



# Eastminster Messenger

Heads, Hearts & Hands for Christ in Service & Celebration

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*"Heaven is revealed to earth as the homeland of music"*  
--- Christina Rossetti

This weekend we are blessed to enjoy a wonderful music event. Incredible musicians, Ryan Luttrull playing horn and Melanie Baker playing piano, will perform a recital on Sunday August 25 at 4pm in the sanctuary! The event is free and open to everyone. Let's have an excellent turnout, Eastminster, and be sure to invite friends and neighbors too. Music is healing and a gift from God.

I look forward to the blessings to be shared in praising God in worship Sunday as Trey will be preaching. God is good! Sunday September 1, we'll resume the series on Ezra-Nehemiah, and kickoff Sunday for the Sunday School classes and choir will be the next Sunday (Sept. 8). So many growing opportunities and many more blessings of active life of faith await.

May God strengthen you in honest prayer, a growing heart for koinonia, authentic worship, and lives in grace-driven service of Christ everywhere He leads us.

We pray blessings of celebration and flourishing with our sisters and brothers at First Presbyterian Church Evansville and their newly called minister, MaryBeth McCandless!

Hearts, life, and faith are so much fuller when we can celebrate the joy and blessings all around. With God, there is truly so much to celebrate!

Let us worship God!  
Grace and courage,  
Ryan



## Prayer Requests

**Please pray for the following:**

Jane Williams, Ann Meyers,  
Barbara Moran, Tatum Turpin,  
Sandra Hess, Beth Bailey,  
Sharon Glover, Keith Adcock,  
Maria Keller, Dan Keenan, Dorothy Cantrell, Ron Sproatt, Carol Palmer, Dion & Linda, Vickie Rauch, the Doerter and Chaddock families.

If you have a prayer request or wish to be removed from the list, please contact or call the church office.



**Join us on Sunday,  
September 22, at 5p.m.  
on the front lawn at Eastminster  
Presbyterian Church**





# FALL KICKOFF

Sunday, September 8  
9AM in the Sanctuary

We will begin our morning with a 10 minute COMBINED OPENING ASSEMBLY for everyone at 9 a.m. (*SHARP!*) 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!

## BLOOD DRIVE RECAP

### Hurray for Eastminster!!

Twenty-five donors turned out for our blood drive that was held on Thursday, August 15. We had a total of 19 who were able to donate! Thank you to those who worked the desk, gave blood or helped with setup/breakdown.



Our next drive will be held on Thursday, November 14. Mark your calendars now!



### Family Game Night



Friday,  
August 23,  
6 PM

Join us for a fun night of *Clue*,  
*Yahtzee*,  
Trivial Pursuit, Bible Trivia,  
and more.  
Plus Snacks!

## RECITAL

August 25  
4 PM

Ryan Luttrull, horn  
Melanie Baker, piano



Come and enjoy works by Margaret Brouwer, James Beckel, Albert Lortzing, and more!  
Free and open to the public.

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