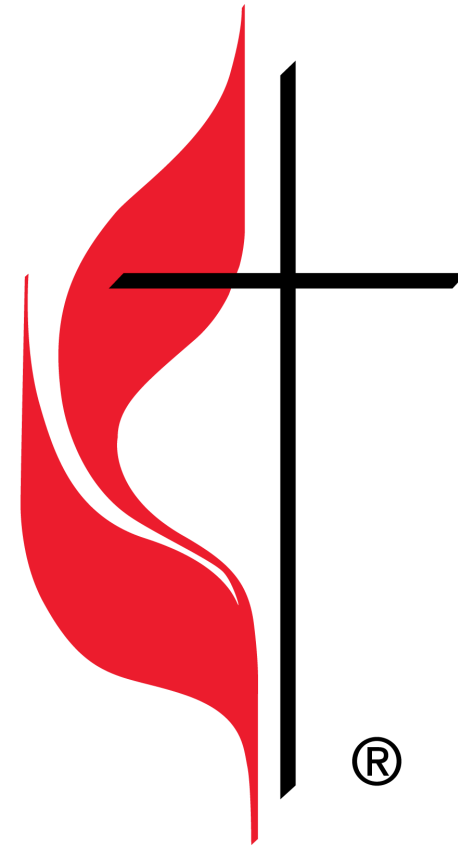
Ann Neill & Linda Brown

SK—Choir Director & Pianist

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November 15, 2020

24rd Sunday of Pentecost

Welcome

*Opening Prayer

Righteous God, you overcome those who abuse their power and lift up those who suffer. Even now, when evil seems to hold sway, we know that you will have the last word. Keep us faithful as we wait and watch for your coming realm, when you will welcome all your children into your kingdom of justice, peace, and love. Amen.

Opening Music

Take My Life & Let It Be

Melissa Beck

Prayer of Illumination

Shine your light on your Word, O Lord; by your Spirit let us see your wonder. For your justice outruns our sense of fairness; your love overwhelms our deepest affections. Open our eyes, unstop our ears, and show us your ways; for Jesus' sake. Amen.

Sermon Series:

"Blessed to Give"

Big Little Things

Acts 20:25-38

Profession of Faith

The Apostles Creed

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I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers of the People &

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, for ever and ever. Amen.



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*Sending Music

Everything and Nothing Less

Eric Hagemeyer

*Benediction

May the God of creation work wonders in you by the power of the Holy Spirit, until we enter together the joy of our Master.

Calendar of Events

November 22, 2020 at 9 am Online Worship & In-Person
Worship at EBUMC

November 28, 2020 at 6 pm Small Town Christmas

Weekly Scripture Readings

Sunday

Judges 4:1-7; Psalm 123,
1 Thess. 5:1-11; Matthew 25:14-30

Monday

Isaiah 43:14-21

Tuesday

Revelation 21:1-5

Wednesday

2 Corinthians 3:1-6

Thursday

2 Corinthians 5:16-21

Friday

John 13:31-35

Saturday

Jeremiah 31:31-34

Acts 20:35

“In everything I [Paul] have shown you that, by working hard, we must help the weak. In this way we remember the Lord Jesus' words: ‘It is more blessed to give than to receive.’”

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