



Eastminster Messenger

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Hey friends,

It brought a smile to my face - seeing a whole bunch of Presbyterians gathered around tables, telling stories, sharing food, and lifting up hopes for mission. Community Group got off to a wonderful start in September, and I am thankful that it is just one of many new beginnings that God is bringing through Eastminster. It is encouraging also to see so many folks, including new friends and neighbors, becoming more active in Sunday morning worship! I am thankful for the strong music ministry, growing welcome, engaging kids, youth and adult Sunday school ministries, and the many other ways you are continuing to rekindle a life of wonder in worshipping God and following Christ into the world. Keep receiving grace and going forth in the Spirit!

I'm looking forward to discovering new beginnings, growing in new and renewed community in Christ, and deepening further in message and rhythms of God's grace. So thankful to continue in this journey with you and to be get out more and more for visits and community activities. Always glad to meet, talk, walk, or work together with you. Hope to see you soon!

Joy and courage, Ryan

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! We will have plenty of food.

RSVP requested. Use the sign-up sheet in the narthex or call the church office.
See you there!



Flowers by Ziedler's

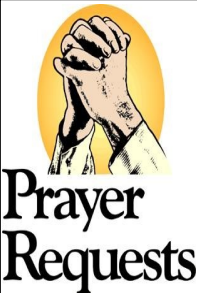
Would you like to donate flowers for a church service? Maybe in memory or honor of someone? You can purchase flowers for a Birthday, Just Because, Anniversary or any occasion by going to ziedlers.com. You have the control of selecting a single rose or a more elaborate arrangement. Once you find something, you contact Beth Bailey at 812-841-5932 and give her your selection and the Sunday you would like your arrangement(s). Beth will contact Ziedler's and arrange the piece(s) you are requesting, get you a price and make sure they are delivered on your Sunday.



PRAYER CONCERNS

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, Jo Chaddock, Max Doerter, 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.



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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)

We all have a money story, whether we recognize it or not. Perhaps we are living from a story of fear or shame. Or a story that the church is dying and no longer relevant. Or a story that our actions won't have an impact. Or a story that we don't have enough.



Where might God be speaking a new narrative into the limited ones we have told ourselves?

This year we will again be using "Our Money Story" to kick off and promote our Stewardship program for 2023. We will be invited to discover and tell our money stories in light of God's money story of liberation and justice. This year we will be challenged to transform our stewardship practices into more full expressions of who we are and what we believe. We will be invited to

remember, release, reimagine and restore our money stories so that we can write the one God is begging us to live.

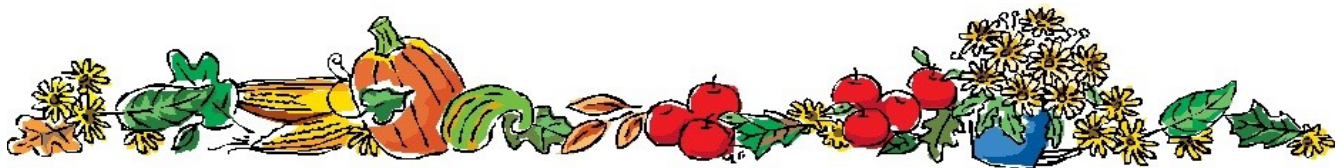
You are invited and encouraged to take the Stewardship Study Journal (see Mel after Church) to begin your Money Story for 2023. We will have upcoming messages in Worship by those who can testify to the practice of the giving of Time, Talents and Money.

Mark your calendar now for our Stewardship Dinner that will be held on Saturday, November 19 at 6:00 p.m. RSVP by calling the church at 812-476-3355 or emailing the church at epc5501@gmail.com.

Blessings,
Your Stewardship Committee



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