

Eastminster Presbyterian Church

Jubilee Contemporary Worship

Sunday, March 29, 2026 11:15 am

Gathering Music

Video Announcements

The People Are Called to Worship

*Opening Song

Scandal of Grace

Crocker/Houston

*Gathering Prayer

Rev. Emily Mooneyhan

*Passing of the Peace

*Song of Praise

Give Us Clean Hands

Charlie Hall

(After the song, 3:-5K children may be dismissed to Children's Church)

Scripture Lessons

Unison Reading: John 1:1-5; 10-14

Scripture Focus: John 12:12-15; 17-28; 35-36

Sermon

“Winning by Losing”

Dr. Brad Smith

*We Affirm Our Faith

Rev. Rob Schoonover

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Offering & Time of Reflection with Song

Lead Me, Guide Me

Offering Prayer

Doris Mae Akers

Harriet Kneece

*Sending Song—All are invited to sing

How He Loves

John Mark McMillan

*Charge and Benediction

*Let us rise together in body, or in Spirit, as you are able

TODAY AT THE 9:00 AM SERVICE WE RECOGNIZE OUR SECOND GRADERS who completed Worship Discovery: Carter Nash Barnes, Anderson Bullard, Andrew Wooten Clawson, Mary Grier DiBiase, Sutton DiMarco, Graham Earhardt, McLain Earhardt, *Lily Blair Frazier, Audrey Elizabeth Gaston, *Frederick Gray Griffin, Wells Davis Hardin, James Jennings, William Barmore Jones, *Julia Marshall Laval, Sullivan Lawson, Winston Lawson, William Paul Leighton, *Elliott Lindsay, *Joseph Perry Major, *Madelyn McWilliams, Marion Richard Mimms, Winifred Joanna Mims, *Emery Elizabeth Mitchell, Stephen Wells Moffat, Marion Moses, *Jeffrey Paul Muthig, Jackson Martin Reabold, John Taylor Scott, *Charles Clayton Sharpe, Sarah Elizabeth Sharpe, Margot Spitz, William Porter Stoddard, *Morgan Stuart

WELCOME TO EASTMINSTER

We are delighted that you have chosen to celebrate this Lord's Day with us, and we hope that in a real and meaningful way you will sense God's presence, power, and purpose among us.

Deacons serving in Worship today:
Josh Livingston and Matt Riddle

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WELCOME TO EASTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN

For detailed information and to register for the below programs and events, visit our website <https://eastminsterpres.org/>.

Help Decorate Eastminster for Easter: by dedicating an Easter Lily in memory or honor of a loved one. Pick up a form today in our welcome areas, or visit Upcoming Events to dedicate online. Dedications are due to Julie McDaniel Wednesday, April 1st.

Healthy Grief Taskforce Surveys are due back to Dr. Carol Byrd Today: Thank you to all who participated so our Care Team can provide healthy healing resources and pastoral assistance for those in our congregation who have lost a loved one.

EPC Egg Scramble Today: for families with babies - 5K. Join us at 4 p.m. in the Courtyard. There will be 2,500 eggs, refreshments, crafts, a reading of the Easter story, and a special appearance by the Easter Bunny! !

Our Elementary Spring Celebration: is also today from 5-6:30 p.m. for 1st-5th Graders. Join us in the CLC Gym for pizza, crafts, inflatables, and more!

Holy Rest: A Contemplative Retreat May 1-4 at Montreat. Join us for this time away to rest and recharge, drawing near to God in the awe-inspiring natural beauty of the Blue Ridge. All adults are invited to join us. Register by April 13th.

Help Decorate the Flower Cross on Easter Sunday: Please bring flowers to the Courtyard during our time of fellowship at 9:45 a.m.

Join us for Confirmation Sunday on April 12th: as we recognize and celebrate our 2026 Confirmands at 11:15 a.m. Sanctuary worship.

WE@EPC Three-week Classes and Meals in April (5:15 p.m.): Meals and evening classes resume April 15th, 22nd & 29th. Classes in-

clude The Barmen Declaration Study with Dr. Douglass Key, and GriefShare with Rev. Emily Mooneyhan.

EPW Lunch & Learn: Worship Arts Adult Reception Hall (ARH) at noon on April 16th, 23rd & 30th for lunch, fellowship and study, with staff-led workshops on faithful creative expressions: handlettering, devotional writing, and music. Register online under upcoming events to pre-order lunch (or bring your own).

Join us for a Concert in the Courtyard on Sunday, April 19th: hosted by Worship & Music and EAA. Enjoy upbeat family-friendly music from movies, musical theatre, opera, and more. Admission is free, and there will be food trucks along Trenholm.

EPW Sisters in Christ Dinner is Tuesday, April 21st: in Thompson Hall (TH). Mark your calendars for this annual dinner. Enjoy a delicious meal with friends as we celebrate our Honorary Lifetime Membership Award recipients and hear about upcoming studies.

Blessing of the Animals Peace Service on the Field is April 26th at 4pm: Invite the neighbors and bring your pets as we bless our furry family members, remembering the joy they bring to us and our call to care for the earth and its creatures.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Sunday, March 29:

Palm Sunday worship, Sanctuary, 9 am.; Sanctuary and Thompson Hall (contemporary) 11:15 am.

Thursday, April 2:

Maundy Thursday Communion Service, Sanctuary, 7 pm

Friday, April 3:

Good Friday Service, Sanctuary, 7 pm

Easter Sunday, April 5:

Sunrise Service, Courtyard, 6:30 am
Traditional Services, Sanctuary, 8:45 & 10:30 am, Courtyard Celebration, 9:45 am; Contemporary Service, Thompson Hall, 10:30 am



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