

EPC FAMILY NEWS & NOTES

April 13, 2025



Invite your family and friends for a special spiritual journey at our Sunday morning service starting at 9:00 a.m. This is a great chance for worship, devotion, and community. Experience uplifting music from our Praise Team and Traditional Choir. When you can't attend in person, please watch us live online at <https://www.youtube.com/@epc0381/streams>

UPCOMING EVENTS

EASTER MEMORIAL FLOWERS If you have not already done so, and would like to remember a loved one and celebrate their resurrection on Easter, please fill out an Easter Memorial envelope, include a donation, and place it in the offering plate by this **Sunday, April 13th**.

HOLY WEEK AT EPC A time in which we gather to remember and participate in the Passion of Jesus



Christ. Please plan to be a part of each of these services which together constitute this most holy week on the Christian calendar.

7 PM - Maundy Thursday April 17th, commemoration of Jesus Christ's institution of the Eucharist during the Last Supper. Communion will be served and foot washing will be provided by the Deacons.

7 PM - Good Friday April 18th, a day of sorrow, penance and fasting in which Christians commemorate the passion and death of Jesus Christ. Join us for Scripture readings and an opportunity to nail our sins to the cross.

ANNUAL CHURCH CLEAN-UP DAY Slip on your work gloves, grab your leaf rake, and come to EPC on **Saturday, April 26th**, from 9:00 a.m. to noon for our yearly clean-up day. Take advantage of the beautiful spring weather and enjoy some time with friends, while we prepare the courtyard and church grounds for the summer activities to come.



CONGREGATIONAL MEETING Please plan on attending a brief congregational meeting on **Sunday, April 27th** to elect PNC committee members.



Your Spiritual Formation Team is excited to be hosting an EPC Spring retreat on **Saturday, May 10th** at the church. Mark your calendars and stay tuned for more details in the coming weeks.

BETHANY GIFT CARD COLLECTION EPW is collecting gift cards for Bethany Christian Services again this year. Please consider picking up a gift card when you are shopping and dropping it in the little gift card box on the pedestal in the Sanctuary. Remember to include the gift card amount if it is not already preprinted. EPW will be collecting your gift card donations through Mother's Day, **Sunday, May 11th**



PERSONAL PRAYER TIME

Sundays are a perfect time for personal prayer! Once our service concludes, we'll assemble by the organ, where a dedicated individual will be on hand to facilitate both individual and small group prayer gatherings. We warmly invite everyone to engage in a way that is meaningful to you.

THIS WEEK'S ZIMBABWE TRIVIA

(Each week a new trivia fact will be presented. Watch for next week's trivia.)

There were 1,450 orphan visits to the clinic in 2023. In addition, 76 children received a dental checkup and 44 received some type of dental treatment. The new clinic is fully operational and there are plans underway for the old clinic to be completely moved to the new location in early spring of 2025. After receiving the final inspection report, HCOC will evaluate the need, and the government will determine if additional nurses can be provided to HCOC by the government. Beauty Mukondwa will remain as the HCOC nurse in charge.

FOOD BANK NEEDS FOR APRIL

Please consider adding **TOILET PAPER** to your shopping list to donate during the month of April, and anything else you think they might enjoy. For your convenience, there is a "Food Box" on the cabinet in the corner of the Fellowship Hall for your items. Thank you for donating!!

NETWORK COFFEE HOUSE

With the warmer weather, the Network needs have changed. They can use food items like Ramen cups, instant oatmeal, peanut butter/jelly, instant hot cocoa mix and kool-aid/lemonade. T-shirts, belts, small deodorants and light sleeping bags are very much appreciated. For your convenience, there is a "Network Coffee House" box on the cabinet in the corner of the Fellowship Hall for your items. Thank you. It is wonderful to see the love that continues for this Ministry.

WEEKLY MEETINGS

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL The group meets each Sunday at 11:00 a.m. Our new study is based on the book *Heaven*, by Randy Alcorn. If you are interested in this study and have not yet signed up, please contact Phil Wood, woodwritings@gmail.com as soon as possible for further information.

WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP We invite everyone to join us each Wednesday at 9 am for some fun and camaraderie at the Hidden House Café, (formerly Isabel's Coffee), by the Elizabeth Post Office. Please contact Barb Batt at (303) 646-1274 or batt49@q.com if you have any questions.



For information about ministry meetings, scheduled events, team meetings, practices etc.

Go to <https://calendar.google.com/calendar>

FINANCE & ATTENDANCE REPORT

We depend on God and your generous giving to make this happen in addition to covering the staffing and operating costs of EPC. Access information about each donation method at <https://elizabethpc.org/donate>

EPC FINANCIAL REPORT

DECEMBER 2024

Tithes/Offering/Other Income	\$15,994.94
Expenses	\$7,550.03
Surplus/(Shortfall)	\$8,444.91

YEAR TO DATE 2024

Tithes/Offering/Other Income	\$199,939.86
Expenses	\$157,301.28
Surplus/(Shortfall)	\$46,784.71
Avg Monthly Tithes, Offering and Income:	\$15,872.00

Total Offerings 4/6/2025 \$2,605.00

51 people attended the service on April 6th. The recorded service was viewed 20 times.

PRAYERLINE

To submit a prayer request for email distribution, send your request to: prayerline@elizabethpc.org

To add/remove names from this Newsletter, email winchell3997@outlook.com

Health Concerns

Mike Banta	Elizabeth Banta	Bradley Bennett	Brett Bennett
John Dahm	John Davison	Margaret Davison	Phil Franken
Sally Hoyland	Carrie Kee	Linda Pizzuto	Dana Potter
Jackie Robertson	Ron Rosenberg	Larry Russell	Pat Russell
Jim Wanzeck			

Reverend Becca's granddaughter, Colette Jordan
Dana & Alice Potter's grandson, Isaiah Kemp
Freda Kilgore's sister, Carol
Barb Batt's husband, Larry
Mary Ann Quick's daughter, Meloni
Bobi Besant's mom, Janice
Phil Franken's nephew, Nick Van Veldhuizen

Grieving

Oletha Tanin and family, in the loss of Oletha's daughter, Vicki

Betty Haulman and family in the loss of Betty's sister, Carol

Vossler family in the loss of daughter, Elizabeth Vossler. Click this link for: [Elizabeth Vossler Tribute Page](#)

Bill Bennett and family in the loss of Bill's mother, Sara Bennett

Pastor Becca and family in the loss of husband, father and grandfather – Dave Jordan-Irwin

Pat Russell and family in the loss of Pat's brother-in-law, Rody Rodeheaver

In the Military

Jake Baggett	Zach Dees	Braede Merrell	Adam Treptow
Jimmy Baggett	Chalub Dell	Casey Mottinger	Jim Von Canon
Colin Bauerle	Karly Dortch	Lyndsey Olmskad	Tim Walton
Robert Beary	Tre Dortch	Chris Pinson	Nick Wilcox
Josh Burton	Weston Haber	Skyler Short	Christopher Wilson
Braedon Cambell	Mason Klingenberger	Brandi Streit	

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Communication & Outreach – Allyn Bader Barclay, Finance – John Bussie
Missions – Barb Batt, Worship – Clark Hagan

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