

The Lord's Day
April 29, 2018

Sunday Morning Worship~10:55 A.M.
Presiding Minister – The Reverend Mr. Bart Lester
Assisting Minister – The Reverend Mr. Billy Joseph
Deacon of the Week – Johnny Stallings

Silent Meditation Upon Entering the Sanctuary: *“O Gracious God and most merciful Father, which has granted us the rich and precious jewel of thy holy word, assist us with Your Spirit, that it may be written in our hearts to our everlasting comfort, to reform us, to renew us according to your own image, to build us up, and edify us into the perfect building of thy Christ, sanctifying and increasing in us all heavenly virtues. Grant this O heavenly Father, for Jesus Christ’s sake. Amen.”* – From the Geneva Bible, 1557

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude *“Adagio Cantabile”* Gottlieb Muffat

Call to Worship

*The Hymn 302 *“Come, Christians, Join to Sing”* (v. 1-3) MADRID

*The Invocation

*Affirmation of Faith: Apostle’s Creed Trinity Hymnal pg. 845
I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary, He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell**. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living 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.

*The Doxology Trinity Hymnal p. 731
Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heav’nly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Pastoral Prayer

The Public Reading of Scripture: Psalm 123 (pew Bible p. 517)

*The Psalter: (p. 97) Psalm 113 MONKLAND

The Giving of Tithes and Offerings

The Choral Offertory *“The Majesty and Glory of Your Name”* Tom Fettke
When I gaze into the night skies and see the work of Your fingers; The moon and stars suspended in space. Oh, what is man, that You are mindful of him? You have given man a crown of glory and honor, and have made him a little lower than the angels. You have put him in charge of all creation: The beasts of the field, the birds of the air, the fish of the sea. But what is man, oh, what is man that You are mindful of him. O Lord, our God, the majesty and glory of Your name transcends the earth and fills the heavens. O Lord, our God, little children praise You perfectly, and so would we. Alleluia!

Sermon *“The Deeds And Silence Of God”* Rev. Bryan Estelle
Psalm 77 (pew Bible p. 488)

*Hymn 647 *“How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds”* (v. 1-6) ST PETER

*Benediction
Postlude *“Recessional in B Flat”* Anthoony Giamanco

The Lord's Day Evening Worship
5:30 P.M.

Announcements & Welcome

Call To Worship

Invocation

Hymn 100 *“Holy, Holy, Holy!”* (v. 1-4) NICAEA

Scripture Psalm 147 (pew Bible pp. 525-526)

Missions Moment

Congregational Prayer

Offering

Hymn 38 *“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”* (v. 1-3) JOANNA

Sermon *“Fear God”* Rev. Bryan Estelle

Psalm 147 (pew Bible pp. 525-526)

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 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!

Life of the Church

Spring Adult Sunday School Quarter

We will have a combined adult Sunday school class 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 Upstairs Main Hallway Room 9

Eastwood Today

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

TODAY DOW: Johnny Stallings 334-328-2696
Apr 30-May 6 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
5:45 PM Choir Practice

Church Wide Nursery Rotation

Today AM Gamble (Samantha), Gamble (Allen & Merri)
May 06 AM Fox (Katherine), Glasgow
May 13 AM Goehring, Gourley
May 20 AM Grace, Graves
May 27 AM Harrington, Henle

Church Wide Usher Rotation

Today AM Mac Cutchins, Tom DeLoach, Allen Gamble, Wilmer Glasgow
May 06 AM Andrew Godwin, Kent Gourelly, Aubrey Grace, Steven Hall
May 13 AM Jeff Dunn, Don Henle, Milton Hodges
May 20 AM Andrew Jones, Jerry Knotts, Terry Lee, Oliver Lester
May 27 AM Tommy James, Forrest Marion, David Morrison, Matthew Parker

Announcements

41st Anniversary Picnic Next Sunday!!

Next Sunday, May 6th, Eastwood will celebrate her 41st anniversary. There will be a dinner of Jim ‘N Nick’s BBQ meat, baked beans, potato salad, chips, and dessert. Weather permitting we will gather outside in the back parking lot at 5:30 PM. The alternate location is the Fellowship Hall. This will serve as our monthly Undershepherd Group Fellowship.

Thanks and Welcome Pillars Board

Thank you to our outgoing Pillars Board: Nancy Trumbull, Angie Stallings, Elizabeth Puckett, Danellen DeHuff, and Ann Dagostin, for all of your labors in setting up lovely events and excellent Bible studies for the ladies of Eastwood over the last two years. Welcome to our new Pillars Board: Leigh Bius, Carrie Godwin, Sheila Graves, Anne Jones, Linda McDaniel, and Suzie Rhodes.

The Lord’s Supper

The Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper will be served next Sunday, May 6th, during the morning worship service. All those who are members in good standing in an evangelical church are invited to partake in this means of grace.

Exciting Youth News

We are excited to announce Wright Draper as our new Youth Director! Wright is a child of Eastwood, having grown up in this congregation. His parents, Ashley & Glenn, are former members and Glenn was an elder here for many years. We look for Wright to be here mid-June. Please pray for Wright during this time of transition.

Also, summer activities have been scheduled for youth grades 6-12 (you should have received these in the mail). We look forward to these weekly events, as well as, Sunday night fellowships. If you are interested in helping with any of these events, please email lynngrace@eastwoodchurch.org.

Ladies Night Out May

IT’S BACK! Ladies night out will meet on Thursday, May 10th, at 6:00 p.m. for dinner and fellowship at El Rey Burrito Lounge (1031 E Fairview Ave).

Evening Worship May 13th

There will be an evening worship service on Sunday, May 13th. We will not have USG fellowships on this day.

E.C.S. Upcoming Events

April 30th-May 4th is the week of E.C.S senior speeches. Speeches will be given from 1:00-2:00 PM in the Sanctuary. Friday, May 18th is E.C.S Senior Awards and Graduation, both in the Sanctuary. The awards presentation will begin at 1:00 PM and the graduation ceremony will begin at 7:00 PM with a reception following in the Courtyard/Fellowship Hall. The last day of school will be Friday, May 25th.

Nursery Volunteer

The nursery is currently in need of a Sunday morning volunteer for the 4th Sunday of the month. This is a monthly volunteer spot. If you are interested or have any questions about this opportunity, please contact the church office.

2018 Couples Mentoring Program

What: Opportunity for older couples (with adult children) to minister to and mentor younger couples with younger children (in high school or younger).

When: Beginning this summer or fall couples will meet once a month.

Why: To encourage one another by following the Biblical model of older believers mentoring younger believers.

How: Plan to meet at the home of the younger family in order to avoid hiring a baby sitter. Meet after supper from 7:30 to 9:00 PM (times are negotiable). For starters, the discussion can focus on a different topic each month: (1) Marriage, (2) Parenting, (3) Finances/budgeting, (4) Open forum. A fundamental theme throughout all the meetings will be “How to pass on our faith to our children.” At the conclusion of each 4-month period, the younger family will be re-assigned to a different mentor couple. If you would like to participate as a **mentor** or a couple **mentee**, please call the office or reply to Lynn Grace at lynngrace@eastwoodchurch.org

*Congregation standing (if able) Please refrain from all applause.
Please silence all electronic devices. Please leave any food or drink outside of the Sanctuary
** For the explanation of “He descended into hell” see Larger Catechism Q/A 50

