

September 10, 2017



*Eastport United Methodist Church
926 Bay Ridge Avenue
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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.

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 10, 2017

10:00 a.m.

Gathering Music

Welcome

Songs of Praise

Gather Us In

You Are My All in All

All of Creation, Give Praise to the Lord

Prayer

Passing of the Peace

Children's Time

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Anthem

Take My Life and Let it Be

Hymn of Illumination

Come and Find the Quiet Center – TFWS 2128

***Scripture Reading**

John 1: 35-51

Witness to the Word

Pastor Michelle

Sharing of Gifts & Prayer

*The Unified Budget & Heaven Cent Basket for UMCOR
Hurricane Relief*

***Closing Praise**

I Will Follow Him

***Blessing**

***Praise Song to Send Us Forth**

*Please stand as you are able.

Participation last Sunday: 115

Adults: 101

Children: 14

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
September 10, 2017

Greeters: Eunice Corse, Barbara Pearson
 Welcomer: Anne Owen
 Ushers: Mike & Anne Owen
 Prayer Leader: Steve Parks
 Reader: Terri Keller
 Children's Time: Lisa Parrish
 Sunday School: Jacqueline Ploof
 Nursery: Nikki Finkle
 Paulette Schwallenberg

Counters: Pud Schultz, Harriet Macey,
 Bill Malamphy

THOSE SERVING NEXT WEEK
September 17, 2017

Greeters: Carol & Bob Emory
 Welcomer: Jean Strucko
 Ushers: Cyndi & David Councill
 Prayer Leader: Mike Keller
 Reader: Mitch Krebs
 Children's Time: Paulette Schwallenberg
 Sunday School:
 Nursery: Nikki Finkle
 Myrna Dobbs
 Communion Assistants: Mike Keller (PL)
 Jennifer Smith, Eunice Corse

Counters: Lisa Parrish, Mike Stevens,
 Jennifer Smith

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

EUMC e-mail: eastportumc@verizon.net

Website: www.eastportumc.org

Pastor Michelle: eastportumcpastor@gmail.com

**In our own sadness, we extend our sympathy to the family of
 Pat Aldersley. Pat's funeral will take place this afternoon at 2:00.
 There will be visitation at Taylor Funeral Home on Duke of Gloucester St.
 Please hold Pat and her family in the light.**



OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

Thanksgiving

THOSE WHO ARE HELPING OTHERS
ESPECIALLY IN AREAS HIT BY DISASTERS

State, Country & World

THE PEOPLE OF TEXAS AND LOUISIANA
AND VICTIMS OF "IRMA"

Our Homebound Members

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



September Prayer List



A new list will start on October 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.

Ann Rawls (member)

Sue Peret (member)

Tammy Lesley (member)

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

Kellie Bridges Lind (friend of numerous EUMC members)

Patricia Kulesza (JoAnn Kulesza's aunt)

Kate Wiltz (JoAnn Kulesza's niece)

Pete Cullison (Pud's brother)

Ella Edwards (Finn Smith's friend)

Jeffrey Conley (son of Jeff & Joyce)

Henry Fasciano (Jeff Conley's cousin)

Jon Peret (Sue Peret's son)

Bill Howard (Audrey's son)



Congratulations and best wishes to Allison Madera and Louis Bergsman on their wedding yesterday in Keystone, Colorado. Valerie Devaris and Neil Bergsman are the parents of the groom, and Lee Bergsman is the grandmother of the groom.



Birthdays this Week

Sept 13 – Vicki Clary

Sept 15 – Mike Stevens

Sept 16 – JoAnn Kulesza, David Peddicord

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Mon, Sept. 11	Heavenly Bells 7pm
Tues, Sept 12	Homework & Reading 4-5pm
Wed, Sept 13	Faith & Race Study organizational meeting (see below)
Thur, Sept 14	Homework & Reading 4-5pm

Finger Food Requested for Sunday School Kick-Off Picnic

On Sunday, September 17, EUMC will host a Sunday School Kick-Off, with services to held outdoors (weather permitting). After the service, we will host a picnic. The Outreach Team is providing burgers/hot dogs and desserts, but we ask the congregation to bring picnic-friendly food (especially finger foods) that will go well with a cook-out menu. If you have any questions, contact Barbara Krebs at barbarakrebs@verizon.net Spread the word and invite neighbors and friends to come and experience God's Spirit at EUMC!

Faith & Race Study

Come join us for a conversation on faith, race, and the church based off of a podcast series put together by the Missouri Annual Conference of The United Methodist Church. Each week we will listen to a 20-minute podcast and have conversation around these important topics as a way to begin living out our calling to seek justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with our God.

If you'd like to participate in this conversation, please sign up with the office eastportumc@verizon.net by Sept. 7th. Our first meeting date will be a brown bag lunch on **Wed. Sept. 13th at noon**. The remaining schedule and conversations will be determined by the group. If you can't commit to the group but would like access to the podcast, please contact Pastor Michelle.

Take My Life That I May Be

Take my life that I may be
Consecrated, Lord, to Thee.
Take my moments and my days,
Let them flow in ceaseless praise.

Take my hands and let them move
At the impulse of Thy love.
Take my feet and let them be
Swift and beautiful for Thee.

Take my silver and my gold,
Not a mite would I withhold.
Take my intellect and use
Every pow'r as Thou shalt choose.

Take my voice and let me sing,
Always, only for my King.
Take my lips and let them be
Filled with messages from Thee.

Take my will and make it Thine,
It shall be no longer mine.
Take my heart, it is Thine own,
It shall be Thy royal throne.

