

*June 28, 2015*



**Artwork by Alex Salinas**

Mark 2: 1-12

“I tell you, stand up. Take your mat and go home.” Immediately the paralyzed man stood up. He took his mat and walked out while everyone was watching him.

***Eastport United Methodist Church  
926 Bay Ridge Avenue  
Annapolis, MD 21403  
410.263.5490***

# **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.

\*\*\*\*\*

## **Fifth Sunday after Pentecost**

June 28, 2015

10:00 a.m.

\*\*\*\*\*

### **Welcome**

### **Praise Songs**

*Rise and Shine (refrain only)*  
*I've Got That Joy, Joy, Joy, Joy*  
*El Shaddai UMH 123*

### **Prayer**

### **Passing of the Peace**

### **VBS Skit**

(Alex Salinas, Santiago Ruiz, Mia Salinas, Erika Aguilar)

### **Children's Time**

### **Special Music**

### **Joys and Concerns**

### **The Lord's Prayer**

## Praise Songs / Hymn of Illumination

*Jesus Loves Me (v 1)*

UMH 191

### \*Scripture Reading

Mark 2: 1-12

### Witness to the Word

Pastor Michelle

*[We will observe a minute of silence to reflect on the Word and its call and claim in our lives]*

### Sharing of Gifts and Prayer

*The Unified Budget  
and Heaven Cent Basket for VBS  
Prays Band*

### \*Closing Praise

*Pass It On UMH 572*

### \*Blessing

### \*Praise Song to Send Us Forth

\*Please stand as you are able.

Participation last Sunday:64

### Readings for Next Week

2 Corinthians 12: 2-10

Consider using **John Wesley's Three Simple Rules** in your daily meditation:  
***Do No Harm, Do Good, Stay in Love with God.***



### **Flowers on the altar today are given**

In loving memory of Ray Pearson  
Love Forever, Barb & Family

### **And**

In honor of Pastor Michelle's ordination  
With love from her EUMC congregation



## OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

### Thanksgiving

EYES TO SEE GOD'S KINGDOM

### State, Country & World

TERRORIST ATTACKS AROUND THE WORLD

### Our Homebound Members

Lois Bliss, Edna Catterton, Katherine Leitch, Esther Gannaway,  
Neill Kinnamon, Norman Jones, Betty Owen, Betty Storton,  
Nadine Clark, Ernie Mutschler



### June Prayer List

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



**Bill Anderson & Family** (Michelle's Dad)

**Karen Hight** (Kevin Hight's sister)

**Dee & Lee Horton** (former members)

**Leona Bergsman** (member)

**Betty Jane & Bud Finkle**

**Hank Hebb** (& family-- friends of Eichers)

**Kat Morrissey** (friend of Jessie Keller)

**Betty Storton** (member)

**Ray Fox** (Malamphy's extended family)

**Joanne Christofel** (member)

**Sally Hight** (member)

**Gena Addison** (Kevin Hight's co-worker)

**Paula Hudson** (Christina Valentine's friend)

**Liz** (Betty Tillack's friend)

**Missy Hile** (friend of Debbie Morgan & Sue Finkle)

**Lella Moody** (Mei-Jen's sister-in-law)

**Ethel Ankeny** (former pastor's wife)

**Maxine Reid** (Jacqueline Ploof's mother)

**Jennie Kulesza** (JoAnn's Mom)

**The U.S. Military** (Berlyn Wheeler)

### Birthdays this Week

July 2 – Dawn Goodnow

July 4 – Richard Hughes

[I apologize for missing these two folks last week.—forgot to turn the calendar page.]

July 5 – Pat Parks, Libby Cain

July 6 – Judy Bradford

July 9 – David L. Owen, Carrie Vasquez

### Anniversaries this Week

July 5– Lisa & Mike Stevens

July 10-- Shelly & Jason Wilcox

### Ryan K. Allen

graduated from Southern High School on May 20<sup>th</sup>.

Ryan is the grandson of Sonny & Shirley Owen, and  
son of Karl & Debbie Allen. His sister is Karlee Allen.

He plans to attend Salisbury University.

## EVENTS THIS WEEK

Tue, June 30 H&R trip to Barnes & Noble  
Fri, July 3 Office Closed for the holiday  
Sat, July 4 HAPPY FOURTH OF JULY!!



We are blessed today to have with us some of the children who attended Vacation Bible School this past week. They are helping to lead today's worship, and are the future leaders of Eastport United Methodist Church. Please remember that we are charged with helping them on their faith journey. In light of this, we are in need of people who are willing to teach Sunday School, and someone who is willing to coordinate and oversee the Sunday School program for this fall. We are not asking for a long-term commitment, but we do need to provide our children with Christian education and we all need to do our part. Please speak with Pastor Michelle if you would like more information, or to volunteer.



### ONE MORE TIME

(by Audrey Howard)



The yard/bake sale is over  
The peach trees are quakin'

It's time once again to get busy bakin!  
Pound cakes and pies, brownies and muffins  
Cupcakes and cookies Whew! We're all huffin and puffin  
Bake when you can - put in the freezer  
All people can bake, even the "Ole Geezers"  
Make what you wish and as much as you can,  
For frosted cakes and candy there's always a fan!

**Car Booster Seats and Child Restraint Seats Required** for a trip to Barnes and Noble Bookstore in Harbour Center with homework students, two child restraint seats are required. If you have these items and are able to "loan" them to the Homework program for a few hours on June 30, please let the church office know right away at 410-263-5490 or [eastportumc@verizon.net](mailto:eastportumc@verizon.net).

## **PEACH FESTIVAL INFORMATION**

**Start Up Funds-** There are special **peach festival envelopes** in each pew and in the Fellowship Hall, should you wish to make a donation toward expenses for this event. Put your name on the envelope if you want credit for tax purposes. Thank you!

**Deadlines are still a few weeks away, but still approaching for:**

**Silent Auction and Corporate Sponsorship –** There are information sheets and donor forms in Fellowship Hall. Pick up one or two (or more) and approach your favorite local business for sponsorship and/or a silent auction donation. Be creative- try someone who hasn't been represented before at our Peach Festival. Also, if you have something special that you would like to contribute to our Silent Auction, please call or email the church. Examples could include: gift certificates, gift baskets, tickets to sporting events, plays or concerts, unique or one-of-a-kind items.

### ***FELLOWSHIP HOUR SIGN-UP for Q3, 2015***

- July 5 -           Jean & Dick Strucko**
- July 12- COVERED DISH LUNCH – Evangelism & Communications**
- July 19-           Sue Peret & Pud Schultz**
- July 26-           Sally Malamphy & Myrna Dobbs**
- August 2-         Margie Hughes & Joan Dove**
- August 9-         Kathy & Steve Duckett**
- August 16-        Harriet Macey & Audrey Howard**
- August 23-        JoAnn & Bill and Barbara Krebs**
- August 30-        Wendy & Eric Edstrom**
- September 6-     Jackie Cunningham, Jeff Bauckman, & Eric Smaridge**
- September 13-   Shirley Owen & Amanda Owen**
- September 20-   Church Picnic**
- September 27-   Carol & Bob Emory**

We thank these folks for their generosity in volunteering to host Fellowship Hour.

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*  
 JoAnn Kulesza & Jill Peddicord, *Worship Team Leaders*  
 Sally & Kevin Hight, Eric Smaridge, Brady Duckett, *PowerPoint Presenters*  
 Shirley Owen, *Ushers Coordinator*    Audrey Howard, *Greeters Coordinator*  
 Jeff Conley, *Bell Ringer*    Kevin, Eric S, Brady, *The Treats Dudes*

**THOSE SERVING THIS WEEK**  
**June 28, 2015**

Greeters: Pat Aldersley, Edgar Bowen  
 Prayer Leader: Sally Hight  
 Reader: Valerie Devaris  
 Ushers: Sonny & Shirley Owen  
 Children's Time: VBS Kids  
 Nursery: Kathy Volz, TBA  
 Counters: Art & Annabelle King

**Fellowship Time**  
**Worship Team and Congregation**  
**In honor of Pastor Michelle**

**THOSE SERVING NEXT WEEK**  
**July 5, 2015**

Greeters: Audrey Howard, Ginny Davidson  
 Prayer Leader: Sherrie Little  
 Reader: Mary Jane Finkle  
 Ushers: Eunice Corse, Barbara Pearson  
 Children's Time: Pud Schultz  
 Nursery: Christina & Mike Valentine  
 Counters: Paulette Schwallenberg  
 Jerry & Tammy Lesley

**Fellowship Time**  
**Jean & Dick Strucko**

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

EUMC e-mail: [eastportumc@verizon.net](mailto:eastportumc@verizon.net)

Website: [www.eastportumc.org](http://www.eastportumc.org)

Pastor Michelle: [eastportumcpastor@gmail.com](mailto:eastportumcpastor@gmail.com)

**Readings for Next Week ♦ July 5, 2015**

2 Corinthians 12: 2-10