


April 15, 2018



Lessons from the Garden

***Eastport United Methodist Church
926 Bay Ridge Avenue, Annapolis, MD 21403
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We Shall Be Changed

1 Corinthians 15:50-57

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.

Third Sunday of Easter

April 15, 2018

10:00 a.m.

Welcome

Opening Hymn

All of Creation, Sing Glory to God

Praise Song

I Can Only Imagine

Children's Time

Hymn of Illumination

Joy in the Morning, v.1,2 – TFWS 2284

***Scripture Reading**

1 Corinthians 15:35-44, 50-57

Witness to the Word

Pastor Michelle

Anthem

Ticket to the Kingdom

Donald Moore

The Great Thanksgiving

TFWS 2257a-d

Holy Communion

By the ancient method of intinction, dipping the bread in the cup.

Gluten free wafers available on request

Communion Songs

It's Only a Table

Broken for Me – TFWS 2263

Sharing of Gifts & Prayer

The Unified Budget & Heaven Cent Basket for Garden Ministry

***Closing Praise**

I'll Fly Away – TFWS 2282

***Blessing**

***Praise Song to Send Us Forth**

*Please stand as you are able.

Participation last Sunday: 71

Adults & Youth 62

Children 9

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**Our youth will lead next week's service. We
hope you will be here to support them.
They've been working very hard!**

OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

Thanksgiving

THE OPPORTUNITY TO BECOME MATURE
IN THE FAITH

State, Country & World

AN END TO VIOLENCE AND HATE



Our Homebound Members

Leona Bergsman, Norman Jones, Betty Storton,
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 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.

Margaret Mason (JoAnn Kulesza's friend)

Lorraine Crouch (member)

Bob Sumrall (Dave's father)

Linda Luke (attending EUMC)

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)

Kris & Bob Burdett (friends of Wendy & Eric)

Gerry Cole (friend of Barb Pearson)

Chris Snell (Barbara Krebs' brother)

Mickey Dove (friend of Barbara Nutwell)

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

Apr 19 – Scott Hughes

Apr 20 – Sonny Owen



Please put this on your calendar and plan to attend: There will be a meeting regarding the Peach Festival on Tuesday, April 17 at 6:30 p.m.



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Events at EUMC This Week

****Covered Dish Lunch Today after Service – Join Us!****

Mon, Apr 16	Heavenly Bells Rehearsal 7pm
Tues, Apr 17	Homework & Reading 4pm; Trustees meeting 6:15pm Peach Festival Discussion Meeting 6:30pm
Wed, Apr 18	Food Pantry 12pm Kaleidoscope Bible Study 7pm
Thur, Apr 19	Homework & Reading 4pm; Choir Rehearsal 7pm
Sat, Apr 21	GreenScape at EUMC 9 to 11am (see below)



When Two or More Are Gathered – Kaleidoscope Bible Study.

This interesting study began last Wednesday but you may join in at any time. It runs through May 16 on Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m., in the chapel. Feel free to drop in whenever you can.

GreenScape is a city and community partnership of beautification, clean-up, and planting in public spaces throughout the City of Annapolis. **EUMC will participate from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, April 21.** We have lots of mulch to spread and two new Winterberry bushes to plant, as well as general trimming and cleanup. Join us to get some exercise, a little Vitamin D, and a lot of knowing you make a difference! **Please** come and help make our church grounds look great. ~ *Joanne Christofel*



Tickets for the Mad Hatter's Tea (a la Alice in Wonderland), hosted by Eastport United Methodist Women, will be on sale today and each Sunday through April 29. However, a limited number of tickets are available because of space in Fellowship Hall. Tickets must be purchased in advance. The Tea will be on **Sunday, May 6th, from 2 – 4 in the afternoon.** Little girls will enjoy the tea as well, so feel free to include them. Please bring your favorite tea cup if you can, AND decorate a hat in any way you choose and WEAR it to the tea. Let's have fun! This is our main event for raising money for missions and ministries. We hope we can count on your support. ~ *Jean Strucko & Harriet Macey*

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
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Greeters: Sonny & Shirley Owen
 Welcomer: Lisa Stevens
 Ushers: Bob & Carol Emory
 Prayer Leader: Bill Riggs
 Reader: Richard Hughes
 Children's Time: Bill Riggs
 Sunday School:
 Nursery: Nikki Finkle
 Paulette Schwallenberg
 Communion Assist: Mike & Lisa Stevens
 Counters: Lisa Parrish, Mike Stevens
 Jennifer Smith

THOSE SERVING NEXT WEEK
April 22, 2018

Greeters: Pud & Ernie Schultz
 Welcomer: Harriet Macey
 Ushers: Myrna & Marty Dobbs
 Prayer Leader: Bill Riggs
 Reader: Cyndi Councill
 Children's Time: Nicole Hughes
 Sunday School:
 Nursery: Nikki Finkle, Kathy Duckett
 Counters: Ruth Gibbons, Audrey Howard
 Jackie Cunningham

You may contact Worship Ministry Team Leaders and Pastor Michelle
 through the church office, 410.263.5490.

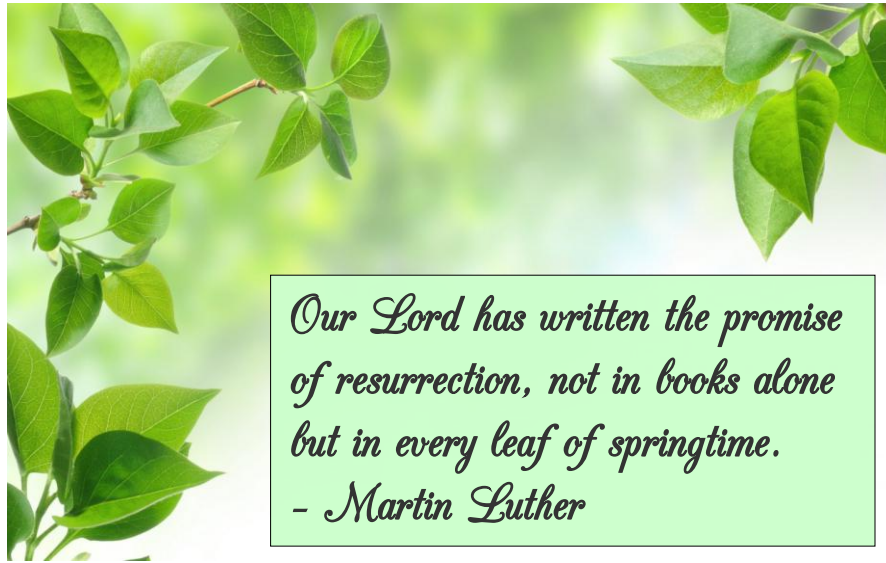
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Want to join EUMC?

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 Lord has written the promise
of resurrection, not in books alone
but in every leaf of springtime.
- Martin Luther*