

SERVICE OF DIVINE WORSHIP

9th Sunday after Pentecost
August 10, 2025
9:00 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 “How Majestic Is Your Name” arr. Raney
Marianne Norris, Piano Renee Keese, Flute

* Call to Worship

L: Praise the LORD!
Praise, O servants of the LORD,
praise the name of the LORD!
P: Blessed be the name of the LORD
from this time forth and forevermore!
L: From the rising of the sun to its setting,
the name of the LORD is to be praised!
P: The LORD is high above all nations,
and his glory above the heavens!
(Psalm 113:1-4)

* Hymn “I Sing the Mighty Power of God” No. 32

* Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Holy and merciful God,
in your presence we confess our sinfulness,
our shortcomings, and our offenses again you.
You alone know how often we have sinned
in wandering from your ways,
in wasting your gifts,
in forgetting your love.
Have mercy on us, O Lord,
for we are ashamed and sorry
for all we have done to displease you.
Forgive our sins,
and help us to live in your light
and to walk in your ways,
for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Savior. 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.

Sacrament of Baptism (11:00 a.m.)

God Gives to Us Through His Word

Anthem (11:00 a.m.) “Be Still” arr. McDonald
Adult Choir

Scripture Lesson John 10:22-42

Sermon The Gospel of John Dr. Seel
XXXII. “The Song of the Shepherd”

We Respond to God’s Word

* Hymn “Jesus the Very Thought of Thee” No. 629

* Apostles’ Creed (Unison)

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.) “What Does the Lord Require of You”
Adult Choir Strathdee

Prayers of the People and the 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, for ever. Amen.

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory “Seek Ye First” arr. Raney

* 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 “The Church’s One Foundation” No. 321

* 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 “Sing and Rejoice Greatly” arr. Smith

* Congregation Stands

WELCOME TO
WORSHIP!

Please take a moment to
sign and pass the Friendship
Register in the pews. If you
are visiting and wish to learn
more about EPC, leave your
contact information. If you
are interested in becoming
a member, check ‘wish to
join’ and a pastor will be in
touch with you.

Visiting EPC?
The Connections Class
is for you!

An opportunity for those
visiting or new who want to
meet the pastor, staff, and
others or to learn more
about EPC.

The class meets from
10:00 – 10:40 am
in the church library
every second Sunday.

The Connections Class
meets today,
August 10.

PRAYER REQUEST

If you have a prayer need,
please fill out the following
and place it in the offering
plate.

Your Name

Prayer Need: _____

or you may
scan this QR
Code:



The EPC Staff and Prayer
Team will pray for your
request this week. Requests
are kept confidential.

**SANCTUARY
FLOWERS**

The flowers in worship today are given to the glory of God and in honor of the baptism of Landon James and his parents, Colton and Leslie Price. Given by Poppa and Dandi Ledbetter.

**OPEN DATES
FOR
SANCTUARY
FLOWERS**

August 24
September 7, 14
October 12, 19
November 16

Reserve a Sunday to honor a loved one by displaying a floral arrangement in the Sanctuary. Sign up on the Flower Calendar outside the church office.

**NEW
INFORMATION?**

Have you moved or have a new home phone, cell phone or new email address? Do you have any changes in your family's information?

To help us keep the church's records current, please call us at (864)859-4220 or you may email Dicie@easleypresbyterian.org.

NURSERY STAFF

Valerie Brock & Ella Grace Respass

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

9:00 a.m. **11:00 a.m.**

 Ginna Lister Samantha Hollis

SAFE PLACE MONITORS

Britt Burnett and James Reynolds

AUGUST USHERS

9:00 a.m. **11:00 a.m.**

Marian Dawkins, Head Grant Hollis, Head
Larry Keese, Asst. Larry Keese, Asst.

SOUND & LIGHT **VIDEO**

 Roger Kilpatrick Phil Lyles

MEMBER NEWS

The Sacrament of Baptism is being administered today to Landon James Price, at the 11:00 a.m. service. Landon is the son of Colton and Leslie Price, and the grandson of Joel and Candice Ledbetter.

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Carolyn Brice	Nick Caldwell	Julie Bishop
Barry Brock	Tammy Darity	Phil Darity
Meg Jewell	Phil Lyles	Eric Goodwin
Kelvin Kearse	Chris Robinson	Kathy Lyles
Dan Nunnery	David Weaver	Al Robinson
Monty Oxendine	Jennifer Willis	Scott Wilbanks

Diaconate

Class of 2025	Class of 2026	Class of 2027
Michael Baker	Garrett Charles	Mary Crittendon
Lori Brock	Marian Dawkins	Anna Goodwin
Eric Dillon	Lucas Durham	Joanna Griesse
Candice Ledbetter	Russell Patterson	Grant Hollis
Annie Rossley	Elizabeth Weaver	Larry Keese
Brad Wilson	Melissa Wilbanks	Erica Van Wagner

Trustees

Dottie Grantham	Dexter Rogers	David Whittemore
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