# Welcome! We are glad you are here.

**Children's Time:** Children of all ages are invited to come forward for a children's message during worship. Following the message, children ages 4 through 2nd grade are invited to accompany NaEisha and another adult teacher to Children's Church in the Education Building. Children in 3rd grade and above will return to their seats to worship with their families.

**Restrooms** are located in the Fellowship Hall across the breezeway.

# What's Going on This Week

Sunday, February 5

9:30 am—Sunday School 11:00 am—Worship

Wednesday, February 8

5:30 pm—Choir Practice

6:30 pm—Handbells

7:30 pm—Wednesday Night

Devotion

# Sunday, February 12

Scout Sunday

9:30 am—Sunday School

11:00 am—Worship

12:09 pm—Potluck Lunch &

Family Fun Day

### **Church Staff**

Rev. Connie Happell Pastor **Director of Music** Sue Ellen Williams Pianist Walter Cornwell Youth/Young Adult Coordinator NaEisha Owens Office Administrator JoAnna Williams Financial Secretary Janet Peters Custodian James Mills

> 3617 Macon Road, Columbus, Georgia 31907 (706) 561-5137 | office@epclife.com www.epclife.com Facebook.com/edgewoodpresbyterian

# Edgewood Presbyterian Church

Glorifying God by making disciples of Jesus Christ



Sunday, February 5, 2023

Service of Worship February 5, 2023 Liturgical Color: Green 5th Sunday after Epiphany

BELL PEAL EPC Ringers

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Connie Happell

PRELUDE "Amazing Grace"

John Newton Early American Melody

Arranged by Cindy Berry

**OPENING PRAYER** 

\*CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 98

Leader: Sing to the LORD a new song,

for He has done marvelous things.

People: The LORD has made His salvation known

and revealed His righteousness to the nations.

Leader: Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth,

burst into jubilant song with music; let the sea resound, and everything in it,

the world, and all who live in it. **People:** Let the rivers clap their hands,

let the mountains sing together for joy

as we worship God together!

\*HYMN 263 "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

### **UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

God our Redeemer, we confess that our lives do not reflect Your glory. You shine on us with wonder, but we fail to see Your beauty. You speak to us with truth, but we fail to heed Your voice. Forgive us, God of grace. Open our eyes to Your glory; open our hearts to Your mercy; open our lives to Your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. (Please continue in silent confession.) Amen

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

OFFERTORY "It is Well With My Soul"

Horatio G. Spafford Phillip P. Bliss Arranged by Cindy Berry

\*Doxology

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

ANTHEM "In This Very Room"

Words and Music by Ron and Carol Harris

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE NaEisha Owens

**NEW TESTAMENT LESSON** Matthew 5:1-12

SERMON "The Good Life" Rev. Connie Happell

COMMUNION HYMN "In Remembrance of Me"

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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

**BREAKING OF THE BREAD** 

**COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE** 

**COMMUNION PRAYER** 

\*Hymn 306 "Fairest Lord Jesus"

\*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE "Fairest Lord Jesus"

<sup>\*</sup>Indicates congregation standing, as able.