

The Lord's Day
August 26, 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 – Bill Goehring

Thoughts upon entering the Sanctuary: *“If there is one thing that refreshes my soul above all others, it is that I shall behold the Redeemer gloriously triumphant at the winding up of all things.”*
-Henry Martyn, missionary to India & Persia

Welcome and Announcements

The Prelude “How Lovely Are Thy Dwellings” J. Brahms
Moah Son, violinist

Call to Worship

*The Hymn 457 “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing” (v. 1-3) NETTLETON

*The Invocation and 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: The 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 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 Responsive Reading of Scripture Psalm 139 Trinity Hymnal p. 836

*The Hymn 600 “O God beyond All Praising” (v. 1-2) THAXTED

The Giving of Tithes and Offerings

The Choral Offertory “Beloved, Let Us Love One Another” Pepper Choplin
Beloved, let us love one another with love that comes from God. For love is from God, and ev'ryone who loves is born of God. For love is from God, and ev'ryone who loves surely knows God. Whoever does not love does not know God for God is love. Beloved, let us love one another, so let us love.

Sermon “New Life in Christ: Mind Control”
Colossians 3:1-4 (pew Bible p. 984)
Sermon XIV

*Hymn 32 “Great is Thy Faithfulness” (v. 1-3) FAITHFULNESS

*Benediction

Postlude “Praeludium in Baroque Style” Gordon Young

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

Announcements & Welcome

Call To Worship

Hymn 296 “All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!” (v. 1-4) CORONATION

Invocation

Scripture Reading II Corinthians 6:14-7:1 (pew Bible p. 967)

Missions Update

Congregational Prayer

Offering

Hymn 108 “Whate'er My God Ordains Is Right” (v. 1-4) WAS GOTT TUT

Sermon “Promises of Conquest” Rev. Bart Lester

Exodus 23:20-33 (pew Bible p. 64)

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

Summer Adult Sunday School Quarter

Combined adult summer Sunday school is located in the Fellowship Hall. This class will be going through the book *The Hole In Our Holiness*, by Kevin DeYoung. Teachers: Allen McDaniel, David Morrison, and Bart Lester

Sunday School for Children & Youth

4 yr. old	Upstairs Main Hallway Room 7
K5-1st grades	Upstairs Main Hallway Room 7
2nd-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

Aug 27-Sep 2	DOW:	Barry Grace 334-430-4330
Tuesday	9:00 AM	Staff Meeting
	5:30 PM	Session Meeting in Session Room
Wednesday	6:30 AM	Men's Bible Study in Missions Room
	7:00 AM	Men's Bible Study in Session Room
	6:00 PM	Youth Fellowship
	5:45 PM	Choir Practice

Church Wide Nursery Rotation

Today AM	Vaughn, Whatley
Sept 02 AM	Bartley, Bius
Sept 09 AM	Cantey, Chancey
Sept 16 AM	Crewe, DeHuff

Church Wide Usher Rotation

Today AM	Mac Cutchins, Tom DeLoach, Allen Gamble, Wilmer Glasgow
Sept 02 AM	Andrew Godwin, Kent Gourley, Aubrey Grace, Steve Hall
Sept 09 AM	Jeff Dunn, Don Henle, Milton Hodges
Sept 16 AM	Andrew Jones, Jerry Knotts, Terry Lee, Thomas Lester

Announcements

Youth News

We look forward to seeing your youth **every** Wednesday evening for fellowship as well as Sunday night fellowships. Here is the schedule of weekly events:

Aug 26th Youth Fellowship at Moe's (on Zelda)

Aug 29th Youth Fellowship @ Church

Sept 2nd Youth Swimming after PM service @ the Joneses (1066 Merrywood Dr., Pike Rd)

Sept 5th Youth Fellowship @ Church

Sept 9 no youth fellowship

4th Annual Choir Recital

The Sanctuary Choir presents Hymns Triumphant! This choir performance will be September 9, 2017 beginning at **6:00pm**. Come enjoy an evening of worship with music and anthems sung by our choir. Invite friends and family to celebrate this exciting event with our congregation! **Nursery provided for choir members only.**

ECS Blood Drive

ECS is hosting a blood drive with the Red Cross in the Fellowship Hall on Monday, September 17th. This event begins at 1:00pm and will end at 6:00pm. Please consider coming to support the Red Cross and Eastwood Athletics. If you would like to make an appointment here is how:

1. Click on <https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/drive-results?zipSponsor=36106>
2. On the left side of the screen, scroll down to the bottom and click on Load More Results.
3. Scroll down to Monday, September 17, 2018. You will see:
Eastwood Christian School 1701 East Trinity Blvd Montgomery, AL 36106
4. Click on red/white arrow
5. Choose a time then click on "Blood" (not Power Blood)
6. Select Create Account and enter your information
7. At the end click Confirm Appointment

2018 Children's Sunday School & Nursery Sign-Ups

It is that time of year again! The Children's Ministry is looking for fresh Sunday School teachers and Nursery volunteers. If you are interested in doing either, please sign up in the adult Sunday school book or contact Brenda Fox and/or Angie Stallings. Without volunteers, these programs are not possible. Please prayerfully consider how you might be a part of growing our children in the grace and knowledge of our Savior.

Needed: Nursery volunteers birth-3 yrs.

Save the Date

The WIC (Women in the Church) Fall Kick-Off will be held on September 13th in the Fellowship Hall. This event is a dinner that kicks off the Women's Ministry year of events. Also, look for more information about a kitchen tour and opportunity to help “stock” the kitchen.

Ladies Fall Bible Study

The ladies fall Bible study will begin September 18th. This Bible study will be a 6-week study, meeting every Tuesday morning from 10-noon. The evening study times and location are forthcoming. The study will be on the book *Trusting God* by Jerry Bridges. To order your copy of this book contact Linda McDaniel (334-324-1793) or visit: <https://www.christianbook.com/trusting-god-with-study-guide/jerry-bridges/9781631467929/pd/467929?event=PPCSRC>.

Ladies Night Out September

August's Ladies Night Out was a great success with 20 ladies in attendance! Ladies Night Out in September will be at The Vintage Year (405 Cloverdale Rd., Montgomery). Join us on September 4th, at 6:00pm, for Tuesday Burger Night and bring a friend! Please RSVP (for reservation purposes) Lynn Grace @ lynngrace@eastwoodchurch.org.

Save the Date/Men's Breakfast and Fellowship

Saturday, September 8th, at 7:45am there will be a Men's Breakfast and Fellowship. Come enjoy breakfast, followed by a game of ultimate Frisbee. Please bring a friend!!

Congregational Lunch

Sunday, September 9th, we will have a congregational lunch, following the morning worship service, in the Fellowship Hall. This will serve as our Undershepherd Group Fellowship. The church will provide the meal.

*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

