

BLESSINGS

ON THE ONE WHO COMES IN
THE NAME OF THE LORD!

—MARK 11:9



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.

Palm Sunday

April 14, 2019

10:00 a.m.

Welcome

Prayer

Praise Songs

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna – UMH 278

The King of Glory Comes – TFWS 2091*

*During this song the children will process around the sanctuary
With palms – If your inner child is so inclined, please join them!

Children's Time

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Hymn of Illumination

He Is Exalted (2x) – TFWS 2070

***Scripture Reading**

Luke 19:28-40

Witness to the Word

Pastor Michelle

Anthem

Why Does My Savior Weep?

Patrick M. Liebergen

Sharing of Gifts & Prayer

The Unified Budget & Heaven Cent Basket for Garden Ministry

***Closing Praise**

Majesty

Blessing

***Praise Song to Send Us Forth**

*Please stand as you are able.

Participation last Sunday: 78

Adults & Youth: 75

Children: 3



Altar Flowers

In memory of Bill Nutwell

By Barbara Nutwell and Family

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*
 Lee Corse, *Worship Team Leader*
 Sally & Kevin Hight, *PowerPoint Presenters*
 Shirley Owen, *Ushers Coordinator* Audrey Howard, *Greeters Coordinator*

THOSE SERVING THIS WEEK April 14, 2019	THOSE SERVING NEXT WEEK April 21, 2019
Greeters: Evie Swink, Sally Colburn Welcomer: Anne Owen Ushers: Myrna & Marty Dobbs Prayer Leader: Steve Parks Reader: Kathy Duckett Children's Time: Jill Peddicord Sunday School: Jacqueline Ploof Nursery: Krista Stone, M. Wurst Counters: Pud Schultz, Harriet Macey, Bill Malamphy	Greeters: Mike & Lisa Stevens Welcomer: Ushers: Margie & Richard Hughes Prayer Leader: Steve Parks Reader: Kathy Duckett Children's Time: Jill Peddicord Communion: Steve Parks ((PL) Mary Jane Finkle and Kathy Duckett Sunday School: Jacqueline Ploof Nursery: Krista Stone Paulette Schwallenberg Counters: Mike Stevens, Jennifer Smith
<p style="text-align: center;">You may contact Worship Ministry Team Leaders and Pastor Michelle through the church office, 410.263.5490.</p> <p>EUMC e-mail: eastportumc@verizon.net Website: www.eastportumc.org Pastor Michelle: eastportumcpastor@gmail.com</p>	

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.

◆ April devotionals are available in Fellowship Hall ◆

OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

Thanksgiving

State, Country & World

SPRING & RESURRECTION

OUR ENVIRONMENT/OUR WORLD



Our Homebound Members



Leona Bergsman, Norman Jones, Marie Sims, Betty Storton,
Ann Rawls, Nadine Clark, Anita Andrews, Ernie Mutschler

April Prayer List

Please use the yellow prayer cards in the pews for your prayer requests, or call or email the church office. Please be aware: we will print concerns in the bulletin only if that box is checked on prayer card, or if you have notified us. We want to respect the privacy of individuals. **A new list will start on May 1st. Please let the office know if there is someone that you want kept on the prayer list.**

Please keep these people in your prayers:

Betty Tillack (member)

K. P. (friend of Tom & Elizabeth Eicher)

Alison Madera Bergsman (Neil &
Val's daughter-in-law)

Mark Stevens (member)

Rose Kallenbach (friend of Barbara
Schwarz)

Art King (member)

Sandy Meroney (friend of Kathy
Duckett)

Sean (nephew of Ruth Gibbons' friend)

Skylar (15 month old granddaughter
of Sharon and Mark Stevens)

Shirley Smith (friend of Tom &
Elizabeth Eicher)

Libby Goodwin (Jennifer Smith's
student)

Robert (Bobby) Williams (Carole
Williams' brother-in-law)

Steve Pulley & nieces & nephews
(Chris and Pam's brother and family)



April 14 – Tom Schwallenberg

April 19 – Scott Hughes

April 20 – Susan Schneider

This Week at EUMC

Holy Week

Mon, April 15	Bells rehearsal 7pm
Tue, April 16	Homework & Reading 4pm
Wed, April 17	Food Pantry noon – 2pm [Wednesday Lenten services have ended]
Thurs, April 18	Maundy Thursday —Dinner at 6pm; Service at 7pm NO Homework & Reading
Fri., April 19	Good Friday Service at Asbury UMC on West Street - Noon

Mad Hatter's Tea Party

Tickets for the **UMW** annual tea are on sale in Fellowship Hall: \$15 for women, and \$8 for girls 10 years old and younger.



Easter Dedications. Today is the last day to place orders for dedications in the Easter Sunday bulletin, either by purchasing a lily (\$10) or donating to the Food Pantry (any amount).

Please see Eunice in Fellowship Hall today.

New In Fellowship Hall! – Honoring EUMC

Please be sure to look at a beautiful piece of art, done by children in our homework group who also attend the Arts Program on Wednesday afternoons. The Arts Program is under the auspices of *Creating Communities*, a non-profit organization led by Rob Levit.

Thanks so much to all of you!



Holy Week and Easter



Maundy Thursday – There will be a pot luck dinner on Thursday before our Holy Thursday service which starts at 7pm. Dinner will begin at 6pm, so please arrive a little earlier than that, as you are able. Bring a side dish or dessert. The main entrees are turkey, green beans and macaroni and cheese.

Good Friday – Asbury UMC on West Street is hosting a Seven Last Words of Christ service, beginning at noon on Friday. The service will last about 2 ½ hours. This is a service that you may come and leave when you wish, or you can remain for the entire service. The seven last words messages will be given by area pastors, and Pastor Michelle will be giving the fourth word (sometime around 1:00 is a guess).

Easter Sunrise Service at Thomas Point Park will begin at 6am. Sunrise takes place at 6:21am – sounds like perfect timing for a wonderful and beautiful Sunrise Service. If you have questions, please call the office.

Easter Service at 10 am will be followed by the traditional Easter egg hunt for the children. Please remember to bring your Easter baskets, but if you forget, there will be some extra available to use.

Why Does My Savior Weep?

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Why does My Savior shed His tears?

Alone in the garden he kneels and prays.

Why does My Savior Weep?

Why do they crown Him king?

Why do they mock and scourge my Lord?

His blood is poured from the crown of thorns.

Why do they crown Him king?

To the hill far away He carries the cross.

His final breath shall be my loss;

The hammer rings out, the nails pierce Him through;

He dies for me and you.

Why does My Savior Weep?

Why does My Savior shed His tears?

Alone in the garden he kneels and prays;

Alone in the garden, all alone, alone.

