

## The Lord's Day

The Ninth Day of July, Two Thousand Seventeen  
Sunday Morning Worship~Ten Fifty Five A.M. Service  
Presiding Minister – The Reverend Mr. Billy Joseph

Thoughts upon entering the Sanctuary: “What then are we to do about our problems? We must learn to live with them until such time as God delivers us from them. We must pray for grace to endure them without murmuring. Problems patiently endured will work for our spiritual perfecting. They harm us only when we resist them or endure them unwillingly.” A.W. Tozer

### Welcome & Announcements

The Organ Prelude “*Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart*” arr. Rebecca Bonam

Responsive Call to Worship: Psalm 24:7-10  
**Pastor: Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.**

Congregation: Who is this King of glory?

*All: The Lord, strong and mighty, the Lord, mighty in battle!*

**Pastor: Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.**

Congregation: Who is this King of glory?

*All: The Lord of hosts, he is the King of glory!*

\*The Hymn 198 “*Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates!*” (v. 1-6) TRURO

\*The Invocation

\*Affirmation of Faith: Shorter Catechism Q/A 43, 44 (Trinity Hymnal p. 872)

**Q. 43. What is the preface to the ten commandments?**

A. The preface to the ten commandments is in these words, *I am the Lord thy God, which have brought thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage.*

**Q. 44. What doth the preface to the ten commandments teach us?**

A. The preface to the ten commandments teacheth us, that because God is the Lord, and our God, and Redeemer, therefore we are bound to keep all his commandments.

\*The Gloria Patri Trinity Hymnal p. 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 Public Reading of Scripture: Psalm 102 (pew Bible pp. 501-502)

\*The Hymn 576 “*Awake, My Soul, Stretch Every Nerve*” (v. 1-5) CHRISTMAS

The Giving of Tithes and Offerings

The Organ Offertory “*My Jesus, I Love Thee*” Adoniram Gordon

The Sermon: “Resistance”  
Ezra 4:1-23 (pew Bible p. 391)

\*The Hymn 584 “*Go, Labor On*” (v. 1-6) PENTECOST

\*The Benediction

Postlude “*O Day of Rest and Gladness*” Joseph Prentiss

## The Lord's Day Evening Worship USG Fellowships/No Evening Worship

### Life of the Church

#### Combined Adult Sunday School Summer Quarter

“A Survey of Church History” (part 3 1500-1620 AD)  
Teacher: Milton Hodges/class is in the Fellowship Hall

#### 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	Jr. High Pod in Upstairs Main Hall

#### Eastwood Today

8:30 AM	ESL Class/Missions Room
9:15 AM	Coffee & Fellowship in Fellowship Hall
9:30 AM	Sunday School Classes
10:55 AM	Morning Worship Service
4:30 PM	NO Missions Prayer Time
5:30 PM	NO Evening Worship

#### Eastwood This Week

July 10-16	DOW:	Jon Chancey	334.224.3540
Tuesday	9:00 AM	Staff Meeting	
Wednesday	6:30 AM	Men's Bible Study in Missions Room	
	7:00 AM	Men's Bible Study in Session Room	
	1:00 PM	Youth Fellowship/Breakout	
	5:45 PM	Choir Practice	

#### Nursery Rotation

Today	AM	Glasgow, Golden	PM	No Service
July 16	AM	Grace, Gourley	PM	Lynn Grace
July 23	AM	Graves, Harrington	PM	Marian Joseph
July 30	AM	Hodges, Hodges	PM	B. Harrington

#### Usher Rotation

Today	AM	Jeff Dunn, Steven Hall, Don Henle
July 16	AM	Jason Hinson, Milton Hodges, Andrew Jones
July 23	AM	Tommy James, Jerry Knotts, Allen Gamble
July 30	AM	Ollie Lester, David Morrison, Matthew Parker

#### Undershepherd Group Fellowships

USG meet today in lieu of evening worship. Meeting times/places for each group:

**Cantey:** meeting at the Canteys (8655 Asheworth Dr., Montgomery) at 5:30pm

**Dunn:** following AM worship, meet at the Dunns (8624 Sturbridge Dr., Montgomery)

**Hinton/James:** meet at the Harringtons (3548 Lockwood Lane, Montgomery) following AM worship

**Marion:** meet at the Marions (4601 Fox Hollow Circle, Montgomery) at 5:30pm

**McDaniel:** meet at McDaniels (7200 Timbermill Dr., Montgomery) at 5:30pm

**Perry:** TBA

**Sumner:** following AM worship in the Fellowship Hall

**Trumbull:** 5:30pm meet at the Trumbulls (8307 Marsh Pointe Dr., Montgomery)

### 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 register in the pew pad and provide us the requested information so that we might welcome you. We are delighted to have you with us this Lord's Day!

### Announcements

#### Adult Summer Sunday School Quarter

The Summer Sunday school quarter has begun. There is a combined adult class in the Fellowship Hall. “A Survey of Church History” Part 3 (A.D.1500-1620) is being taught by Milton Hodges.

#### The Lord's Supper

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be served next Sunday, July 16th, during the evening worship service. All those who are members in good standing in an evangelical church are invited to partake in this means of grace.

#### Youth Calendar

These events are for youth **upcoming 6th-12 grade**. Contact Sonja (334-303-4257) for more information.

**July 12th** Breakout

**July 16th** Sunday night fellowship at Moe's  
(2900 Zelda Road, Montgomery)

**July 26th** \$2 Movie Capri Theater

**Summer Sunday School Quarter:** The summer Sunday school quarter has begun. The Sr. & Jr. High are combining and meeting in the Jr. High Youth Room upstairs. This class will focus on Men & Women of the Bible.

#### Summer 2017 Missions Trip

Eastwood is returning to Camp Hope in North Carolina this summer. Please be in prayer for Margaret Rhodes, Erin Powe, and Leila Vaughn who left July 6th and the rest of our team leaving on July 16th and returning July 22nd.

#### Missions to the Military International (MMI)

As many of you know, the months of July & August are when new military families move into the Montgomery/Prattville area. Please consider helping MMI in welcoming some of these new families by meeting some of these new military families (in your neighborhood or someone else's) and taking them a plate of cookies. Contact Brenda Fox (586-770-4771) for more information.

#### Flip Flops, Faith, and Fellowship 3.0

Flip Flops, Faith, and Fellowship will meet three nights in July at Suzie Rhodes' home (3415 Silver Lane, Montgomery) from 6:30-8:00pm. Speakers are: July 11 (Lain Hodges), July 18 (Bethany Marion), & July 25 (Linda Joki). Please join us and enjoy dessert, fellowship, and stories of Christ's work in the lives of our women. Also, this year we have added topics like flower arranging and nutrition.

#### VBS Borrowed Items

If you brought any items to the church to be used during VBS, you can pick those items up in the Children's Ministry POD.

#### Watermelon Social

There will be a watermelon social after evening worship on Sunday, July 23rd. The watermelons are provided. Stay and enjoy fellowship and refreshing watermelon!

#### Congregational Lunch

Sunday, July 30th, we will have a congregational lunch following the morning worship service. The summer counselors from Camp Marannook will be joining us. The church is providing the meal.

#### Ladies Fall Bible Study

Mark your calendars for the ladies fall bible study on “The Armor of God” by Priscilla Shirer. There will be a study offered on Tuesday mornings from 10-noon and Tuesday evenings from 6-8:30. Look for more information to come.

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

