

The Lord's Day

The Twenty Second Day of January

Two Thousand Seventeen

Sunday Morning Worship

Ten Fifty-Five A.M. Service

Presiding Minister – The Reverend Mr. Bart Lester

Assisting Minister – The Reverend Mr. Billy Joseph

Thoughts upon entering the Sanctuary: *“Lord, do Thou turn me all into love, and all my love into obedience, and let my obedience be without interruption.”* -Jeremy Taylor

Welcome & Announcements

The Prelude *“Prelude in B-flat”* J.L. Krebs

Call to Worship

*The Hymn #119 *“I Sing the Mighty Power of God”* (v. 1-3) FOREST GREEN

*The Invocation & the Lord's Prayer

Our Father which 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory for ever, Amen.

*Affirmation of Faith: Westminster Shorter Catechism Q & A 1, 2, & 3 pg. 869

Q. 1. What is the chief end of man? A. Man's chief end is to glorify God, and to enjoy him forever.

Q. 2. What rule hath God given to direct us how we may glorify and enjoy him? A. The Word of God, which is contained in the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments, is the only rule to direct us how we may glorify and enjoy him.

Q. 3. What do the Scriptures principally teach? A. The Scriptures principally teach, what man is to believe concerning God, and what duty God requires of man.

*The Gloria Patri Trinity Hymnal p. 734
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

The Pastoral Prayer

The Sacrament of Baptism Kaleb Choi

The Reading of Scripture: Psalm 84 (pew Bible p.493)

*The Hymn #85 *“The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want”* (v. 1-5) EVAN

The Giving of Tithes and Offerings

The Choral Offertory *“Where Charity and Love Prevail”* Kenneth T. Kosche
Where charity and love prevail there God is ever found; brought here together by Christ's love, by love are we thus bound. With grateful joy and holy fear His charity we learn; let us with heart and mind and soul now love him in return. Forgive we now each other's faults as we our faults confess, and let us love each other well in Christian holiness. Let strife among us be unknown; let all contention cease; be God's the glory that we seek; be ours his holy peace. Let us recall that in our midst dwells Christ, his only Son; as members of his Body joined we are in him made one. For love excludes no race or clan that names the Savior's Name; His family embraces all whose Father is the same.

The Sermon: *“Mistaken Identity”*
Acts 14:8-18 (pew Bible p. 923)
Sermon XLIII

*The Hymn #140 *“O Word of God Incarnate”* (v. 1-4) MUNICH

*The Benediction

Postlude *“Festive Voluntary”* Robert Lau
Fran Bonn, Organist Pianist, Carrie Carboni

The Lord's Day Evening Worship

Announcements & Welcome Rev. Bart Lester

Call To Worship

Hymn #4 *“All Praise to God, Who Reigns Above”*

Invocation

Scripture Reading: Deut. 7:1-11 (pew Bible pp.151-152)

Hymn #63 *“Jehovah Reigns; Let Earth Be Glad”*

Missions Moment

Congregational Prayer

Offertory

Hymn #466 *“I Sought the Lord, and Afterwards I Knew”*

Sermon: *“Avoiding Presumption”* Rev. Billy Joseph
2 Peter 1:3-11 (pew Bible p.1018)

Benediction

Welcome to Eastwood

Our church extends a cordial welcome to all who worship with us this morning.

Visitors are asked to please sign the visitor's card in the pew and provide us the requested information so that we might welcome you.

We are delighted to have you with us this Lord's Day!

Baptism

The Sacrament of Baptism will be administered this morning to Kaleb Choi, infant son of Ariana & Seongho Choi. We welcome this covenant child into our church family.

Life of the Church

Adult Sunday School Winter Quarter

Perspectives on Parenting: Been There, Done That /FHA
(Week 3: Discipline: To spank or not to spank, taught by Den Trumbull)
The Life of David taught by Billy Joseph/FHB

Sunday School for Children & Youth

4 & 5 yr. olds Upstairs Main Hallway Room 5
1st-2nd grades Upstairs Main Hallway Room 7
3rd-5th grades Upstairs Main Hallway Room 8
Students 6th-8th Jr. High Pod in Upstairs Main Hall
Students 9th-12th grade Downstairs in the Youth Room

Nursery Duty

Today AM Gourley, Graves PM Lynn Grace
Jan. 29 AM Henle, Hinton PM Harrington
Feb. 05 AM Hodges, Hodges PM Sumner
Feb. 12 AM James, Joki PM No Service

Eastwood Today

8:30 AM Class for Spanish & Korean Speaking/Missions Room
9:15 AM Coffee & Fellowship in Fellowship Hall
9:30 AM Sunday School Classes
10:55 AM Morning Worship Service/Congregational lunch
4:30 PM Missions Prayer Time
5:30 PM Evening Worship

Eastwood This Week

Jan. 23-29 DOW: Bill Goehring 334.462.5207
Tuesday 9-10 AM No Staff Meeting
10-Noon Ladies Bible Study/Fellowship Hall
7:00 PM Ladies Bible Study/Linette McMahon's
Wednesday 6:30 AM Men's Bible Study in Missions Room
7:00 AM Men's Bible Study in Session Room
5:45 PM Sanctuary Choir Practice

Announcements

Congregational Lunch

This morning, after the morning worship service, there will be a congregational lunch. The church is providing the meal. Visitors are encouraged to join us.

2017 Missions Conference

The 2017 Missions Conference will be March 2nd-5th. The theme this year is “Declare His Glory among the Nations.” This theme is based on I Chronicles 16:23 & 24. Please make plans to attend this event. Look forward to hearing from Jill & David Martin (MTW, Ukraine), Gwen & David Brooks (MTW/Wycliffe, Singapore and USA), Kathy & David Lohnes (World Team, France), Leoma Gilley (Wycliffe, Sudan/East Africa/USA), and Heather & Jeff Vaughn (MTW, Costa Rica). Join us in prayer to meet our 2017 goals: \$125,000 in Faith Promise pledges, 10 first time Faith Promise pledges, 40 people to send on a short-term mission trip, and 2 full time missionaries from our congregation.

Benevolence Request

The Diaconate would like to help an individual in need of a vehicle. If you have an automobile that you wish to donate to the church, please contact one of the deacons or Jerry Knotts at the church office.

Good News!

New and exciting changes coming to the Fellowship Hall! We are now accepting donations for our kitchen renovation project. Donations will be accepted through February 28, 2017. The cost of this much-needed renovation is \$150,000.00. Happily make your checks payable to EPC with kitchen renovation in the memo line. Call the church office if you have any questions.

Ladies Night Out February

Ladies' Night Out will meet on Thursday, February 9 at 6:30 pm at Angie Stallings' home (3118 Highfield Drive 36111) for a pasta and salad potluck. Bring your favorite ingredient for pasta salad (or green salad) and enjoy what others bring as well. (For example, tomatoes, olives, feta cheese, etc.) Pasta and salad greens will be provided.

Ladies Winter Bible Study

The winter ladies Bible study is currently underway. The study is on 1 and 2 Thessalonians, written by Kathleen Nielson. This is a 10-week study that began January 10th. Contact the church office for meeting times and places.

2017 Officers Retreat

There will be an Officer's Retreat January 27th & 28th. The purpose of this retreat is to discuss and set the 2017 goals for Eastwood Presbyterian Church. Please be in prayer for our Session and Diaconate as they lead our congregation and plan for the future! Next Session Meeting: Feb. 21st. Next Diaconate Meeting: Feb. 20th.

Pillars Bereavement Chair Needed

Duties will include: Organizing meals for church families during a time of death, illness, or surgery. Please contact Stephanie Pritchett (334.221.6708) for more details.

ECS Registration

Registration for Eastwood Christian School K4-12th grade is open now through February 3, 2017. You can stop by the school office (located downstairs) or visit eastwoodschool.org to register online. If you have any questions contact the school office at 334.272.8195.

On Site Volunteers Needed to Serve PCA Church Plants

Mission to North America's SecondCareer Ministry is seeking adult volunteers of all ages to serve on site at PCA church plants throughout the country. The variety of skills needed may include mentoring, leading music/worship, administration, construction, or community outreach. Perhaps you or someone you know in another location in the country would be interested in helping grow God's Kingdom by serving with a PCA church plant. Please take a look at our current Opportunities to Serve at www.pcamna.org/second-career and “like” us on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/MNA.SecondCareer>. For more information, please contact Barbara Campbell, MNA SecondCareer facilitator at bcampbell@pcanet.org or 804-339-5005.

*Congregation standing (if able) Please refrain from all applause.
Please silence all electronic devices. Please leave any food or drink outside of the Sanctuary

