

## 20<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost

*"The eye is the lamp of the body. So, if your eye is healthy, your whole body will be full of light; Matthew 6:22*

### GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

PRELUDE Simple Gifts/Americana  
"Fantasy on Royal Oak / Simple Gifts  
English Melody/Americana"

### CHIMING of the HOUR

\*HYMN of PRAISE #267 Royal Oak  
"All Things Bright and Beautiful"

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Dr. Tim Rogers-Martin

\*PRAYER of CONFESSION Katie Schook  
(Written by the Confirmation Class)

Dear God, help the lamp within us shine brightly for it has become dimmed in the darkness within us. Forgive us for doubting Your presence and for being jealous of one another. For we are Your children still learning how to deal with the pain and losses in the world. Help us God to understand that we can get out of the darkest parts of the world. Let our views not be corrupted by it of a place, of people, or of ourselves. Help us to see the right way to be a Christian and how to see the other person. Surround us with Your everlasting light... *(Silence for individual confession)*

\*ASSURANCE of PARDON Carly Hemmer  
Leader: The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting.  
People: As we humble ourselves, God forgives our sins and restores right relationships.  
All: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven, Amen.

\*RESPONSE of ADORATION

*"Lean On Me"*

Lean on me, when you're not strong,  
And I'll be your friend, I'll help you carry on.  
For it won't be long 'Til I'm gonna need somebody to lean on.

### GOD'S WORD

MOMENT for STEWARDSHIP

Dinah Smith, Sarah and Evy Van Driel, and Barbara Ray

PRESENTATION of TITHES & OFFERINGS Gabriel Uebele  
*(The wicker basket is for the additional 2 cents/meal offering.)*

OFFERTORY Miller  
"Lead Me to the Cross"  
Youth Worship Arts, Teresa Fleenor, Piano, Trevor Garvey and Anthony Mobley, guitar

\*DOXOLOGY #592 OLD HUNDREDTH  
"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

\* PRAYER of DEDICATION Julianna Schook

SKIT for REFLECTION Power and Light Youth  
Time with Younger Church Children's Music  
"Thy Word"

*(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.)*

SCRIPTURE LESSON: Exodus 13

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON: Rev. Dr. Tim Rogers-Martin  
*"Light For God's Family"*

### RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

\*HYMN of RESPONSE # 339 Slane  
"Be Thou My Vision"

\*UNISON AFFIRMATION of FAITH Jenna Reed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS of the PEOPLE Elijah Martinez & David Larson

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 #143  
"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!"

\*BENEDICTION Conner Reed & Rev. Dr Tim Rogers-Martin  
*Persons are available to pray with you after service in the Chapel which is located behind the Sanctuary cross.*

\*POSTLUDE Hyfrydol  
"Hyfrydol"  
Teresa Fleenor, organ

\*Please stand if able

### CHANCEL FLOWERS

The flowers this morning are given by Joyce and Dave Wilfong to the Glory of God and in celebration of our 55<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary.

Special Thanks: Our worship is enriched by the leadership of our children and youth participation.

Youth Group members participating this weekend: Noah, Jenna, Conner, Vinny, Nic, Ariel, Jordan, Rachel, Evan, Gabriel, Carly, Catey, Nate, Darica, Elijah, Laine, Julianna, Katie, David, Alex, and Justin.

Children's Music: Kennedy, Marcello, Valentina, Evy, Lily, Henry

Next week with Rev. Dr. Tim Rogers-Martin  
Sermon Series: "You are the Light of the World"  
Sermon: "Light From the Past"  
Scripture: Romans 5:1-12

Dear Members and Friends,

Thank you for “letting your light shine” in giving and in ministry in 2017. Amidst the storms and stresses this year, Eastminster Presbyterian Church is holding its own financially due to your generosity and the prudence of excellent volunteers and staff. For three years our Finance Committee and leadership have done an outstanding job of reducing expenses, while investing in the future. As a result, we have gone from borrowing \$256,000 from reserves in 2014 to borrowing \$37,530 in 2015 to \$20,777 in 2016. With continued generosity, our goal of replenishing the reserves by 1% of contributions, while funding ministry objectives and mission obligations in 2017 is in sight. This is incredible... praise God for Eastminster’s faith, generosity and resilience... and thank you for the part you are playing in Eastminster’s turnaround!



Yet, make no mistake; we have a long way to go. Your Stewardship Team, Spiritual Formation Team, Finance Committee and Session want you to be informed and discerning as we prepare to consecrate Estimates of Giving for 2018. Therefore, we will enter a season of worship, study, witness and prayer leading up to Consecration Weekend on November 11-12. In the coming 3 weeks you will receive a letter detailing our financial position and goals. You will also receive a brochure setting a vision for ministry and mission in 2018 which is consistent with our long-range plan, “Vision 2025.” Enclosed in the brochure will be an “Estimate of Giving Card,” which is a prayerful good faith estimate of your giving to God through Eastminster for the coming year. **Completions of Estimates of Giving enable our leaders to plan prudently.** Please prayerfully read the forthcoming materials.

As we are pursuing financial health, we are deepening spiritually and growing in mission and ministry. The next four weekends of worship will include “Minutes for Stewardship” where Eastminster members will explain their connection to ministry along four main “Drivers of Growth:”

1. Make necessary changes to attract families with children and youth to our church.
2. Develop and implement a comprehensive strategy to reach new people and incorporate them into the life of the church.
3. Provide more opportunities for Christian Education and spiritual formation at every age and stage of life.
4. Work to renew and revitalize the community around the church by building coalitions with partners that share this vision and commitment.

Three “Soup for the Soul” events will be held at 5:45 p.m. on Wednesday nights October 25, November 8 and November 15. At these events a Soup and Salad Supper will be provided along with inspiring stories and times to deepen our relationships as a church. Please come and invite friends.

Finally, there will be a **24-Hour Prayer Vigil** during Consecration Weekend, November 11-12 leading up to an **All-Church Celebration Luncheon on November 12** following morning worship. Jesus tells us, “You are the Light of the World” (Matthew 5:14). Without financial support Eastminster ministry and mission can’t function effectively. Together, may we strengthen our capacity to shine God’s light in the church, community and world!

Blessings,

Eastminster Stewardship Team: Craig and Jill McCall, chairs, Bill McCaslin, Scott and Becky Messell, Susan Wailes, Michelle Toms, Tim Rogers-Martin



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Presbyterian or visit <http://bit.ly/2stJyLq>.

Pastor Tim can be contacted at [timnape@gmail.com](mailto:timnape@gmail.com)

*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](http://www.epcfl.org/prayer-request) or contact one of the pastors listed below.

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#### **Class of 2018**

Jim Earp Elder Elect  
Nancy Fowler  
Jill Hoffman  
Jim Morris

Finance  
Worship/Music  
Children/Youth  
Facilities

#### **Class of 2019**

Bryan Becker  
Ed Bowers  
Linda Jasperse  
Melissa Ketterman

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Nominating  
Outreach  
Clerk

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#### **YOUR STAFF**

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## EASTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



*Exodus 13*

*“Light for God’s Family”*

*“You Are The Light Of The World Series”*

*“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.”*

**October 22, 2017**

10:00 a.m. Service

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