



Eastminster Messenger

Heads, Hearts & Hands for Christ in Service & Celebration

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Hi friends,
I feel the need to explain. Having a giant, hand-made X-wing in the office will do that to you, I guess. I enjoy several of the Star Wars movies, quite a bit. How many are there now? Now, I wouldn't go so far as to call myself a Star Wars fanatic. So, with that spacecraft far exceeding the size of any cross in my office, I feel the need to explain.

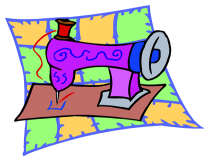
Camp Burnamwood is a beautiful Presbyterian camp in Eastern Kentucky. Rolling foothills that could make your soul soar and a holy playfulness that seems wonderfully present every time folks go out there. Several years back, a friend invited me to go out there as chaplain for a 3-5th grade Star Wars summer camp. Next thing I knew, this giant X-wing that he built was flying. With the assistance of some fishing line, that humble craft flew to the top of the dining hall across a great, simple recreation field. Flying, accompanied with a college student, music education major, playing the theme from Star Wars on the trumpet.

Moving this way, I was instructed by my friend to take the X-wing with me and to share stories of camp. Still lots of wonder in how my friend got that ship to fly. It did take several attempts. So many stories of the wonder of God in the Bible that we were blessed to tell and live into. What a blessing it is to grow in wonder!

So, how might we further join and share in the wonder of God? What stories are you gathering this week?

Hope to see you in the office, in the sanctuary, at your home, or out in the community sometime soon. Stop by, call, or let's join for a meal, or a walk. Looking forward to hearing more of your stories, and sharing more in the wonder of God, together.

Joy and courage, Ryan



EPW GATHERING

Wednesday, September 7 at NOON
In Fellowship Hall

All women are invited to join us for lunch at the next EPW Gathering where our the EPC Quilters will be our guests and will explain the quilting process. If you have made a quilt or have a family quilt that you would like to display, please bring it with you. Please contact the office or see a member of EPW to make your reservation. We would love to have you!



*The Bronstein Foundation Generously
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Program

**First Hand Experiences in
the Solomon Islands**

1943/4 with TBF Avenger/ Torpedo Bomber

Speaker

Richard Kolodey

Lunch, Learn & Share

11:00 AM, Thursday, September 1st

at the

Evansville Wartime Museum

7503 Petersburg Rd, Evansville, IN 47725

Reservations are required by Friday, August 26

email: jenniferbrowning85@yahoo.com

or txt 812-454-3541

Upcoming Evansville Wartime Museum Events

Sep 15-General Jim Bauerle "Kuwait Operations"

Oct 6 - Lisa Muller "Testimonials of German War Prisoners"

Oct 20 - David Steele "First Hand Experience of 9/11 at the Pentagon"

Blood Drive

Thursday, September 22, 2022

1 PM to 7 PM

Fellowship Hall

Please consider a Power Red donation of

Type O, A-, or B-

To schedule an appointment, please visit

RedCrossBlood.org and enter sponsor code:

Eastminster PC

Or call 800-RED-CROSS



Together, we can save a life



Fall Kick-Off Sunday September 11th!

Our Schedule for Fall Kick-Off!

It is hard to believe it is almost time to begin a new year of study of God's Word. We have a fantastic year of educational programs lined up for all ages of our church family.

We will kick off our new year of study with a COMBINED OPENING ASSEMBLY for everyone at 9 a.m., in the sanctuary where we will:

- introduce our Sunday School staff,
- promote our children,
- present Bibles to third graders,
- close with prayer and immediately move to our classrooms.

In our Sunday School Classrooms:

- donuts, juice and/or coffee will be served,
- our Sunday School classes begin their courses of study,
- there will be plenty of chairs for new members in each of our classrooms!

MEN'S BREAKFAST

Saturday, September 3
All men are invited and
welcome to attend



MOVIE NIGHT

Tuesday, September 6
7PM
at Showplace East



The Christian Education Committee is pleased to present to K-5th grades:

Bible Olympics

Children are encouraged to attend a day of fun, learning and fellowship on Saturday, September 17th from 9-2. We will have a host of games to play and medals will be awarded. Snacks will also be provided.

Please register your child(ren) and drop form off in the offering plate or contact the church office.

2022 BIBLE OLYMPICS

Child's Name: _____

Child's Age: ____ Child's grade: ____

Parent: _____

Parent phone: _____

Parent email: _____

Beloved, let us love one



another: for love is of God.
1 John 4:7

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