

**October 20, 2013**



***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.

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## **Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost ♦ Laity Sunday**

October 20, 2013

10:00 a.m.

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### **GATHERING**

*[Please turn off your cell phones.]*

#### **Announcements**

#### **Prelude**

*For the Beauty of the Earth*

Conrad Kocher, arr. Robert Groth

Heavenly Bells

Quartet

#### **Welcome**

### **ENTRANCE**

#### **\*Opening Hymn**

*Living for Jesus, v. 1,3*

TFWS 2149

#### **\*Praise Song**

*Here I Am to Worship*

#### **\*Call to Worship**

We are all called into ministry with our Lord.

**Our baptism calls us to be Body of Christ.**

We are all called to proclaim the good news.

**Our Lord, Jesus Christ, invites all to come, share in the forgiveness!**

We serve one another, just as Christ served us.

**Jesus washed the feet of his disciples,**

**Help us do the same to one another this day.**

#### **\*Unison Prayer of Confession**

*Let us pray:*

**God, I stand before you equipped for every good work and yet, I am not doing it. I have not responded to your repeated calls to ministry. I haven't told your truth or shared your word, and I have allowed your people to wander away.**

**Forgive me Lord for my apathy. Now, right now, give me the grace to turn back**

to you. Empower me to speak your word of love, hope, and faith as I work in ministry fully to glorify your name and strengthen this fellowship called, equipped and sent by you. Amen. *(Based on 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5)*

*[We will observe a minute for the silent confession of our sins]*

### **\*Assurance of Forgiveness**

Hear the good news! God says to us: You are my chosen ones, I love you. I call you by name; you are mine. I have entered into covenant with you and will stand by you in all times and all places. Listen and dare to live fully the life of love, hospitality, generosity and service to which I have called you. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

**In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!**

### **\*Renewing our Covenant & Sharing God's Peace**

#### **Children's Time**

#### **Anthem**

*Take My Life and Let It Be*

Dexheimer-Pharris/Sedio

#### **Prayers of Joys and Concerns**

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

### **PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE**

#### **Hymn of Illumination**

*People Need the Lord*

TFWS 2244

#### **\*Scripture Reading**

Romans 12:1-2

The Word of God for the people of God.

**Thanks be to God! Amen.**

#### **Witness to the Word**

Certified Lay Speaker Mike Keller

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

# THANKSGIVING AND HOLY COMMUNION

## The Great Thanksgiving

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

## Communion Hymns

*Here I Am, Lord*  
*Here is Bread, Here is Wine*

UMH 593  
TFWS 2266

**Sharing of Gifts** *The Unified Budget & Heaven Cent Basket for Thanksgiving Baskets*

## Offertory

## \*Doxology

### \* SENDING FORTH

## \*Closing Hymn

*In Christ There Is No East or West*

UMH 548

## \*Blessing

## \*Music to Send Us Forth

\*Please stand as you are able.

Participation last week: 92

### Readings for Next Week ♦ Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost

Joel 2: 23-32; Psalm 65; 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18; **Luke 18:9-14**

Also, consider using John Wesley's Three Simple Rules  
in your daily prayer and meditation:

***"Do No Harm, Do Good, Stay in Love with God."***

Other sources of daily devotions are the pamphlets, ***"The Upper Room"***  
and ***"Our Daily Bread"*** located in Fellowship Hall.

Our sympathy goes to the family of John Miller,  
a friend of Barbara Pearson, who passed to the Lord this week.

Please keep the family in your prayers.

Altar Flowers are given today

In loving memory of Tom Howard on his 80<sup>th</sup> birthday  
by his wife, Audrey; their children and grandchildren.

~and~

In loving memory of my brother, Douglas Carroll  
on his 75<sup>th</sup> birthday, by Pat Aldersley



## OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

### Thanksgiving

LOVELY FALL WEATHER

### State, Country & World

EARTH QUAKE VICTIMS IN THE PHILIPPINES

### Our Homebound Members

Lois Bliss, Edna Catterton, Katherine Leitch, Esther Gannaway,  
Eloise Gleason, Becky Dobrick, Gwynn Bowen



### October Prayer List\*\*

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

**Mary Nasatka** (Joe & Sue's daughter)

**Bunny Gaither** (Tammy Lesley's friend)

**Barbara Miller & Family** (Barbara Pearson's friends)

**Family of Janet Proud** (Nate Owen's school principal)

**Barbara Rees** (Amanda Owen's friend)

**George Shenk** (Edstrom's friend)

**Aunt Ruth** (Dee Horton's family)

**Sue Nasatka** (member)

**Dick Strucko** (member)

**Butch Stevens** (member)

**June Stevens** (member)

**Michael McKinney** (clergy friend)

**Mary Dilworth** (Berlyn Wheeler's friend)

**Donna Hill** (Kevin Hight's friend)

**Bob Burdett** (Edstroms' friend)

**Barbara Puffenbarger & Family**  
(Joan Dove's sister)

**Robyn Pruett** (Betty Tillack's daughter-in-law)

**Shirley Rodbell** (Margaret Terry's friend)

**Gladys Herrell** (Brenda Jones' mother)

**Collon Snell** (Barbara Krebs' father)



### Birthdays this Week

Oct 20 – Rebecca Dobrick

Oct 21 – Ann Rawls, Myrna Dobbs

Oct 22 – Dawn Moyer, Dallas Jones  
Donna Nuckels

Oct 23 – Marge Stevens

Oct 24 – Lisa Stevens, Nathan Owen

Oct 25 – James Keller, Sr.

### Anniversary this Week

Oct 22 – Anne & Mike Owen

## EVENTS THIS WEEK

Mon, Oct 21	Heavenly Bells 7pm; U M Men's Prayer and Pizza Fellowship 7pm
Tue, Oct 22	Homework & Reading 4pm; Peach Festival meeting 6:30pm
Wed, Oct 23	Bible Study 10:15am; Lunch at Sammy's 12:15pm (all are Children's Art Program 4pm invited)
Thu, Oct 24	Homework & Reading 4pm; Choir 7pm; ECCO 5:30pm
Sat, Oct 26	Fall Greenscape 9am – Noon; Navy Tailgate & Game 11am

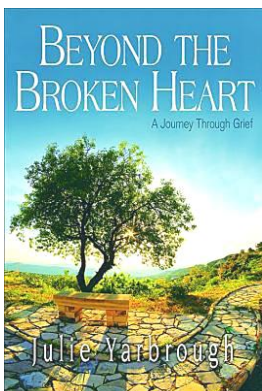
**Lunch at Sammy's** – All are invited to join our group of people who gather for lunch and fellowship on the fourth Wednesday of each month. We meet at Sammy's in the Eastport Shopping Center at 12:15 pm. See you this Wednesday!

### **Time is running out for the 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Pumpkin Carving.**

Please consider teaming with someone to plan this event (ask your teenage child or grandchild to help). The date is flexible, sometime close to Halloween. The kids love it and are counting on us to make it happen. Call or email the church office. ***Please note, if no one steps up today, the event is cancelled.***



**All Saints Sunday is November 3<sup>rd</sup>.** On that day we read the names of church members and friends who have passed away since last year at this time. The names will be projected on the overhead screen, along with a picture if one is provided. If you have someone whom you would like to honor in this way, please send the information and a picture, if one is available, to the church office no later than October 28, so we can compile the presentation. If you have any questions, please call the church office.



**A new class is forming** around the end of October based on the DVD, *“Beyond the Broken Heart”* by Julie Yarbrough. This is an eight-week class for those who are grieving the loss of a loved one, or for anyone interested in this important topic. Sign-up sheet is in Fellowship Hall.



**More Pickled Beets!!** A whole new batch of our famous pickled beets will be made on October 28, starting at 9:30 a.m. We need lots of help. Myrna Dobbs can answer your questions – please let her know you will help that day.

**Gracious Greetings** will meet on Tuesday, October 29, 1:30 p.m. (NOT the 17<sup>th</sup> as previously stated). Come and join us in making lovely greeting cards under the expert direction of Joyce Conley.

**Car Magnets.** We have a new batch of the EUMC magnets – if you would like an additional one (or more), the cost is \$2.00 each. You can get them from the church office.



**Bring us your cancelled American flag stamps.** Look for the container in Fellowship Hall. These will become part of a greeting card project for “Operation Welcome Home Maryland” which was announced in last week’s bulletin. Joyce Conley has introduced this project to our Gracious Greetings group and to United Methodist Women. Just tear off the corner of your envelopes and bring them with you on Sundays. Thanks!

**Navy football** – October 26<sup>th</sup>, Navy vs. Pittsburgh. The cost is \$30 apiece. Great seats on the 50 yard line with fellow EUMC friends. See Jim Wilcox for details.



**Attention Parents with Children Ages 5 to 12:** Bring your children to the Arts Enrichment Program at EUMC on Wednesday afternoons, 4 to 5:30 p.m. – every Wednesday that school is in session. This is a free church-community program offered in collaboration with our neighbor Rob Levit and his non-profit, Creating Communities.

## WORSHIP MINISTRY TEAM LEADERS

The Reverend MaAn H. Barcelo, *Pastor*                      Betty Tillack, *Church Crier*  
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 TODAY*** ***October 20, 2013***

Greeters: Barbara Nutwell, Shirley Ford  
Liturgist: Bill Riggs  
Prayer Leader: Mike Keller  
Reader: Ruth Gibbons  
Ushers: Ernie & Pud Schultz  
Children's Time: Pud Schultz  
Nursery: Anne & Mike Owen  
Counters: Art & Annabelle King  
Margaret Terry

***Fellowship Time***  
***Bob & Carol Emory***

### ***THOSE SERVING NEXT WEEK*** ***October 27, 2013***

Greeters: Richard & Margie Hughes  
Prayer Leader: Mike Keller  
Reader: Jill Peddicord  
Ushers: Mike Keller, Eric Edstrom  
Children's Time: TBD  
Nursery: Jacqueline & Steve Ploof  
Counters: Mary Jones, Ruth Gibbons  
Audrey Howard

***Fellowship Time***  
***Debbie Morgan***  
***Sue Finkle***

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I expect to pass through this world but once; any good thing  
therefore that I can do, or any kindness that I can show to any  
fellow-creature, let me do it now; let me not defer or neglect it,  
for I shall not pass this way again.

Stephan Grellet