



# Eastminster Messenger

Heads, Hearts & Hands for Christ in Service & Celebration

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-to be mentored and to be a mentor  
-to actively welcome God's blessings into our hearts and share them fully in our home, neighborhoods, and the way we live.

Who have you seen encourage and create safety like Elizabeth?

Who is God calling you to be an Elizabeth to? Thank you, Eastminster, for the many ways you share in heartfelt faith, as a genuinely welcoming community, and by actively following Jesus in the world. Ordinary people who are called to participate in that which is extraordinary!

Sunday December 15                      Luke 14:7-24

Sunday December 22                      Luke 1:39-55

Tuesday December 24 at 7pm  
Christmas Eve Candlelight Communion Service

Sunday December 29  
Trey Fulkerson, preaching

May each service in this season deepen your mind, your heart, and your hands in the amazing grace and living hope of God. Let us worship God!

Grace and courage, Ryan

*“Mary is who we are. She is a person of faith who does not always understand but who seeks to put her trust in God. She is one who is blessed not because she sins less or has keener insights into the things of God. She is instead blessed, as we are, because she is called by God to participate in the work of God. . . . To call Mary blessed is to recognize the blessedness of ordinary people who are called to participate in that which is extraordinary”*—Beverly Roberts Gaventa and Cynthia Rigby  
*Blessed One: Protestant Perspectives on Mary*

It is a blessing to continue in the season of Advent with you!

This season graces us with additional opportunities to practice faith like Mary's dear older cousin Elizabeth (Luke 1:39-55):

-to welcome the heartfelt work of deepening a relationship in encouragement and genuine quality time





## Christmas Luncheon

The Eastminster Presbyterian Ladies met at Oak Meadow Country Club on December 4 for the Christmas Luncheon. Twenty one ladies attended. Following lunch the ladies packaged cookies to be delivered to our Friends-at-Home!



One of our church members needs to be in Indianapolis on Friday, December 20th for a much needed surgery. She is in need of a ride to the hospital and back. If you can help by giving a ride, please contact the church for more information. Thank you!

## Advent Luncheon



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