

2nd Sunday after Epiphany

"I myself have seen and testify that this is the Son of God." John 1:34

GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

PRELUDE

Flute/ Harp Melodies
Angie Bemiss, Harp, Anne Adams, Flute

CHIMING of the HOUR

*HYMN of PRAISE #469

"Morning Has Broken"

BUNESSAN

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Dr. Tim Rogers-Martin

*PRAYER of CONFESSION

Rev. Kristy Ray

Almighty God, we confess we have mixed thoughts and desires. We came to the manger to worship Your Son, yet we've gone on with life as usual. We packed our experiences of Christ's birth, and we prepare to store them with the tinsel, lights, and trappings of a holiday past. Lord, grant us a faith which goes the distance— a faith which can't be put aside. Grant us a faith that starts at the manger, journeys to the cross, jumps for joy at an empty tomb, and goes out in the world proclaiming the Good News of Jesus Christ. May we live this year doing your will, spreading Your Word, and walking in Your ways rather than our own. In Jesus' name, Amen. *(Silence for individual confession)*

*ASSURANCE of PARDON

Leader: Friends, believe the Good News.

People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

*RESPONSE of ADORATION

"My Faith Looks Up to Thee"

OLIVET

While life's dark maze I tread,
and griefs around me spread,
Be Thou my guide;
bid darkness turn to day,
Wipe sorrow's tears away,
nor let me ever stray from Thee aside.

Time with Younger Church

Rev. Kristy Ray

(Following the Children's Message all children are invited to Kids Connect. The children may be picked up in the south end of the Christian Ministry Center after the worship service.)

MINUTE for MINISTRY

STEPHEN MINISTRY

PRESENTATION of TITHES & OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

"If You Search With All Your Heart"

Chancel Choir, Teresa Fleenor, Piano

Courtney

*DOXOLOGY #593

AVERY AND MARSH

"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below;

Praise God above, ye heavenly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen.

* PRAYER of DEDICATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON:

John 1:35-46

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON:

Rev. Dr. Tim Rogers-Martin

"Come and See"

RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*HYMN of RESPONSE #324

OPEN MY EYES

"Open My Eyes That I May See"

*UNISON AFFIRMATION of FAITH

BARMEN DECLARATION

The Christian Church is the congregation of the brethren in which Jesus Christ acts presently as the Lord in Word and Sacrament through the Holy Spirit. As the church of pardoned sinners, it has to testify in the midst of a sinful world, with its faith as with its obedience, with its message as with its order, that it is solely his property, and that it lives and wants to live solely from his comfort and from his direction in the expectation of his appearance.

PRAYERS of the PEOPLE

MUSIC MINISTRY

"Softly and Tenderly/ Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"

Natalie Harris, Soloist, Teresa Fleenor, Piano

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

GO IN GOD'S NAME

*HYMN of DISCIPLESHIP #387

BRADBURY

"Savior, Like A Shepherd Lead Us"

*BENEDICTION

Persons are available to pray with you after service in the Chapel which is located behind the Sanctuary cross.

Joining Weekend January 20/21st— You are invited to become a member of Eastminster Presbyterian Church at the conclusion of worship on the 21st.

If you are interested please let Pastor Tim know.

*POSTLUDE

Fantasia on "Forest Green"

Smith

*Please stand if able

Next week with Rev. Dr. Tim Rogers-Martin

Sermon: "Courage: Enduring Sorrow and Pain, Experiencing Joy"

Scripture: John 16:29-33

EASTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN

JOHN in JANUARY

Dinner and teaching

WEDNESDAY
Jan 17, 24, 31
5:45 PM
Fellowship Hall

This week we will look at miracles in the
Gospel of John with Leader Robert
McBride, music minister

Tim's Tidings

How do you stay healthy?

We learn in Acts 2:42-47 that the early church gained health and strength from meeting and eating together "with glad and generous hearts." God creates us to enjoy life together in community!



I was inspired this week by the great group of believers who ate together and engaged in the Pastors' Bible Study, "John in January." I invite you to "come and see" this Wednesday.

At 5:45 p.m. on the next three Wednesdays all are invited to come to Fellowship Hall in Eastminster's Christian Ministry Center for dinner, fellowship and to learn more about the Gospel of John. Dinner is by donation and is delicious. The study this week will unlock the seven "signs" in John that have drawn believers closer to God in Jesus. Our Minister of Music, Robert McBride, a true Renaissance Man, will be leading this week's teaching time. It is sure to be enlightening! Childcare will be provided and the event will end by 7 p.m.

This weekend we continue the worship series on John looking at how word of Jesus spread as Jesus started his ministry. It seems that as people came into contact with Jesus, they were enriched. He focused on them. He looked for their best interests. He hears the words of their mouth but also knows the concerns of their heart. Jesus leads them deeper into relationship with God, others and the world.

Some things never change. The church today grows as people open their eyes, ears and hearts to see what God is up to in the world, and commit to let God lead them. They pray for God's will to be done in their lives. They reach out to others saying "come and see" inviting them into Christian community.

Even as word about Jesus spread quickly from friend and relative and acquaintance in Jesus' day, it does so today. Surveys show that fully 75% of those who engage in Christian communities do so at the invitation of a Friend, Neighbor, Relative, or Acquaintance (FRAN).

As you gain benefit from the worship, ministries and missions of the church, God will work through you naturally "as you are going" through life healthier and more in tune with the Spirit. It's great what happens when we gather in God's name and gain spiritual health and wholeness. I look forward to seeing you, and perhaps a friend or two, in church this weekend ... and on Wednesday! May God bring life and health to Eastminster's body!

Blessings,



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God does answer prayer!

Persons are available to pray with you after service in the Chapel which is located behind the Sanctuary cross. Also, if you wish prayer for a situation in your life, you may place a Prayer Request Form from the pew rack into the offering plate. Prayer Request Forms are also available on www.epcfl.org/prayer-request or contact one of the pastors listed below.

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EASTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



John 1:35-46

"Come and See"

*"Eastminster joyously ministers
as a vital, growing congregation
of passionate followers of Jesus
extending our reach as a missional church
to transform our greater community."*

January 14, 2018

10:00 a.m. Service

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