

Edgewood Presbyterian Church • January 26, 2025

GATHERING IN GOD'S PRESENCE

Bell Peal		EPC Ringers
Welcome and Announcements		Susan Gilbert, CRE
Prelude	"'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"	
Opening Prayer		
Call to Worship		from Psalm 19
*Hymn 376	"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"	
Unison Prayer of Confession		

Loving God, we have been tempted to go our own way without thought to Your eternal truths. We seek our own gratification, rather than the well-being of Your children. We seek to build our lives by our own design, rather than by Your purposes. Forgive our pride and sin, and turn us around so that we who know Your mercy may delight in passing it on to others. (Please continue in silent confession.) Amen.

Assurance of Pardon		
*Praise Hymn	"I Will Come to You"	
Affirmation of Faith		The Apostles' Creed

ENCOUNTERING GOD'S WORD

Children's Message		NaEisha Owens
Anthem	"Here I Am to Worship"	
New Testament Lesson		Luke 4:14-21
Sermon	"The Messiah Has Come!"	Susan Gilbert, CRE

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

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.

Offertory	"I Stand Amazed in the Presence"	
*Doxology and Prayer of Dedication		

SENDING INTO GOD'S WORLD

*Hymn 304	"Jesus Loves Me"	
*Benediction		
Postlude		

*Indicates congregation standing, as able.

A prayer partner is available at the front of the chapel after worship.

Edgewood Presbyterian Church
God's People • Christ's Followers
on the move with the Spirit

The Noisy Offering will be collected today.

Tuesday Bible Study will meet on Tuesday, February 4 at the home of Mary Adams. Lu Ann Hoffman will lead the lesson on Rizbah. Lunch is at noon and they study begins at 1.

Lunch Bunch will meet Thursday, February 6 at 11:30 a.m. at Cheddar's, 5555 Whittlesey Blvd., Unit 2. Sign up in the Narthex or see Martha Jane Roark.

YA (Young Adults) Worship/Fellowship gathers virtually via Facebook/Zoom each Tuesday at 7 p.m. Contact Pete Sanders-Nesbitt for more details.

Make a Note: JoAnna works from home on Mondays. You may call or text her at 469-952-7353 or email office@epclife.com if you need anything.

Are you a visitor? Do you desire prayer? Would you like a call? Let us know by noting this on the "Connect with Us" card in your pew and placing the card in the offering late. (All prayer requests are considered confidential.)

Please Remember in Prayer

Homebound

Claudia Wells
 Tom Collins
 Lee Hartline
 Susan Knight
 Margaret Greene

Health Concerns

Julie Ligon
 Bob Wells
 Eunmee Park
 Barry Ferguson

Grieving

Family of Ron Summers

Church Staff

Director of Music
 Youth/Young Adult Coordinator
 Pianist
 Office Administrator
 Commissioned Ruling Elders

Sue Ellen Williams
 NaEisha Owens
 Eunmee Park
 JoAnna Williams
 Susan Gilbert
 Pete Sanders-Nesbitt
 Liz Allison

Pastoral Care



Edgewood @ First

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Calendar

Sunday, January 26

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

Tuesday, January 28

7:00 pm—YA Worship & Fellowship
 via Zoom/Facebook

Wednesday, January 29

5:30 pm—Choir Practice
 6:30 pm—Handbell Practice

Sunday, February 2

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

February Birthdays

Alexandria Reynolds	1st
Rick Rodgers	3rd
Allen Wright	4th
Matt Towner	19th

**Anthem: Here I Am to Worship
 with The Majesty and Glory of Your Name**

Light of the world,
 You stepped down into darkness.
 Opened my eyes, let me see.
 Beauty that made this heart adore You.
 Hope of a life spent with You.

And here I am to worship.
 Here I am to bow down.
 Here I am to say that You're my God.
 You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy,
 Altogether wonderful to me.

Here I am to worship! Alleluia, alleluia!
 The majesty and glory of Your name.
 Alleluia, alleluia!
 The majesty and glory of Your name.
 Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia!

King of all days, O so highly exalted.
 Glorious in heaven above.
 Humbly You came to the earth You created.
 All for Love's sake became poor.

And here I am to worship,
 Here I am to bow down.
 Here I am to say that You're my God.
 You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy,
 Altogether wonderful to me.

Here I am to worship,
 Here I am to bow down.
 Here I am to say that You're my God.
 Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia alleluia!