

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.

SIXTH SUNDAY IN LENT PALM PASSION SUNDAY

April 13, 2014

10:00 a.m.

GATHERING

*Hymn of Praise

The Palms

Faure

Choir Hosanna! Our Lord be praised,
Blessed is He who brings salvation.
O'er all the way green palms and blossoms gay
Are strewn this day, in festal preparation.
Where Jesus comes to wipe our tears away,
E'en now the throng to welcome Him prepare;

**All Join all and sing, His name declare,
Let ev'ry voice resound with acclamation:
Hosanna! Praise to the Lord!
Bless Him who cometh to bring us salvation!**

Choir His word goes forth, and people by its might
Once more regain freedom from degradation.
Humanity doth give to each his right,
While those in darkness are restored to light.

**All Join all and sing, His name declare,
Let ev'ry voice resound with acclamation:
Hosanna! Praise to the Lord!
Bless Him who cometh to bring us salvation!**

Choir Sing and rejoice, O blest Jerusalem,
Of all thy sons sing the emancipation
Through boundless love the Christ of Bethlehem

Brings faith and hope to thee forevermore.
All **Join all and sing, His name declare,**
Let ev'ry voice resound with acclamation:
Hosanna! Praise to the Lord!
Bless Him who cometh to bring us salvation!

Choir Hosanna! Hosanna! Our Christ be praised!

ENTRANCE WITH THE PALMS

***Proclamation of the Entrance into Jerusalem**

***Call to Worship**

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Hear the Gospel according to Matthew chapter 11 verses 1-11.

This is how our Lord, Jesus, entered Jerusalem...

***The People's Response**

Hosanna to the Son of David!

Hosanna in the highest!

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest!

***Processional**

Special Music

Palm Sunday Majesty
arr. Sharon Elery Rogers

The Heavenly Bells

Welcome

Prayer

Anthem

"On the Road to Jerusalem"

Children's Time

Joys and Concerns
The Lord's Prayer

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Praise Song / Hymn of Illumination

Amazing Love

Jesus, Name Above All Names – TFWS 2071

Scripture Reading

Matthew 26:14 – 27:66

Scripture Response:

The Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

The Message

Pastor MaAn

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

SHARING OF GIFTS, OFFERTORY SONG AND PRAYER

[The Unified Budget and Heaven Cent Basket for Music Ministry]

SENDING FORTH

*Closing Praise

Lord, I Lift Your Name on High (2x) – TFWS 2088

*Blessing

* Sharing God's Peace

*Praise Song to Send Us Forth

*Please stand as you are able.

Participation last Sunday: 144

Readings for Next Week ♦ Easter Sunday

Acts 10:34-43; Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24; Colossians 3: 1-4

John 20: 1-18

Also, consider using John Wesley's Three Simple Rules
as you strive to live the Gospel daily:

“Do No Harm, Do Good, Stay in Love with God.”

Easter devotionals: “The Hope of Easter” and “Easter, Believing is Seeing”

Other devotional materials are *The Upper Room, Our Daily Bread*

All located in Fellowship Hall.

OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

Thanksgiving

THOSE WHO SEEK OUT
EUMC FOR PRAYERS

State, Country & World

VICTIMS OF VIOLENCE

Our Homebound Members

Lois Bliss, Edna Catterton, Katherine Leitch, Esther Gannaway,
Eloise Gleason, Becky Dobrick, Gwynn Bowen, Norman Jones,
Neill Kinnamon, Mary Jones, Ernie Mutschler



April Prayer List**

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

Amy Crutchley (parent of Homework child)

Shirley Keller (member)

Sally Colburn (member)

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

Anna (Barbar Krebs' friend's niece)

Donny Marco (Barbara Schwarz's nephew)

Louise DePalermo (Marty Dobbs' mom)

Smitty (Bob & Carol Emory's friend)

Jennie Kulesza (JoAnn's Mom)

Betty Storton (member)

Margaret Terry (member)

Lois Bliss (Tammy Lesley's mom)

Lillian Holley (grandmother Shirley Holley)

Rob Ludd (Friend of Debbie Chambers)

The U.S. Military (Berlyn Wheeler)

Ray Fox (Malamphy's extended family)

Zaiden Krewson (infant friend of Conleys)

Birthdays this Week

Apr 13 – Esther Gannaway

Apr 14 – Tom Schwallenberg

Apr 19 – Scott Hughes



Anniversaries this Week

Apr 16 – David M. & Lindsey Owen

Flowers on the altar today are given
In memory of Jimi Howard's birthday by his mother, Audrey.

And

In memory of our beloved nephew, Lt. James T. Howard
by Aunt Jean and Uncle Dick

EVENTS THIS WEEK † HOLY WEEK

Mon, Apr 14	Lenten service Noon; Heavenly Bells 7pm
Tues, Apr 15	Lenten service Noon
Wed, Apr 16	Food Pantry 1-3 pm Lenten Study 10:15 am & 6:45 pm; Lenten service Noon
Thu, Apr 17	Maundy Thursday shared meal 6:00pm, service 7:00pm
Fri, Apr 18	Good Friday service Noon
Sun, Apr 20	Easter Sunday (see schedule on back page of bulletin)

Thanks, once again, to Nicole, Val, all Sunday School children and their parents and grandparents for The Easter Miracle presentation last Sunday.

Easter Bulletin Dedications - Dedications will be taken during Fellowship Time today. Order a lily or make a financial contribution to our food pantry. Lilies are \$10.

“GIVING CHANGE TO MAKE CHANGE” - Imagine No Malaria

Please drop your pocket and purse change into our jar sitting on the back console as you leave our Sanctuary this morning. We'll be collecting change for the month of April to help raise money to save lives by eradicating malaria through prevention, education, communication, and treatment. Look for more information in our April *Spire*.

Our sanctuary windows are sparkling! We thank Fran and Joe Wilmer for their generosity and for making this happen ☺



UMW Tea, May 4, 2014 – Tickets on sale today in Fellowship Hall. If you are interested in attending, be sure to get your tickets soon. They sell out fast, and they will be sold on a first-come-first-served basis.



SPOTLIGHT BEHIND THE SCENES

Thanks to Tom Schwallenberg for installing new and bigger closets in the Sacristy and to Paulette Schwallenberg for putting things in order there.

The Reverend MaAn H. Barcelo, *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 TODAY

April 13, 2014

Greeters: Jean & Dick Strucko
 Prayer Leader: Sherrie Little
 Readers: See below
 Ushers: Tammy & Jerry Lesley
 Children's Time: Neil Bergsman & Dennis
 Nursery: Christina Valentine
 Counters: Sally & Bill Malamphy
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Fellowship Time

The Choir

THOSE SERVING NEXT WEEK

April 20, 2014

Greeters: Paulette & Tom Schwallenberg
 Prayer Leader: Sherrie Little
 Reader:
 Ushers: Art & Annabelle King
 Children's Time: Jill Peddicord
 Nursery: Kathleen Liedy, Nicole Hughes
 Counters: Art & Annabelle King

Fellowship Time

Hot Cross Buns

You may contact Worship Ministry Team Leaders and Pastor MaAn
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Readers

Dennis Bergsman
 Neil Bergsman
 Eric Edstrom
 Mike Keller
 Mitch Krebs

JoAnn Kulesza
 Bill Malamphy
 Bob McWilliams
 Donna McWilliams
 Jim Wilcox

The Congregation and the Choir

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

(Chapel)

Monday – Wednesday

Noon

Holy Thursday

6:00 Shared Meal

(Fellowship Hall)

7:00 The Last Supper remembrance

(Sanctuary)

Good Friday

12 noon

(Sanctuary)

Holy Saturday

Day of Personal Prayer and Reflection

EASTER SUNDAY

Sunrise service @ Thomas Point Park

6 am (Sunrise: 6:22 am)

Worship Service with Communion

Eastport UMC on Bay Ridge Ave.

10 am

Fellowship Time and Easter Egg Hunt

11:30 am

**Invite family, friends and neighbors to join us
at any or all of these events.**

