



# Eastminster Presbyterian Church

**Service for the Lord's Day  
November 6, 2022**



# WELCOME!

Whether you are a member or a visitor, worshipping with us in-person or online, you are welcome here.

Information about our church is found in the narthex or online: [eastminsterchurch.org](http://eastminsterchurch.org). At the welcome table or on our website, you can sign up for our weekly emails.

Masks are now optional in the building. We do have masks available at the welcome table for those who would like to wear them.



Children are always welcome in worship at Eastminster. Your child can sit with you in the pew or sit in the space created for children at the front of the sanctuary. Our nursery is on the lower level for children 3 and under. It is staffed by two background-checked volunteers.

Hymn books and Bibles can be found under the pews.

This is a livestream worship service, and the camera and microphones are on the whole time. While the camera is most often focused on the front of the sanctuary, there is a chance that you will be captured on camera. If you would prefer to stay out of the camera's eye, you're encouraged to sit on the left side of the sanctuary.

*\* Congregation is invited to rise in body or in spirit.  
**Bold text** is read or sung by the congregation.*

# ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR THE LORD'S DAY

November 6, 2022

10:00 a.m.

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## GATHERING

### **Prelude**

### **Welcome & Announcements**

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

*And also with you.*

### **Opening Song #413**      Come into God's Presence Singing

*The children will sing verse 1, congregation joins vs 2-4*

### **\*Call to Worship**

L. I am invited to the table. You and your friends are invited too.

*P. God invites us together to the table.*

L. Whether we come with friend or foe,

*P. We are welcome, all the same.*

L. Let us worship God.

### **\*Hymn #504**      We Come as Guests Invited

### **\*Call to Confession**

### **\*Prayer of Confession**

*God we are sorry for the times when we didn't help our friends or someone else who needed help. We are sorry for times when we were thinking only about ourselves and not others. Please forgive us for not always loving and sharing the way you taught us and give us a chance to try again.*

### **\*Silent Confession**

**\*Assurance of Pardon**

**\*Sung Response** *Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me*

B $\flat$  F B $\flat$  F B $\flat$  F Gm F

1 Glo - ry to God, whose good - ness shines on me,  
 2 World with - out end, with - out end. A - men.

(D) (G) (C) (G) (Em7) (A7)  
 F B $\flat$  E $\flat$  B $\flat$  Gm7 C7

and to the Son, whose grace has par - doned me,  
 World with - out end, with - out end. A - men.

(A7) (D) (F#) (Bm)  
 C7 F A Dm

and to the Spir - it, whose love has set me free.  
 World with - out end, with - out end. A - men.

(Bm7) (D) (Bdim7) (Em7) (Dm)(A7) (D)  
 Dm7 F Ddim7 Gm7 Fm C7 F

As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now and ev - er shall be. A - men.

**\*Passing of the Peace** *(Share the peace of Christ with the person next to you)*

**PROCLAIMING THE WORD**

**Time for Grown-Ups**

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Scripture Reading**

Matthew 14:13-21

**Reflections**

**RESPONDING TO THE WORD**

**Hymn #507** Come to the Table of Grace

**Communion**

Invitation to the Table

Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

*And also with you.*

Lift up your hearts.

*We lift them to the Lord.*

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*It is right to give our thanks and praise.*

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.*

Sharing of the Bread and Cup

*Please come forward down the center aisle to receive by intinction. Take a piece of bread and then dip it in the cup and partake. You may return down the side aisles. Those unable to come forward will be served at their seats.*

Prayer after Communion

**\*Hymn #769** For Everyone Born

**\*Charge & Benediction**

**Postlude**

## **Participants in today's service:**

Worship Leaders: Cora Heitman, Scarlett Heitman, Bobby Jones, Alex Mikeladze, Lacy Myer, Laura Myer, Lawson Temples, Lehman Temples, Elizabeth Weeden

Director of Christian Education: Neil Myer

Minister: Rev. Kristin Stroble

Pianist/Organist: Tamar Mikeladze

Video Producer: Mike Brown

Worship Credits: Today's liturgy was written by the children, including parts of the Great Prayer of Thanksgiving; Hymns are printed and streamed with permission from One License #A-725831.

## **Ushers**

Barb Stowitts

## **Greeter**

Becky Brown

## **Counters**

Sam O'Neill, Linda Hardenbergh

## **Flowers**

Today's flowers are given by Ted and Pat Hagan in memory of their grandparents.

## **Church Leadership and Staff**

Rev. Kristin Stroble

Pastor

Rev. Shirley Paxton

Parish Advisor

Neil Myer

Director of Christian Education

Bridgette Redman

Office Administrator

Tamar Mikeladze

Organist

Heather Myer

Bell Choir Director

## **This Week at Eastminster:**

*Nov. 6 through Nov. 13*

### **SUNDAY, 11/6**

Children-led Worship 10:00 a.m.

All-Church Lunch 11:00 a.m.

### **TUESDAY, 11/8 Election Day–Vote!**

Bell Rehearsal 6:00 p.m.

Session 7:00 p.m.

### **WEDNESDAY, 11/9**

Men's Bible Study 8:00 a.m.

Late-Morning Bible Study 10:30 a.m.

### **THURSDAY, 11/10**

Young Adult Gathering 7:00 p.m.

### **SATURDAY, 11/12**

Advent House 8:00 a.m.

PageTurners 10:00 a.m.

### **SUNDAY, 11/13**

Worship 10:00 a.m.

Fellowship 11:00 a.m.

Brass Quintet Concert 2:00 p.m.

*Bridgette will be out of the office through Nov. 14.*

### **Bible Studies:**

*Men's Bible Study, 8 a.m. Wednesdays, in-person or on Zoom.*

*Zoom meeting ID: 880 7719 4207 Password: 48823*

*Late-Morning Bible Study: 10:30 a.m. Wednesdays, Zoom only*

*Zoom meeting ID: 875 1538 0873 Password: 48823*



## **Stewardship: Together for Joy**

Thank you to all those who have pledged. If you haven't yet, there is still time. Extra pledge cards are in the Narthex.

## **All-Church Lunch**

Join us after today's children's led worship service for an all-church lunch.

## **Advent House**

Our next Advent House meal is November 12th. Each month we pack 60 lunches. This month we are providing 60 sandwiches and 60 servings of soup. We still need people to make 4 servings of soup. This month's recipe is Minestrone and can be found in the Narthex. Please call the church or sign up on the sheet if you can provide soup.

## **Brian Major and the Metropolitan Opera**



Our friend Brian K. Major made his debut at The Metropolitan Opera as Barone Duphoul in Verdi's La Traviata this week. This New York run will go (at least) through November 19. Through a Met program that broadcasts performances live in local theaters, you have a chance to see Brian's performance on Wednesday, Nov. 9 at 1 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. at Regal at the Lansing Mall.

## **Drivers Wanted**

Eastminster has several church members who need rides to and from Sunday service. As of now, these members all reside in East Lansing. Your help will be greatly appreciated, especially as our weather turns colder. If you are interested or need more information, please contact Jeff Lapinski at 517 316 6292. Thanks!



# Brass Quintet

## Eastminster Concert Series



Featuring music from Duke Ellington, Richard Wagner, J.S. Bach, Rodgers & Hammerstein and more...

Selections include:

*"Fanfare from La Peri"*

*"Killer Tango"*

*"Sonata from Die Bankelsangerlieder"*

Sunday, November 13, 2 p.m.  
Eastminster Presbyterian Church  
1315 Abbot Rd., East Lansing, MI  
[www.eastminsterchurch.org](http://www.eastminsterchurch.org) | 517-337-0893

# Greater Lansing Interfaith Gathering

Coming  
Together  
Through  
Stories & Songs

Offering for  
Global Institute  
of Lansing  
[globallansinginstitute.org](http://globallansinginstitute.org)

Reception Follows

**Monday**  
**Nov. 14**  
**7:00pm**

University  
United Methodist Church  
1120 S. Harrison  
East Lansing (parking behind)

live stream at <https://youtu.be/UtoUHBq9Y2Q>

