

April 1, 2018
Easter Sunday



Eastport United Methodist Church
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Welcome to Eastport United Methodist Church
where we share our experiences of God's Kingdom with all,
through our faith, love, fellowship, and service.
Our vision is to have everyone actively involved in worship that enriches,
ministries that empower, and evangelism that embraces all.

Easter Sunday

April 1, 2018

10:00 a.m.

GATHERING

Welcome

L: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

A: Christ is risen, indeed! Alleluia!

Music by the Heavenly Bells

Crown Him with Many Crowns

Derek Hakes

***Processional Hymn**

Christ the Lord is Risen Today, v.1-4

UMH 302

***EASTER PROCLAMATION**

L: Out of the darkness of grief and despair comes a message of hope. Christ is risen.

P: Christ is risen, indeed.

L: We run to the tomb to see for ourselves, and it is true. Christ is risen.

P: Christ is risen, indeed.

L: We hear a voice call our name, and we know our risen Lord is with us now and always.
Christ is risen.

P: Christ is risen, indeed. Thanks be to God.

***Praise Song**

How Great is Our God;

Children's Time

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

***Hymn of Illumination**

Halle, Halle, Halle

***Scripture Lesson** Matthew 28: 1-10

This is the Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God! Amen.

The Easter Message

Pastor Michelle

Offertory

Let All the People Say, "AMEN"

Wesleyan Choir

Pepper Choplin

The Unified Budget & Heaven Cent Basket for the Parish Fund

***Doxology**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God, the source of all our gifts!

Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION

Gluten free wafers are available upon request

The Great Thanksgiving

TFWS 2257

Holy Communion *is by the ancient method of intinction or dipping
the bread in the cup.*

Communion Hymns

*Come, Share the Lord
Jesus Messiah*

TFWS 2269

SENDING FORTH

***Closing Hymn**

Easter People, Raise Your Voices – v. 1 & 2

UMH 304

***Dismissal with Blessing**

***Postlude**

**Please stand as you are able.

Participation last Sunday: 78

Adults & Youth: 70

Children: 8

The Reverend Michelle Mejia, *Pastor*
Nicole Hughes, *Junior Choir Director* Margie Hughes, *Heavenly Bells Director*
JoAnn Kulesza, *Music Director & Organist*
Bill Riggs, Sherrie Little, Sally Hight, Mike Keller, *Lay Speakers*
Audrey Howard, Jean Strucko, *Worship Team Leaders*
Sally & Kevin Hight, *PowerPoint Presenters*
Shirley Owen, *Ushers Coordinator* Audrey Howard, *Greeters Coordinator*

THOSE SERVING THIS WEEK

April 1, 2018

Greeters: Marty & Myrna Dobbs
Welcomer: Pud Schultz
Ushers: Val Devaris & Neil Bergsman
Prayer Leader: Bill Riggs
Reader: Sherrie Little
Children's Time: Jill Peddicord
Sunday School:
Nursery: Carrie & Ricardo Vasquez
Communion Assistants: Kathleen and
Dylan Liedy

Counters: : Paulette & Tom Schwallenberg
Valerie Devaris & Neil Bergsman

THOSE SERVING NEXT WEEK

April 8, 2018

Greeters: Evie Swink, Sally Colburn
Welcomer: Anne Owen
Ushers: Cyndi & David Cuncell
Prayer Leader: Bill Riggs
Reader: Marty Dobbs
Children's Time: Michelle Anderson
Sunday School:
Nursery: Nikki Finkle
Megan or Mike Wurst

Counters : Pud Schultz, Bill Malamphy
Harriet Macey

You may contact Worship Ministry Team Leaders and Pastor Michelle
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Want to join EUMC?

The membership vows of the Methodist Church invite us to join a community of Christians and live out our commitment to follow Jesus with one another through our prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness. If you are interested in membership please reach out to Pastor Michelle at eastportumcpastor@gmail.com or call the church office to speak with her.

OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

Thanksgiving
OUR RISEN SAVIOR

State, Country & World
FOR LOVE TO PREVAIL

Our Homebound Members

Leona Bergsman, Norman Jones, Betty Storton,
Ann Rawls, Nadine Clark, Ernie Mutschler



April Prayer List

A new list will start on May 1st. Please use the yellow prayer cards in the pews for your prayer requests, or call/email the church office.

Please be aware: we will print concerns in the bulletin only if that box is checked on the prayer card, or if you have notified us. We want to respect the privacy of individuals. **Please let the office know if there is someone that you want kept on the prayer list, otherwise the names will be removed at the end of each month.

Harriet Macey (member)

Holly Green Ficca (member)

Christina Valentine (member)

Bill Malamphy (member)

Art King (member)

Tom Eicher (member)

Tegan Kopp (son of Sharon & Travis)

Ernie Mutschler (former member)

Gerry Cole (friend of Barb Pearson)

Chris Snell (Barbara Krebs' brother)

Mickey Dove (friend of Barbara Nutwell)

Margaret Parks (Steve Parks' Mother)

Paula Vernen (Jean Wilcox's cousin)

Kellie Bridges Lind (EUMC friend)

Ann Collison (Barbara Nutwell's sister –in- law)

Karen Hill (friend of Cyndi & David Councill)

Happy Birthday

April 2 – Joe Nasatka, Butch Stevens

April 3 – Ricardo Vasquez

April 6 – David M. Owen

April 7 – Jason Wilcox



Happy Anniversary

April 5 – Linda & Hillard Harrison



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Please take your lilies home with you today.



Events at EUMC This Week

Mon, Apr 2	Office Closed; NO Heavenly Bells Rehearsal 7pm
Tues, Apr 3	Homework & Reading 4pm; Eastport Working Together 6:30pm
Wed, Apr 4	United Methodist Women 5:30pm Administrative Council 7pm
Thur, Apr 5	Homework & Reading 4pm; Choir 7pm

The United Methodist Women will meet on Wednesday, April 4 at 5:30pm. This will be before the 7:00pm meeting of the Administrative Council. We invite and encourage all women who are interested in UMW to attend. If we are going to move forward with plans to host the annual Spring Tea, we must have definite volunteers to help, and definite volunteers to host tables at the tea. If not, we will be cancelling the tea. We also need to discuss the future of our UMW here at EUMC. Our meeting will end at about 6:45 this time, and there will be no program.

Administrative Council will meet Wednesday evening at 7pm, (after the UMW meeting). Church team leaders, please plan to attend. If you are not able to attend, please send a representative from your team to the meeting. We have not met in a while due to weather, etc. and we need to meet and get organized for the coming months. Any and all members of the congregation are also welcome to join us. You will find us downstairs in the workroom. This meeting will take the place of the regular third Tuesday of April meeting.

Eastport Working Together: next meeting: 6:30 on Tuesday, April 3rd. This group has been formed to make efforts to work to prevent violence in our neighborhood, through discussion, learning what is needed, mentoring, understanding, and actions. Come see what it's all about. We have several members of EUMC who have attended, and a few who regularly attend the meetings. See the bulletin board across from the water fountain.

"When Two or More Are Gathered" – Kaleidoscope Bible Study

Join us as we journey through scripture passages this spring! We will hear the Word of the Lord; share our thoughts and reflections; and listen for God in our conversations and prayers. It's an exciting of prayerful interaction with scripture, to discover the beauty within that can bring transformation to our lives in serving Christ. We'll meet Wednesday evenings at 7 p.m. in the Chapel starting April 11 through May 16. Can't make all Wednesday nights? No problem! This study is designed to attend all or just a few. Hope to see you there! See Sherrie Little or Pastor Michelle for details.

Let all the people say, "Amen", Let all the people say "Amen",
Let all the people say Amen. Let your will[uh] be done again
Shout unto God with a voice of triumph,
triumph in the victory of the Lord strong and mighty,
the everlasting God and the King of Kings.
Shout to God with a voice of triumph
and clap your hands for the Lord God is awesome and
He is king over all the earth, all the earth. Let all the people say, "Amen"

