

October 29, 2017



Becoming the Beloved Community

***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.

Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

October 29, 2017

10:00 a.m.

Welcome

Praise Songs

Rise and Shine / I've Got that Joy

The Blessing

He's Got the Whole World in His Hands

Prayer

Passing of the Peace

Special Presentation

Mike Keller, SPRC chair

Children's Time

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Ministry Moment for Winter Relief

Jackie Cunningham

Anthem

Live my Life for Love
Pepper Choplin

Hymn of Illumination

Make Us One, Lord (2x) – TFWS 2224

***Scripture Reading**

I Corinthians 11:23-28, 33

Witness to the Word

What Does the Beloved Community Look Like?
Pastor Michelle

Sharing of Gifts & Prayer

The Unified Budget & Heaven Cent Basket for Thanksgiving Baskets

We are An Offering

***Closing Praise**

Living For Jesus, v.1,3 – TFWS 2149

***Blessing**

***Praise Song to Send Us Forth**

*Please stand as you are able.

Participation last Sunday:86

Adults & Youth:81

Children:5

**Altar flowers are placed this morning
by loving members of the congregation
in honor of Pastor Michelle.**

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
October 29, 2017

Greeters: Ernie & Pud Schultz
 Welcomer: Betty Tillack
 Ushers: Butch & June Stevens
 Prayer Leader: Sally Hight
 Reader: Cyndi Councill
 Children's Time: Eric Edstrom
 Sunday School: Megan & Mike Wurst
 Nursery: Nikki Finkle
 Sherrie Ugolini

Counters: Jean Wilcox, Erin Connor

THOSE SERVING NEXT WEEK
November 5, 2017

Greeters: Audrey Howard, Ginny Davidson
 Welcomer: Sherrie Little
 Ushers: Mike Keller, Eric Edstrom
 Prayer Leader: Sherrie Little
 Reader: Chuck Ferrar
 Children's Time: Nicole Hughes
 Sunday School: **Volunteer needed**
 Nursery: Nikki Finkle
 Kathleen Liedy

Counters: Paulette & Tom Schwallenberg
 Neil Bergsman & Valerie Devaris

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

OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

Thanksgiving

BEAUTY OF CHANGING SEASONS

State, Country & World

VICTIMS OF GUN VIOLENCE

Our Homebound Members

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



October Prayer List



A new list will start on November 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.

Dan Devaris (Valerie's father)

Tegan Kopp (Travis & Sharon's 3 yr. old son)

Shirley Keller (member)

Family of Marc Bergsman (Neil's relatives)

Colleen Devany & Family (EUMC friend)

Audrey Howard (member)

Nadine Clark (member)

Bill Malamphy (member)

Ann Rawls (member)

Tammy Lesley (member)

Kate Wiltz (JoAnn Kulesza's niece)

Patricia Kulesza (JoAnn Kulesza's aunt)

Celia Alvanos (friend of Lorraine Crouch)

Ellenor Alvarez (Leader of Ballard Center)

Family & Friends (Moniquequa Johnson)

The Hall Family (Sherrie's friends)

Tom Illick (Bill Riggs' college friend)

Sheila Hampton (Barb Pearson's friend)

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

Kellie Bridges Lind (EUMC friend)

Pete Cullison (Pud's brother)

Ella Edwards (Finn Smith's friend)

Jeffrey Conley (son of Jeff & Joyce)

Jon Peret (Sue Peret's son)

Ray Stanitski (father of Barbara Krebs' co-worker)



Birthdays this Week

Oct 29 – Elizabeth (Liz) Ford

Nov 4 -- Christina Valentine

Events at EUMC This Week
TRUNK OR TREAT – TONIGHT AT 5:00

Mon, Oct 30	Heavenly Bells 7pm
Tues, Oct 31	Homework & Reading 4p;
Wed, Nov 1	Faith and Race podcast study 10am; Arts Program 4-5pm Dinner Church 6:15pm NO UMW this week.(see below)
Thurs, Nov 2	Homework & Reading 4pm; Choir rehearsal 7pm
Sat., Nov 4	Garden work day 9am Memorial Service for Margaret Terry, here at EUMC at 2pm

Trunk or Treat from 5:00-6:00 pm in the church parking lot. It's a lot of fun. We decorate the trunks of our cars and park in a big circle. Children go from trunk to trunk gathering goodies and toys, and get to enjoy all the Halloween fun. ALL are welcome.

If weather is bad, please check EUMC Facebook page for alternate arrangements.



Bishop Easterling will be meeting with lay and clergy on our district October 30, 2017 at St. Andrews UMC located at [4 Wallace Manor Rd, Edgewater, MD 21037](#). The Bishop will meet with clergy during the day, and with laity from 6-8pm on Monday evening. Come meet this dynamic and engaging woman.

United Methodist Women

The regularly scheduled meeting of the United Methodist Women has been cancelled for this Wednesday. We would like to suggest / invite you to participate in the Simple Church / Dinner Church at 6:15 on that evening. We are in the process of trying to decide on another meeting date in November, so please stay tuned for more details. Thanks for your patience. ~

Wendy

Next Sunday we will celebrate All Saints Sunday.

On November 4th there will be a memorial service for Margaret Terry, a life-long member of EUMC. It will take place in our sanctuary at 2:00 pm followed by interment at Hillcrest Cemetery. A reception will follow in our Fellowship Hall.

Winter Relief Week will take place here during Thanksgiving Week. Please seriously consider volunteering to help. We especially need men to spend the night at the church to chaperone. This is our greatest need.

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. Some of you have recently joined us and are already living this out but have not made the formal covenant with our congregation. We will be having some new members join soon, and if you are interested in membership or joining on a day when others will be joining also, please reach out to Pastor Michelle at eastportumcpastor@gmail.com or call the church office to speak with her.

Live My Life for Love

By Pepper Choplin

**Though I speak with tongues of angels,
Though I give all I have to the poor,
If I gain the world's knowledge but never know love,
It will all be in vain, it will all pass away.
Through it all only love will remain.**

**So let me live my life for love.
Let me live my life for love.
The greatest commandment from heaven above
Is to live my life for love.**

**When my time on earth is over,
When my final race has been run,
When my friends and my family come together that day,
One by one they will rise to remember my life,
What a blessing if each one could say,
May they say that I lived my life for love.**

**Let me live my life for love.
The greatest commandment from heaven above
Is to live my life for love.
Yes, the greatest commandment from heaven above
Is to live my life for love.**

Lord, teach me to love.