

*November 6, 2016*



*Into the Neighborhood  
First Responders  
Police & Firefighters*

*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.

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## **Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost**

November 6, 2016

10:00 a.m.

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### **Gathering Music**

#### **Welcome**

#### **Songs of Praise**

*All Who Love and Serve Your City, v. 1,2,3 – UMH 433*

*(to the tune of FOR THE BREAD)*

*Lord, Reign In Me*

#### **Prayer**

#### **Passing of the Peace**

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

#### **Thanksgiving Moment**

*Jill Peddicord & Sherrie Little*

#### **Prayer of Thanksgiving**

*Police, Firefighters, & First Responders*

#### **Anthem**

*When In Our Music God Is Glorified*

*Stanford*

*Wesleyan Choir*

**Hymn of Illumination**  
*The Servant Song, v. 1,2,3, – TFWS 2222*

**\*Scripture Reading**  
Luke 10: 25-37

**Witness to the Word**  
*Called to Respond*  
Pastor Michelle Mejia

**Communion Hymns**  
*For the Bread Which You Have Broken – UMH 614*  
*You Who Are Thirsty – TFWS 2132*

**Sharing of Gifts & Prayer**  
The Unified Budget & Heaven Cent Basket for Parish Fund  
Prays Band

**\*Closing Praise**  
*I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me – TFWS 2153*

**\*Blessing**

**\*Praise Song to Send Us Forth**

\*Please stand as you are able

Participation last Sunday: 102

**A memorial service for Ann Sumrall, Dave Sumrall's step-mother, will be held here in the Chapel on Monday, November 7<sup>th</sup>, at noon. Following the service there will be a light lunch in the Fellowship Hall. You are invited to attend. We hold Dave and his family in prayer at this time.**

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,  
 Bill Malamphy, Steve Parks, Joan Dove  
*Lay Speakers/Prayer Leaders*  
 Audrey Howard, Jean Strucko, *Worship Team Leaders*  
 Sally & Kevin Hight, *PowerPoint Presenters*  
 Shirley Owen, *Ushers Coordinator*    Audrey Howard, *Greeters Coordinator*  
 Kevin, *The Treats Dude*

**THOSE SERVING THIS WEEK**  
**November 6, 2016**

Greeters: Audrey Howard, Ginny Davidson  
 Ushers: Sonny & Shirley Owen  
 Prayer Leader: Joan Dove  
 Reader: Chuck Ferrar  
 Children's Time: Neil Bergsman  
 Sunday School: Jean Strucko  
                           Harriet Newquist  
 Nursery: Nikki Finkle  
                   Paulette Jenkins  
 Communion Assistants: Joan Dove (PL)  
                           Sherrie Little, Mike Keller  
 Counters: Paulette & Tom Schwallenberg  
                           Neil Bergsman

**Fellowship Time**  
 Audrey Howard, Harriet Macey,  
 Jean & Dick Strucko

**THOSE SERVING NEXT WEEK**  
**November 13, 2016**

Greeters: TBD  
 Welcomer: Sally Hight  
 Ushers: Myrna Dobbs, Betty Tillack  
 Prayer Leader: Joan Dove  
 Reader: Eric Edstrom  
 Children's Time: Paulette Schwallenberg  
 Sunday School:  
 Nursery: Nikki Finkle  
                   Anne or Mike Owen  
 Counters: Virginia Schultz,  
                   Harriet Macey, Bill Malamphy

**Fellowship Time**  
 Erin Connor, Ruth Bowen  
 Edstroms, Malamphys  
 Councells, Joan Dove

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

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

## Thanksgiving

OUR PUBLIC SERVANTS WHO RESPOND TO  
THE CALL

## State, Country & World

PEACE IN OUR HEARTS, PEACE IN OUR WORLD

### Our Homebound Members

Leona Bergsman, Esther Gannaway, Norman Jones  
Betty Storton, Nadine Clark, Ernie Mutschler, Elaine Hollidayoke, Mary Jones



### November Prayer List



A new list will start on December 1<sup>st</sup>. 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.**

**Sue Finkle** (member)

**Raymond Finkle** (Mary Jane's brother in law)

**Margaret Terry** (member)

**Steve Duckett** (member)

**Tammy Lesley** (member)

**Holly Newquist** (Harriet & Tom's daughter)

**Patty D.** (Amanda Owen's friend)

**Jane Smith** (Shirley Keller's friend)

**Jessica & Ben Pardew** (Valerie's family)

**James Brown** (the Lesleys' friend)

**Earl (Gene) King** (Art King's brother)

**Wanda Kauffman** (Annabelle King's sister)

**Shirley Koetting** (Art King's sister)

### Birthdays this Week

November 7 – Sally Malamphy

November 9 – Mei-Jen Hong Hillary

November 11 – David Sumrall

November 12 – Chuck Ferrar  
Curtis Clary



November 8 – Pat Aldersley

November 10 – Steve Ploof  
David Hollidayoke

### Anniversaries this Week

November 10 – Cade & Jason Clurman

## EVENTS THIS WEEK

Monday, Nov 7	Heavenly Bells 7pm
Tuesday, Nov 8	Election Day ; <b>NO</b> Homework & Reading; Missions Team 7pm
Wednesday, Nov 9	Beginners Tai Chi 1pm; Kids Arts Club 4pm
Thursday, Nov 10	Homework & Reading 4pm; Choir rehearsal 7pm
Saturday, Nov 12	Bishop's Day on the District 9:30-1:00 Here at EUMC All laity and clergy are invited. Please plan to attend.

Bishop Easterling is making a visit to the Annapolis District on Saturday, November 12th @ Eastport UMC, Annapolis. This a great opportunity for clergy and laity to meet with our new Bishop. Since we will be the host church, we would like to have a good number of our members attend and help to greet our guests and be of help to them if needed. Please let the office know if you will volunteer to be a greeter, to help with directing parking, or setting up coffee. If you have any questions, please see Pastor Michelle, Wendy, or call the office. Thank you.

**Teachers:** The November 13 service will recognize teachers and other education professionals. Representatives from these groups have been invited to attend the service. They, along with members of the congregation who have served in these professions, will be asked to stand and be recognized. Church members are invited to present brief testimony, stating how teachers and other education professionals have helped them at some point in their lives. **If you wish to make remarks, please prepare them in writing and share them with Pastor Michelle or speak with her in advance no later than Wednesday, November 9.**

**Sunday School Banners:** The Sunday School children have prepared banners for each of the groups that are being honored as part of the Public Servant Recognition Services: police, fire fighters, teachers, and health care workers. Members of the congregation are encouraged to sign the banners and, if they wish, include a brief message. The banners are on the piano in the Chapel. Representatives from the church will deliver the banners to the respective groups at the Annapolis Police Department, the Eastport Fire Station, Eastport Elementary School, and Anne Arundel Medical Center.

**Church Yard Day:** Monday November 14, 9AM to 11AM. Anyone who would like to help work on the church gardens please put this date on your calendar. We are planning to take out one of the old overgrown gardens in the front of the church and then plant it with grass seed to improve the appearance of the grounds. Bring a big shovel if you have one. If you have any questions, please contact Joanne Christofel at [msjohara@yahoo.com](mailto:msjohara@yahoo.com)

**Winter Relief:** It's time again to plan our Winter Relief Men's Homeless Shelter week – Nov. 21 to Nov. 27. We are in need of men to volunteer to spend the nights and people to commit to help serve dinners during the week (the first night is our traditional evening covered dish dinner). Look for sign-up sheets in the hall today and give us your information. If you have questions, see Jackie Cunningham.  
**If you have leftover candy from Halloween, and want to get rid of it, bring it to church and donate it to the Winter Relief for the Homeless.**

Please bring your UNICEF boxes full of loose change to church no later than November 13 – you can give them to Joyce Conley or place them in the office.  
Thanks for supporting UNICEF and children around the world.

**Updated Information – Beginners' Tai Chi Class:** Starting date is Wed., Nov. 9, at 1:00 pm. This is a simplified version of Tai Chi. Tai Chi is moving meditation. Its benefits include improved balance, core strength, increased coordination, flexibility, and endurance. Cost is \$3.00 per class (pay as you go). It will meet weekly on Wednesdays at 1:00 pm in the fellowship hall (third Wednesdays in Room A downstairs). Please wear comfortable clothes and supportive shoes like athletic shoes. For questions, please call Annette at 443-235-0065.

Please invite any of your family and friends who are educators or healthcare workers (healers) to worship with us the next two Sundays, as we honor and thank these groups.

**Thank You**  
**First**  
**Responders**  
***Stay Safe***

