

SERVICE OF DIVINE WORSHIP

25th Sunday after Pentecost
November 10, 2024
9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

*Time for quiet prayer and meditation . . .
"Be still and know that I am God."*

We Come Before God in Worship

Chiming of the Hour

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude "For the Beauty of the Earth" arr. Berry

* Call to Worship

L: Blessed be the Lord,
who daily bears us up;
God is our salvation.

**P: Our God is a God of salvation,
and to God, the Lord, belong deliverances
from death.**

(Psalm 68:19-20)

* Hymn "You Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim" No. 299

* Prayer of Confession (Unison)

**Merciful God,
you pardon all who truly repent and turn to you.
We humbly confess our sins and ask your mercy.
We have not loved you with a pure heart,
nor have we loved our neighbor as ourselves.
We have not done justice, loved kindness,
or walked humbly with you, our God.
Have mercy on us, O God, in your loving-kindness.
In your great compassion,
cleanse us from our sin;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

* Assurance of Pardon

* Gloria Patri No. 581

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning,
is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen.**

Prayer for Children
(Ages K3-1st Grade may leave for Children's Church)

**Little ones to Him belong:
Lord Jesus, bless our children. Amen.**

God Givesto Us Through HisWord

Scripture Lesson Psalm 68:1-6, 32-35

L: God shall arise, his enemies shall be scattered;
and those who hate him shall flee before him!

**P: As smoke is driven away, so you shall drive them
away;
as wax melts before fire,
so the wicked shall perish before God!**

L: But the righteous shall be glad;
they shall exult before God;
they shall be jubilant with joy!

**P: Sing to God, sing praises to his name;
lift up a song to him who rides through the
deserts;
his name is the Lord;
exult before him!**

L: Father of the fatherless and protector of widows
is God in his holy habitation.

**P: God settles the solitary in a home;
he leads out the prisoners to prosperity,
but the rebellious dwell in a parched land.**

L: O kingdoms of the earth, sing to God;
sing praises to the Lord,

**P: To him who rides in the heavens, the ancient
heavens;
behold, he sends out his voice, his mighty voice.**

L: Ascribe power to God,
whose majesty is over Israel,
and whose power is in the skies.

**P: Awesome is God from his sanctuary;
the God of Israel—he is the one who gives
power and strength to his people.
Blessed be God!**

Anthem (11:00 a.m.) "Ain't Got Time To Die" arr. Johnson
Adult Choir with Soloist, D' Andre Hicks

Scripture Lesson Luke 10:25-37

Sermon Building Faith For Everyday Life Dr. Seel
II. Community With Others

We Respond to God's Word

* Hymn "Open My Eyes, That I May See" No. 451

* Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of
heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ His only Son
our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius
Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended
into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead;
He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right
hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He
shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe
in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the
communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the
resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting.
Amen.**

Call to Prayer (11:00 a.m.) "By Our Love" arr. Scholtes
Adult Choir

Prayers of the People & Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is
in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and
forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors; and
lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the
glory, forever. Amen.**

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory "O God Beyond All Praising" arr. Page

* Doxology and Prayer of Dedication No. 606

**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.**

* Hymn "In Christ There Is No East or West" No. 318

* Charge and Benediction

* Benediction Response "Make Us Holy, Make Us Whole"

*In your love, make us whole. May we rest in your compassion.
Calm the lost, weary soul in the warmth of your love.
May your peace fill our hearts. May we know the love of Jesus
By your grace, you console. Make us holy, make us whole.*

* Postlude "Fanfare of Praise" arr. Krug

* Congregation Stands

**Please write your
request, tear off this
form, fold, and place in
the offering plate.**

PRAYER REQUESTS

The Tuesday Morning Prayer
Group meets each week at
10:00 a.m. to pray for the
EPC family and any other
special needs.

Name and date: (optional)

(These are kept confidential!)

**WELCOME TO
VISITORS**

If you are visiting today,
we would like you to know
that it is a privilege to have
you with us. It is our hope
that you will find a warm
welcome and an atmosphere
to worship God.

We would love a record of
your visit. Please fill out the
following and place in the
offering plate when passed.

Name

Address

Phone Number

Email Address

1st Time Visit

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

The flowers today in the sanctuary are given to the glory of God and in memory and in honor of all Veterans who have willingly served our country. Given by Joan and Alan Groome.

Fellowship on the Farm Meal Reservation

November 17, 5:00 pm

Hamburgers & Hotdogs with all the fixings, & Dessert

Prepared by: Peppers Catering

Family Name _____

of meals _____
(\$5 per person)

Fill out the form below, tear off and put in the offering plate.

Wonderful Wednesday Meal Reservation

November 6, 5:30 pm

Menu:

Fried Pork Chops, Mashed Potatoes, Cabbage, Salad & Dessert

Prepared by: Peppers Catering

Family Name _____

Ages 5 & up: # of meals _____
Vegetarian: # of meals _____

\$5 for ages 5 years & up
\$25 Family Cap

You may also sign up on our website:
easleypresbyterian.org

Deadline is Noon, Monday each week.

NURSERY STAFF

Valerie Brock and Katie Guthrie

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

9:00 a.m.

Samantha & Grant Hollis

11:00 a.m.

Ginna Lister

SAFE PLACE MONITOR

David Owen

NOVEMBER USHERS

9:00 a.m.

Melanie Branham, Head
Lucas Durham, Asst.

11:00 a.m.

Michael Baker, Head
Russell Patterson, Asst.

SOUND & LIGHT

Roger Kilpatrick

VIDEO

Ryan Moore

MEMBER NEWS

The hospitalizations this week were Johnny Cooper and Gene Young.

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