



Eastminster Messenger

Heads, Hearts & Hands for Christ in Service & Celebration

Volume 38, Issue 33

October 11, 2022



Hey friends!

What hopes do you have for this current season?

I know that I am not alone in my hope that this fall season will run deep in 2022. Now with this next hope I realize that I may be quite alone. I am hoping that my hometown Astros make another deep run in the playoffs. Growing up going to the Astrodome, I'd arrive early with my Dad with our \$4 bleacher seat tickets in hand. Those childhood memories through all kinds of seasons, good and disappointing ones, solidified a ridiculous and fun bond with that team.

I trust that this is a season that we all have much deeper hopes too. Hopes that our life and faith in Christ will grow, flourish, and go much deeper. Hope that our involvement and relationships with neighbors in the city and across the area can go much deeper. Deeper hope of getting involved in choir, adult Sunday school classes, and one of our many fellowship groups. I give thanks for the continued great offering of adult Sunday school by Jim Van Cleave. If you haven't joined an adult Sunday school class yet, I hope that you will join Jim's or the one that I am blessed to teach with Dan Irmischer. In that class, we've just begun a deeper study of the letter to the Ephesians. With its beautiful language amidst a very divisive time, Ephesians offers great inspiration through its poetic language, theological depths, and calls to faithful action in Christ. Friend, hope this week will be a spark to going deeper, a way of deeper faith following Jesus into the world. I give thanks to God for the curiosity, conversation, and community you share in Christ. Keep going, following Jesus, and seeking the shalom of the city. The community is better with you in it.

Joy and courage, Ryan

PRAYER CONCERNS



Prayer Requests

Please pray for the following:
Tid Turner, Jane Williams, Walt Lowe, Ann Meyers, David Holder, Shirley Vanlandingham, Ashly Steckel, Jack Garcia, Jesse Garcia, Lee & Karen Miller, and the people of Ukraine.

If you have a prayer request or wish to be removed from the list, please contact Leslie Webb at epcprayers@gmail.com or call the church office.

EPW CHEESEBALL FUNDRAISER

Beginning October 2, EPW will take orders for Cheeseballs. You will be able to purchase them on each Sunday from October 2 through October 23rd. Just meet a member of EPW at the table located in the Narthex on those Sundays or fill out the form below and include your payment, drop in the offering plate or mail to the church.

Four varieties will be offered: Classical, Western, Mexican, & Chocoholic. The cost is \$10.00 for each cheeseball. **PAYMENT MUST ACCOMPANY ORDER. No orders will be placed without payment.** Make checks payable to EASTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN.

Last call to order is Wednesday, October 26th. Cheeseball pickup will be Sunday, November 13th. You won't want to miss out on these creamy, delicious cheeseballs -- just in time for the holidays!

Questions?: Please contact Beth Bailey by call or text at 812-841-5932 or by email at bethmarew@yahoo.com.



EPW Cheeseball Fundraiser

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Classical _____ Western _____ Mexican _____

Chocoholic _____ (all have nuts)

Total # of cheeseballs _____

Total Amount Due: _____

Cash _____ Check Number _____

(Cheeseballs are \$10.00 each)



The next Lunch & Learn program for the Evansville Wartime Museum will be held on Thursday, October 20th at 11 am. The guest speaker will be David Steele who will present 9/11 at the Pentagon.

Reservations are required by Friday, October 14 by emailing Jennifer Browning at jenniferbrowning85@yahoo.com or txt 812-454-3541.



Welcome Home Our Heroes

Have you ever wanted to say, "Thank you for my freedom!" Here is your chance! We need your help to gather others & come give our Veterans a Welcome Home they'll never forget!

SATURDAY, OCT 29th

EVANSVILLE REGIONAL AIRPORT

Plane arrives approx. 8:15 PM CST

Parade will start approx. 8:45 PM CST

***Bring your American Flags, Signs,
Banners and as many people as you can!***

Buses will transport guests from Anchor beginning at 6:45 PM CST

Parking in Airport lot will be reserved for Veterans, Guardians, Airport Customers & those with parking permits only!

Most of these Heroes never received a homecoming. YOU get to change that! We hope to see you there!

Coming Home Potluck

Sunday, October 23 immediately after worship

Delicious soup, sandwiches, sides, and great company.

Whether you're new, active with church, or been away for a while, come and share the joy of coming home.

You're invited to bring either soup, sandwiches, or a side to share.

If you are unable to bring a dish – no problem - be sure to still join us!

RSVP requested. Use the sign-up sheet in the narthex or call the church office.



See you there!



Community Group

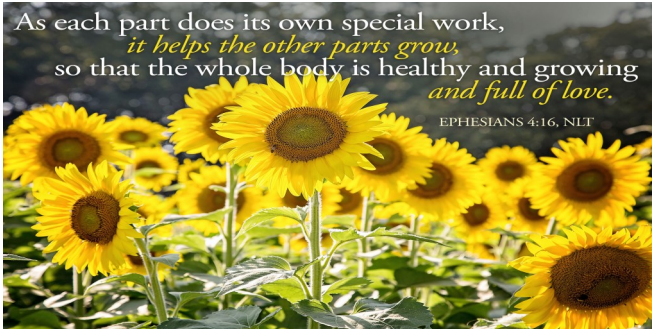
Friday, October 21 at 6:30pm

Exploring faith, making new friends, serving together in the community.

Whether you're new to church or looking to get more involved, you're invited to join for dinner out! Restaurant will be announced Sunday, October 16.

RSVP requested by Monday, October 17. Just call the church office.

Hope you are joining!



EASTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
5501 Washington Avenue
Evansville, IN 47715



Eastminster Staff

Ryan Bradney - Pastor

Mike Cantrell - Handyman

Mary Fulkerson - Office Manager

Trey Fulkerson - Youth/Pastoral Assist.

Alanna Keenan - Director of Music

Anslee LaChance - Nursery Worker

Marian LaChance - Housekeeper

Ryan Luttrull - Organist

Church Communication Lines

Phone#: 476-3355/Fax: 476-8755

Web: eastminsterchurch.com

Email: epc5501@gmail.com

Sound Engineer: Ron Harper

Videographer: Jack Garcia

Social Media Admin: Tony McClees
tmcclees@illinois.edu

Digital Sign Admin: Jenny Kuhs
Jennifer_ann_09@yahoo.com

Prayer Chain Captain: Leslie Webb or at
epcprayers@gmail.com