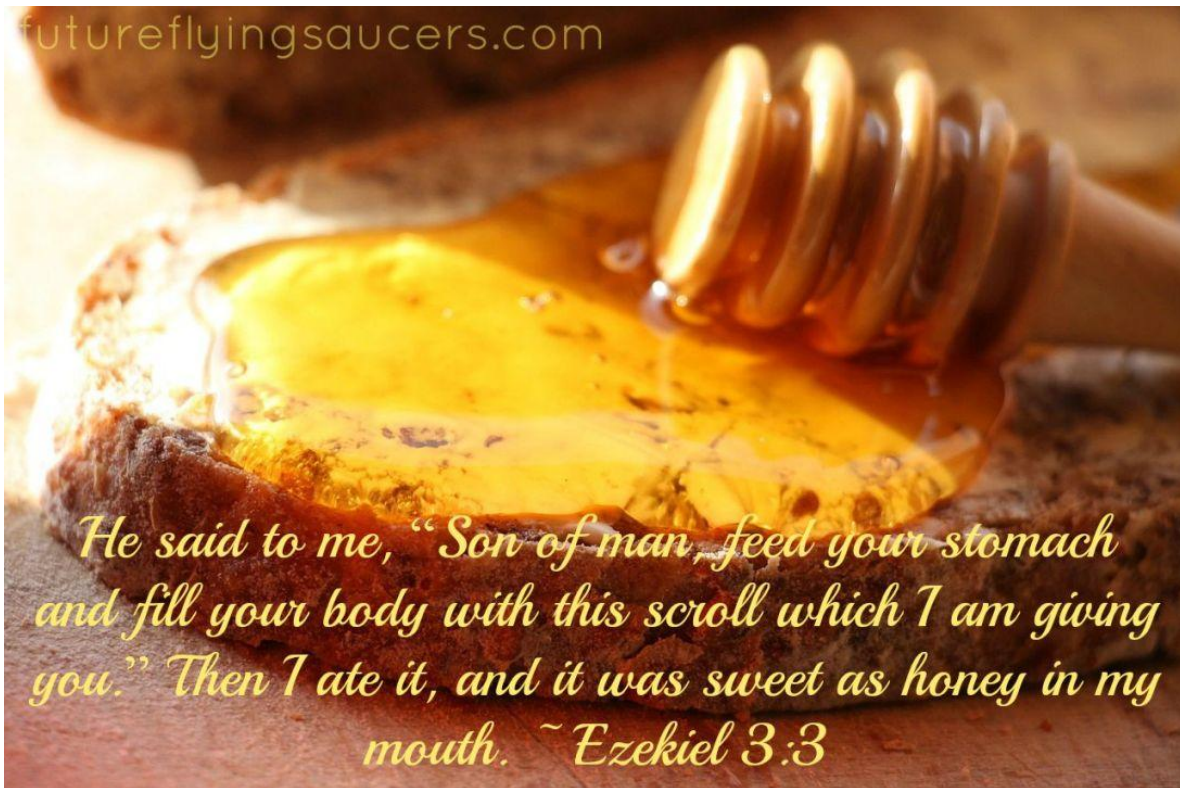


August 13, 2017



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***Eastport United Methodist Church
926 Bay Ridge Avenue, Annapolis, MD 21403
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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.

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

August 13, 2017

10:00 a.m.

Welcome

Praise Songs

The Covenant Prayer

Thy Word Is a Lamp – UMH 601

The Blessing

Prayer

Passing of the Peace

Children’s Time

Prayers of the People

The Lord’s Prayer

Special Music

Hymn of Illumination

Listen Now for the Gospel

***Scripture Reading**

Ezekiel 3:1-9

Witness to the Word

Sally Hight

Sharing of Gifts & Prayer

The Unified Budget & Heaven Cent Basket for Sunday School Kick-Off

Ministry Moment

Care for Creation Camps

***Closing Praise**

Here I am, Lord, v.1,2 – UMH 593

***Blessing**

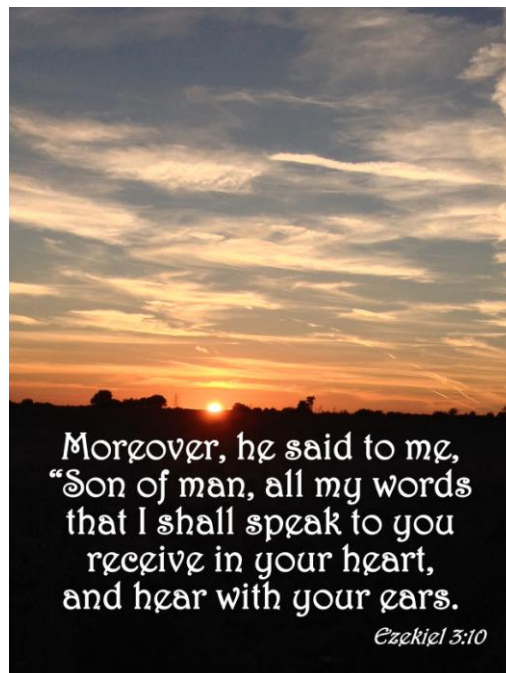
***Praise Song to Send Us Forth**

*Please stand as you are able.

Participation last Sunday: 76

Adults & Youth: 74

Children: 2



OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

Thanksgiving
GOD'S BOUNTY

State, Country & World
WISDOM FOR LEADERS

Our Homebound Members

Leona Bergsman, Norman Jones, Betty Storton, Nadine Clark,
Ernie Mutschler, Mary Jones



August Prayer List



A new list will start on September 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.**

Kaelah & family (daughter of Nicole – Barbara Krebs' co-worker)

Pat Aldersley (member)

Joe & Rogene Maher (Mary Jane Finkle's family)

Cassandra Melendez (Kevin & Sally's daughter-in-law)

Steve Myers (Arrianna Biaselli's family)

Katherine Myers (Doris & Angie Myers' Mom)

Anne Collison (Barbara Nutwell's sister-in-law)

Henry Fasciano (Jeff Conley's family)

Pat Parks (member)

Tammy Lesley (member)

Sue Peret (member)

Jon Peret (Sue Peret's son)

Angela Myers (attends regularly)

Betty Griffith (Barbara Nutwell's cousin)

Ella Edwards (Finn Smith's friend)

Jeffrey Conley (son of Jeff & Joyce)

Joke Jansen (Liz Ford's mother)

CELEBRATIONS

Birthdays this Week

Aug 17 – June Stevens
Angela Krebs

Aug 18 – Isaiah Smith

Aug 19 – Carole Williams



Anniversaries this Week

Aug 14 – JoAnn Kulesza & Bill Riggs

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Aug 14 – 18	Caring for Creation Camp (Elementary) 9am – Noon
Aug 15 –	Board of Trustees meeting 6:15pm; Admin. Council 7:15pm
Aug 16 –	Food Pantry Distribution Day Noon – 2pm
Aug 19 –	Movie Night (Moana) 6pm in Fellowship Hall (see below)

CHILDREN'S SUMMER ACTIVITIES

EUMC is hosting a **Care for Creation Camp** at the church for children in kindergarten through 3rd grade August 14-18 from 9-12 daily. Each day of camp will celebrate a different aspect of God's wonderful creation, from soil and water to animals and people. There will be games, crafts, songs, snacks and hands-on activities each day led by church member and science teacher Jennifer Smith and Pastor Michelle. We are reaching out to our homework club students and inviting them to attend but would welcome your child as well. If you have a child in grades kindergarten through grade 3, please pick up a registration form in the church office or email Jennifer Smith at mdsmiths@verizon.net. There is no cost for this camp.



We also need two general camp helpers each day (sign up for one day or several days) and one helper to coordinate and help with snacks as well as one volunteer to coordinate and help with crafts (we have ideas for the crafts and snacks). If you can volunteer, please contact Wendy at the church office, or Jennifer Smith.

Scale and Tales – Do you like birds and reptiles? Then come learn about some of the amazing animals God has created at a Scales and Tales presentation by the Maryland Department of Natural Resources. They will be bringing some critters and teaching the children in the Care for Creation camp about Maryland wildlife on Thursday, August 17 at 10 am until 10:45 am in the fellowship hall Church members are welcome to attend. Please let the church office know if you are coming so we can set up chairs for you.

In addition, we are holding a camp for the middle school aged children from our congregation August 21-25. We will have short days from 9-12 at the church on Monday and Friday and field trip days from 9-3 Tues-Thurs. Field trips will be to a sustainable farm in Germantown, MD, the National Zoo and The Chesapeake Bay Environmental Center for kayaking and seining. It should be a fun filled and educational week. Hoping your middle schooler can join us!

Let me know if they plan on attending so I can have a better idea of numbers. If you have questions, please call or email. ~ Jennifer Smith



EUMC Family Movie Night – Plan to join us for a showing of Disney’s “MOANA” on Saturday, August 19 at 6:00 pm. Inside in the air-conditioned fellowship hall, with popcorn and lemonade included – it’s all free. We have chairs, but feel free to bring a blanket or lawn chair of your own.

Back Packs & School Supplies – On Sunday, August 27, the Missions Team will put together back packs for Bates Middle School, and supplies for Annapolis Middle School. If you would like to contribute, we are looking for spiral notebooks, notebook



paper, pencils, rulers, erasers, notebook dividers, pencil pouches and highlighters. Look for the box in the fellowship hall. Deadline for contributions is August 27.

An Opportunity to volunteer: Homework and Reading will start back up in the fall, on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons, from 4 – 5pm on days that school is in session. We serve about 20 children, mostly from Eastport Elementary School, helping with homework and helping to improve reading skills. It is a rewarding and very beneficial program, as children gain the skills to make transition to middle school easier and more productive. We need more volunteers, so if you think this is an area in which you would like to serve, contact Michael Keller or Joyce Conley. They will be glad to speak with you about it.



Another Opportunity to volunteer: Creating Communities – Consistent volunteers are needed during the school year for Creating Communities **Tuesday Afternoon Learning Experience** at Harbour House/Eastport Terrace and the **Wednesday Afternoon Arts Club** at Eastport United Methodist Church, each day **3:45pm-5:00pm**, to help set up art supplies, STEM activities, help and mentor elementary school children and clean up. Creating Communities is also seeking new board members with community, volunteering and financial experience with a strong interest and passion for the power of the arts to transform the lives of low-income students living in Anne Arundel County. For more information and to volunteer, contact Rob Levit at rlevit@comcast.net and visit www.creatingcommunities.net.



A special thank you to all who made our 42nd Peach Festival the wonderful event that it always is. Through it all, for all the years, the Peach Festival has become very special to all of us and to the community. It takes a lot of work, but some way, somehow it gets done. Though totally exhausted, we are glad for another summer day of “all the peaches you can eat.”



*“Miss Peach”
Tammy Lesley*

