

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

ALTAR FLOWER SPONSORSHIP

Today's altar flowers are sponsored
IN HONOR & GLORY OF GOD

FLOWERS

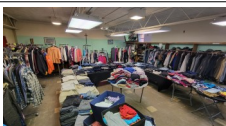
If you would like to donate flowers in honor or memory of your love ones, please call the church office. The cost of the flowers is \$60 and checks can be made out to Emilie UMC.

PRAYER LIST

Donna & Randy S., Grover F. & family, George, Beverly, Debbie, Brian, Dean, Scheree, Rich, Debbie, Sabrina, Walt & Peg, Bob E., Bob H., Ron & Ella S., the Schultz family, Madison, Jaxson, Carly, Michael, Luciana, Gene, Heather, Sue, Steve, Brian & Teresa, Mama Roz, Carolyn, Martha, Tom & family, Colin & family, Francesca, Baptiste, Jeff S. & family, Dolly, Debbie, Gail, Debra, Terry B, Joan, Kathy, Helen, Chrisie, Linda, Melissa, Jeff, Kirk family, St. Clair family, Joan Meritt, Jim & Sarah, Jon, Kukon family, John, Sofia, Aimee, Lila, Sue, Antonette, Nicole, the Dare family, Bill Jones, Ralston Hedrick. Those in recovery, the homeless and the food insecure.



If you would like to sing along with our choir in the Christmas Cantata, scheduled for Dec. 14th, please join us in rehearsal on Thursdays at 8 p.m.



THRIFT STORE DONATIONS NEEDED

Slightly used adult and children winter clothes & shoes.



Church Office Hours This Week

Tuesday through Thursday 9 a.m.—2 p.m.

WORSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING

November 9th following worship.

THIS WEEK AT EMILIE

Sunday, God Squad, 6-7:30 p.m.

Chaos Youth Group, 6:00-7:30pm

Wednesday—Prayer Team, 10:30 –11 a.m.

Thrift Store, 6-7 p.m.

Pastor Lead Bible Study, 6:30-8 p.m.

Disciple 2 Class, 6:30-8 p.m.

Thursday—Bell Choir, 7 p.m.

Sanctuary Choir, 8 p.m.

Saturday—Men's Prayer Breakfast, 8 a.m.

Thrift Store, 9 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

SAVE THE DATE

Monday, Nov. 3rd—Women's Crafting Circle, 7 p.m.

Sunday, Nov. 9th—Worship Committee Meeting
following worship

Pastor Stacey will return from vacation on Tuesday, October 28th.



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOXES

NOW THROUGH NOVEMBER 16TH

We are excited to partner with Operation Christmas Child again at Emilie UMC! This is an outreach opportunity to bless boys and girls around the globe, and uplift them with the Word of God! If you would like to **pick up an empty shoebox to fill**, please grab a box on the table in the Narthex or stop by the church office during office hours. Any questions about filling your shoebox or Operation Christmas Child can be directed to the Gina Sylvester or Ann Ermer.

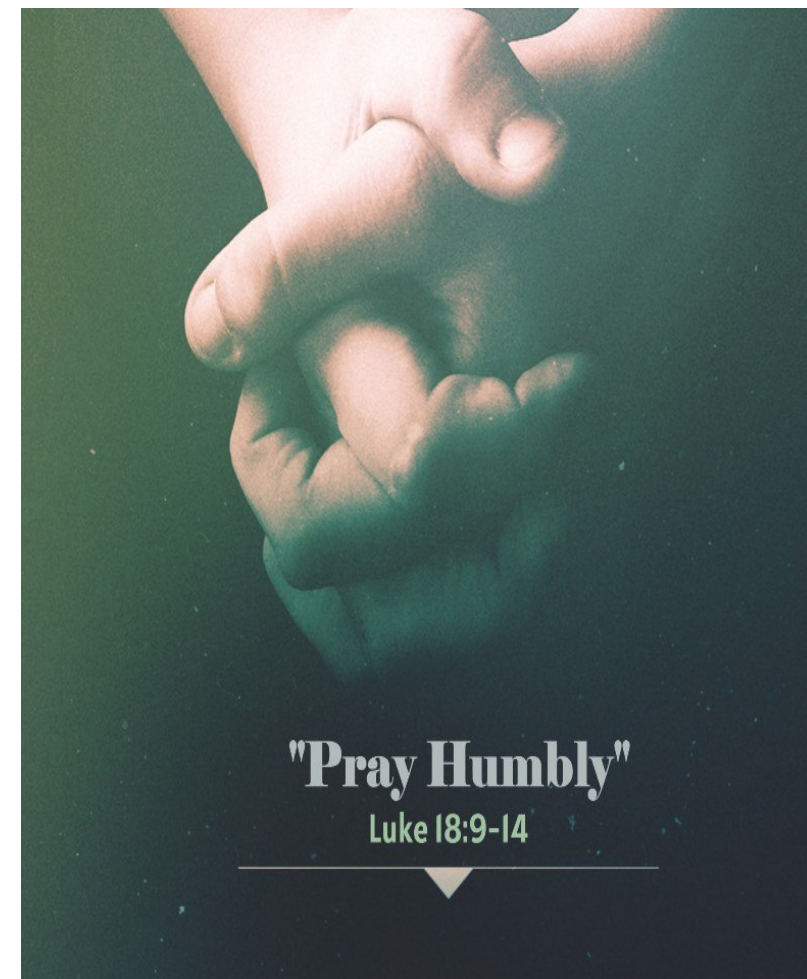
Please note: boxes may not contain liquids, glass, war or military themed items, candy or edible items.

Boxes can be dropped off during office hours or on
Sunday morning.

Drop off deadline: November 16th.

EMILIE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

CELEBRATING 162 YEARS OF WORSHIP,
PRAYER, & SERVICE
1863 - 2025



October 26th 2025
10 a.m.



BRINGING PEOPLE TO CHRIST,
GROWING PEOPLE IN CHRIST,
SERVING PEOPLE FOR CHRIST.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

OCTOBER 26TH, 2025

Preacher: The Rev. Robert Everett

*You are invited to stand in body or spirit, as you are able.

Pre-Service Music *Fairest Lord Jesus* arr. Becki S.Mayo

(Please take this time to write any prayer requests you may have on the prayer cards in the pews. They will be received during the offering and shared during prayers of the people).

Greeting The Lord be with you! **And also with you!**

***Call to Worship** (Psalm 100) Liturgist, Buffy Gibson

Liturgist: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the lands!

People: Serve the Lord with gladness!

Come into God's presence with singing!

Liturgist: Know that the Lord, who made us, is God.

People: We are the Lord's; we are the people of God, the sheep of God's pasture.

Liturgist: Enter God's gates with thanksgiving, and God's courts with praise!

People: Give thanks and bless God's name!

Liturgist: For the Lord is good;

People: God's steadfast love endures for ever;

God's faithfulness to all generations.

***Opening Hymn** *We Gather Together* UMH #131

***Unison Opening Prayer** (UMH #392) Liturgist, Buffy Gibson

Thou who art over us, Thou who art one of us, Thou who art:

Give me a pure heart, that I may see thee; a humble heart,

that may hear thee; a heart of love, that I may serve thee; a

heart of faith, that I may abide in thee. Amen.

Passing of the Peace Liturgist, Buffy Gibson

Community Connections

Children's Message

Receiving God's Offerings and Gifts

Offertory Music *Simple Gift* arr. Mark Hayes
Sanctuary Choir

***Doxology** *Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow* #95

***Unison Offertory Dedication and Prayer** (Luke 18:9-14)
Liturgist, Buffy Gibson

Humble and merciful God, you do not require perfection, only a heart that is open. Receive these gifts not as a sign of our righteousness, but as a humble offering from those who know they need your grace. Teach us again that generosity begins not in pride, but in gratitude—not in proving our worth, but in trusting yours. May what we give today grow into mercy, justice, and joy in the lives of others and in our own. In Jesus's name, we pray. Amen.

Hymn of Reflection *Greater Grace than Our Sin* UMH #365

Prayers of the People & Lord's Prayer

Scripture Reading Luke 18:9-14 Liturgist, Buffy Gibson

Sermonic Hymn *Pass Me Not O Gentle Savior* UMH #351

Sermon "Pray Humbly" Pastor Bob Everett

***The Apostle's Creed** UMH pg. #881

***Closing Hymn** *I Am Thine O Lord*" UMH #419

***Mission Statement** (screen) Liturgist, Buffy Gibson

Leader: We are a community called to worship
and glorify God by

**People: Bringing People to Christ,
Growing People in Christ,
And Serving People for Christ.**

Leader: This is our mission.

All: Thanks be to God!

***Benediction and Sending Forth**

***Postlude** *Spirit Divine, Attend Our Prayers*
by Gilbert M. Martin

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Pastor-On-Call: Please call 215-945-5503

The pastor-on-call is available outside of regular office hours for those experiencing true emergencies, such as a critical hospitalization or urgent physical, emotional or spiritual need.

To inquire about services that the church offers, such as joining the church, transferring membership, confirmation, baptism or any other questions or information, please call the church office during business hours.
