

The Order of Worship

Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 25, 2022

The Color Is Green

8:45 A.M. SERVICE

Welcome Pastor Rick

*Worship Through Song Lisa Hardy
Ever Time I Feel the Spirit

Morning Prayer Pastor Rick

Children's Sermon Leigh Law

Gleaning for the Backpack Ministry

Gospel Lesson: Luke 16:19-31

Message: "Agony In The Fire" Pastor Rick

Offering *Let It Rain* Lisa Hardy

Announcements Pastor Rick

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Seek Ye First

Benediction Pastor Rick

**Congregation Standing*

11:00 A.M. SERVICE

Chiming of the Hour

Prelude Lisa Hardy

Call to Worship *Majesty / Great and Mighty Is The Lord Our God*

Welcome Pastor Rick

*Opening Hymn *Nothing But the Blood* Hymn No.362

*Prayer Psalm 91 UMH #810

*Doxology

***Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen***

Old Testament Reading Jeremiah 32:1-3a, 6-15 Pastor Rick

Morning Prayer & The Lord's Prayer Pastor Rick

Special Music *God of the Ages* Lynne Broome & Lisa Hardy

Children's Sermon Leigh Law

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*Hymn *I Know Whom I Have Believed* Hymn No. 714

*Benediction Pastor

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Weekly Schedule

Today

8:45AM - ARISE Worship Service
9:30AM - Coffee & Breakfast
10:00AM - Sunday School
11:00AM - Worship Service

Monday – September 26

6:00PM - Choir Practice

Tuesday – September 27

10:30AM - Uplifters Prayer Time
6:00PM - Small Group
6:00PM - Ministry Council Meeting
7:00PM - Operations Council Meeting

Wednesday – September 28

3:30PM - Holy Cow
5:30PM - Youth

Sunday – October 2 | Communion

6:00PM - Methodism 101 (4 weeks)

Thursday, October 6 | Joy Fellowship

12:00PM - In the Social Hall

Tuesday, October 11 | Methodist Men

Wednesday, October 26 | Trunk-or-Treat

Sunday, October 30 | Service Sunday

9:30AM-2:30PM - Blood Drive
4:00PM - Charge Conference
Centerville UMC

8:45AM PowerPoint

Sept. 25: Jodi Brewer
Oct. 2: Nicole Barnett
Oct. 9: Lacey Eason

Fellowship Breakfast

Sept. 25: Donya & Ron Butler
Oct. 2: Debbie & David Connell
Oct. 9: Sharon & Mike Flanagan

11AM Sound & Streaming

Sept. 25: Ash Brewer, Graham Snyder
Oct. 2: Mike Johnson, Kristin Tanner
Oct. 9: Patty Morrison, Dee Snyder

Money Counters

Sept. 25: Dave & Shirley

Know Someone Who Needs Prayer?

Meet Pastor Rick at the Frozen Bean | Tuesdays at 9:00 a.m.

Christmas Is Coming!

The adult choir will start going over Christmas music on Monday, Sept. 26 at choir practice. In October, bells will begin practicing. Lynne would like to invite everyone who is interested in being a part of the Christmas choir program to come join us in practices.

Welcome to Eastman First

- ❖ Where we treat you like family
- ❖ Where Jesus reigns supreme
- ❖ Where the Holy Spirit leads us on a spiritual pilgrimage
- ❖ Where you are invited to join us in sowing seeds for the transformation of the world.

Interested in joining Eastman First? Speak with Pastor Rick following the service or contact the church office.

In Our Prayers

Sam Barrs	Virginia Bennett
Jim Burch	Tony Burnham
Gene Cochran	Randy Coleman
Tracy Coleman	Ryan Connell
Caroline Eckles	John Eckles
Brian Elkins	Russ Elkins
Jeanette Faucette	Lewis Fowler
Vernon Frerking	Mindy M. Fulford
Julie German	Elizabeth Giddens
Tommy Greene	Pam Harden
Kim Hardin	Sandra Harrison
Si & Beverly Hardin	Phil Jessup
Spencer Jones	Tricia Jones
Fay Marcy	Dean McCranie
Peggy McCranie	Kay McDaniel
Stan McDaniel	Carolyn Miller
Randolph Page	Susan Price
Tina Ryals	Bob Snellgrove
Ron Snellgrove	Asher Stewart
Corbitt Tate	Fronice Veal
Angela Walker	Phil West
Max Willoughby	Avryonna Wolfe
Karen Woodard	Lillie Ann Yawn

The family of E. D. McCranie
The family of Bob Herrington

Council Meetings | September 27

6:00PM Ministry Council Meeting

7:00PM Operations Council Meeting

Contact the church office if you will be unable to attend.

Methodism 101

Sunday, October 2 thru Sunday, October 23, at 6:00pm

United Methodists trace our heritage back to a pair of brothers who started the Methodist movement in 1700s England. John and Charles Wesley sought to "spread Scriptural holiness over the land."

Join us to explore our Wesleyan history and beliefs.

Joy Fellowship | Thursday, October 6 at 12:00PM

Join us for lunch at our next Joy Fellowship. We will meet in the Social Hall for a time of food and fellowship. Joy Fellowship is open to all adults in the church.

Trunk or Treat | Wednesday, October 26 at 7:00PM

Join us for Trunk or Treating this year at Eastman First. In place of our regular Wednesday Night Supper, we will be feeding hotdogs to all who come to trunk or treat. In this way, we will be reaching out to our neighbors and adding to the fun, festive, atmosphere!

Volunteers and people with trunks should be set up by 6:30pm. You will have time to get something to eat before we open to the community at 7:00pm.

Here's how you can help to make this year's event great!

-- Decorate your trunk. If you plan to do so, please let Cathy know and plan to be set up at the church by 6:30pm. We will close the parking lot to cars at that time.

-- Donate candy

-- Donate Little Debbie Cakes, Capri Suns, and/or bottled water. Donations may be left at the church office during business hours or the kitchen on Sundays.

Our annual event is open to the whole community and free!

Please, tasteful costumes only.

Ways To Give

1. Drop your offering in the offering plate
2. Bring donations to the church office
3. Mail donations to P. O. Box 129, Eastman, GA 31023
4. Have automatic donations set up through your local bank
5. Donate at [PayPal.me/eastmanshelter](https://www.paypal.com/donate/?url=https://www.eastmanfirst.com)

Offering/Budget Update

Donations received toward budget last Sunday: \$2,952.00

Weekly average needed for budget: \$6,507.10

Weekly rolling average for 2022: \$4,885.

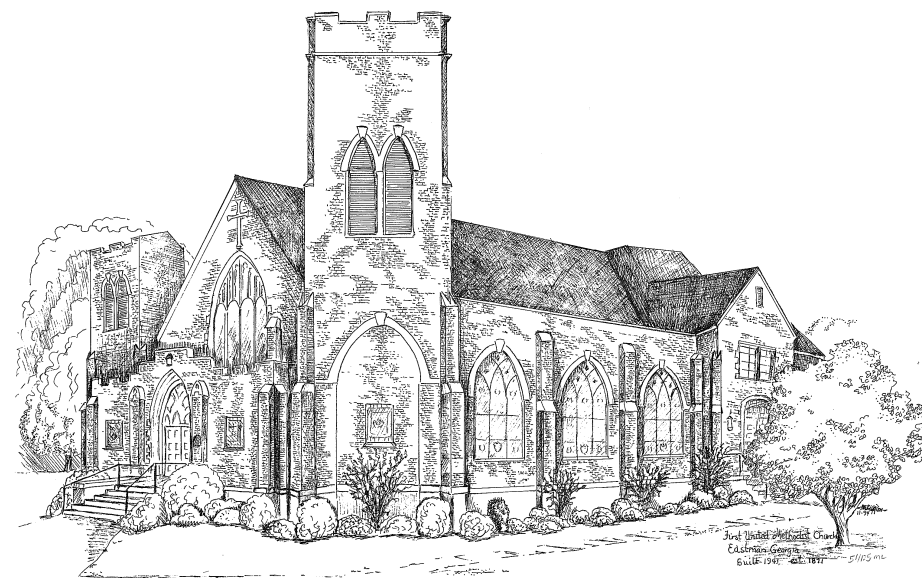


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We are to go and share the Gospel with everyone, sowing spiritual seeds.

Sowing Seeds | Making Disciples



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