

The Lord’s Day
The Twenty-Sixth Day of June
Two Thousand Sixteen
Sunday Morning Worship
Ten Fifty-Five A.M. Service
Presiding Minister – The Reverend Mr. Bart Lester

Thoughts upon entering the Sanctuary: “*God does not govern the world only by His will as an absolute monarch, but by His wisdom and goodness as a tender father. It is not His greatest pleasure to show His sovereign power, or His inconceivable wisdom, but His immense goodness, to which He makes the other attributes subservient.*”
Stephen Charnock

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude: “*Arioso*” HANDEL
Call to Worship
*The Hymn: 100 “*Holy, Holy, Holy!*” (v. 1-4) NICAEA
*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 79, 80, & 81 pg. 875
Q79: What is the tenth commandment? A: The tenth commandment is, "Thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's house, thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's wife, nor his manservant, nor his maidservant, nor his ox, nor his ass, nor any thing that is thy neighbour's."

Q80: What is required in the tenth commandment? A: The tenth commandment requireth full contentment with our own condition, with a right and charitable frame of spirit toward our neighbour, and all that is his.

Q81: What is forbidden in the tenth commandment? A: The tenth commandment forbiddeth all discontentment with our own estate, envying or grieving at the good of our neighbour, and all inordinate motions and affections to any thing that is his.

*The Gloria Patri Trinity Hymnal pg. 735
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 Reading of Scripture: Psalm 61 Pew Bible (pgs. 478-479)
*The Psalter: Psalm 133 (v. 1-3) AZMON

The Giving of Tithes and Offerings
The Choral Offertory “*We’re Marching to Zion!*” John Carter
Come, we that love the Lord, and let our joys be known, join in a song with sweet accord, and thus surround the throne. Let those refuse to sing that never knew our God, but children of the heav’nly King may speak their joys abroad. The hill of Zion yields a thousand sacred sweets before we reach the heav’nly fields, or walk the golden streets. Then let our songs abound, and ev’ry tear be dry; We’re marching through Immanuel’s ground to fairer worlds on high. We’re marching to Zion, beautiful beautiful Zion; we’re marching upward to Zion, the beautiful city of God.

The Sermon: “Church Growth Problems”
Acts 6:1-7
Sermon XIX

*The Hymn: 402 “*Abide with Me: Fast Falls the Eventide*” (v. 1-5) EVENTIDE
*The Benediction

Evening Worship
Presiding Minister – The Reverend Mr. Billy Joseph
Five-Thirty in the Sanctuary

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!

Sympathy

Sympathy is extended to Allison Lester and family upon the death of her brother David Bowman.

Life of the Church

Adult Sunday School Spring Quarter

Tim Cantey & Allen McDaniel: Philippians FHA
Billy Joseph: Judges FHB

Sunday School for Children & Youth

4 & 5 yr. olds	Upstairs Main Hall, Room 7
1-3rd grade	Downstairs, Room 108
4-6th grade Girls	Downstairs, Room 100
4-6th grade Guys	Downstairs, Room 102
Students 7-12th grade	Downstairs, Youth Room

Nursery Duty

Today	AM	Stallings, Grace	PM	Gourley
July 03	AM	Trumbull, Vaughn	PM	No p.m. service
July 10	AM	Bius, Cantey	PM	No p.m. service
July 17	AM	Catching, Chancey	PM	Sedlak

Eastwood Today

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

Eastwood This Week

June 27-July-3	DOW:	Jon Chancey	334.224.3540
Monday	6:00 PM	Session Meeting/Session Room	
Tuesday	6:30 AM	Men’s Bible Study in Missions Room	
	7:00 AM	Men’s Bible Study in Session Room	
	9:00 AM	Staff Meeting/Session Room	
	5:45 PM	Choir Practice	
	6:00 PM	RUF meeting at the home of Kat & Brian Atkins (1832 Radcliffe Road., Montgomery)	

Announcements

Note: There will be no evening worship on Sunday, July 3rd and the church office will be closed Monday, July 4th.

Ladies of Eastwood

Flip Flops, Faith, and Fellowship will meet three nights in July at Leigh Morrison's home (1802 Croom Drive) from 6:30-8:00pm. Enjoy dessert and fellowship and be encouraged by the testimonies of women in our church. The dates and speakers are July 5 (Luciana Hodges and Ruth Godwin), July 19 (Carrie Carboni and Susan Dunn) and July 26 (Peggy Greenlee and Emily Pritzel). Bring a friend!

Communion and The New Kid in the Pew

Next Sunday morning, July 3rd we will observe the sacrament of the Lord’s Supper. Also, on this morning we will present our New Kids in the Pew.

RUF Summer Program

If you are a recent High School graduate about to enter college, or a college student in Montgomery for the summer, you are invited to come to “RUF” Summer in Montgomery. Each Tuesday in June and July at 6:00 p.m., we will gather in the homes of RUF alumni for a time of bible study, singing, and sharing. The format will be similar to the RUF large group meetings on many college campuses across the nation. Our fourth meeting is Tuesday, June 28th at 6:00 p.m. at the home of Kat & Brian Atkins (1832 Radcliffe Rd., Montgomery). The speaker this week will be Rob Pendley, Minister of Discipleship at Trinity Presbyterian Church, Montgomery AL. The subject will be, “The Christian and God’s Providence.” For more information contact Billy Joseph – call or text 334-318-3025 – Email – jillyboseph@gmail.com

We Need YOU

“There are many good voices in our congregation. Won’t you consider joining the Sanctuary Choir? We practice Wednesday evenings at 5:45pm. Please come and help lift holy praises and Worship to the Lord.”
Seongho Choi, Director of Music

VBS 2016 CAVE QUEST

**July 11th-15th
9:00am - noon**

Registration has begun for VBS! The registration table is located next to the choir room. Hurry, because the first 20 families to sign up will receive a FREE song CD!
Our decorating days for VBS are Tuesday, July 5th- Saturday, July 9th from 10am-2pm. We will be decorating several spaces in the church, and would appreciate any amount of time you could give. There are also some positions left to fill for VBS. If you are interested in working, please sign up on the board outside the Children’s Ministry POD. **If you are able to help with decorating, or have any questions, please contact Sonja at cdt@eastwoodchurch.org.**

Peace Lillies

Thank you to all who volunteered to water the live plants on stage. There is still a need for just one more volunteer to help with the watering. Having several people share the task will ease the time requirement for each person. Please contact Nancy Trumbull (trumbulln1@gmail.com) or Lynn Grace for details.

Books for Sale

Looking for a bible study to do on your own over the summer? Sinclair Ferguson’s *Let’s Study Ephesians* will “skillfully lead you through this wonderful letter, explaining its teaching with masterful simplicity and showing its importance and relevance to the church today.” This book is the featured book on sale for the next two weeks. The sale price of this book is \$6.50.

New Sunday School Quarter

The summer adult Sunday School quarter will begin July 10th. There will be one adult Sunday School class meeting in the Fellowship Hall. This class will work through a video series on “A Survey of Church History,” by Robert Godfrey. It will cover apostolic times through 600 a.d. After the video segment there will be a time for discussion. For a sample of this video series visit www.ligonier.org/learn/series.

* Congregation Standing (if able) Please Refrain from All Applause.
+ Latecomers May Be Seated Please silence all electronic devices.

Sermon Notes
"Church Growth Problems"
Acts 6:1-7
Sunday, June 26, 2016

Upcoming Church Events

06/27/2016 Session Meeting
07/03/2016 Communion/No Evening Worship
07/10/2016 U/S Groups in Homes
07/17/2016 Watermelon Social after Evening Worship
07/31/2016 Congregational Lunch

Ministerial & Administrative Staff

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Church Office Information

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Eastwood Officers

The Session

Bart Lester, Moderator

Tim Cantey	Tommy James	Andy Perry
Jeff Dunn	Billy Joseph	Lee Sumner, Clerk
Jay Hinton	Forrest Marion	Den Trumbull
	Allen McDaniel	

The Diaconate

Bo Hodges, Chairman

Anthony Carboni	Bill Goehring	Tim Owen
Jon Chancey	Barry Grace	Scott Pritchett
Frank Dagostin	Robert Harrington	Johnny Stallings
Brian DeHuff	Rick Joki	

Pillars Executive Committee

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Faith Promise

2016 Commitment	Received YTD Thru 06.19.16
(April 1st 2016-March 31st 2017)	
\$114,140	\$12,465

Budget Report

YTD Revenue Thru 05.31.16	YTD Expenses Thru 05.31.16
\$263,090	\$255,757

Eastwood Presbyterian Church



We exist to glorify God
By proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ,
Promoting biblical worship,
And presenting every man mature in Christ...
Colossians 1:28

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[Sermons available on our website: www.eastwoodchurch.org/sermons]