

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

March 11, 2007

“He gave them bread from heaven to eat.”

John 6:31

GATHER IN GOD’S NAME¹

ORGAN VOLUNTARY: “Trumpet in Dialogue” Louis Clerambault

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Please everyone, sign the Fellowship Pad located in each row. Guests, please include your address and telephone number.)

BELL PEAL

***HYMN #356:** “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH:** The Apostles’ Creed
I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison):

God, we have come to you asking for your kingdom to come, for your will to be done on earth and in us. Forgive us when we say these words without stopping to think about their meaning. Forgive us for not understanding with our mind and not caring with our heart. We know God that your will is best for us and we desire to follow your ways, not our own. But forgive us as we still chase after our own dreams and desires without considering your plans for us. Do give us the desire to live the surrendered life and come into that life – into our work, our families, our friendships. Come and take over, Jesus. We’ve tried without you and it hasn’t worked. Thank you for promising to walk with us. Help us to walk with you; to walk with joy, love and truth evident. Come Lord Jesus, come. (Silence for individual confession)

*ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

***RESPONSE OF PRAISE - Renew #215:** “Jesus, Lamb of God” (verse 1)

(Children, please come forward during the singing for the children’s message.)

Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us.

Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.

Jesus, Redeemer of the world, give us your Peace.

GOD’S WORD

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE:

MINISTRY OF MUSIC: “Chorale” Moussorgsky/Thompson

“All Night, Day Day” (Swing Low, Sweet Chariot) Valerie Stephenson

The Celebration Ringers, Martha Bortner, Director

INFORMATION FOR OUR GUESTS

* **Welcome!** Your being here encourages us. Our prayer is always that you would know God’s love and strength, find yourself at home here, and be His peace in the world in the week ahead. You can find information about our church on our information station and at www.eastminster-presby.org.

* **We care about your children.** We have a wonderful “staff” of Sunday School teachers and nursery workers. We do invite parents of infants and small children to take them to the nursery located in the Christian Ministry Center prior to the service if that is helpful to you. To everyone we say, “Greet our children; pass the offering plate to them, not over them; bless them with your eyes and smiles.”

* **Please help us by putting your name and address in the Fellowship Pad when it is passed.** What happens when you do? Simply this: We will send you a letter of welcome with some information to help you know more fully this church and her work.

* **Refreshments!** We enjoy them together after the service right outside or in our Christian Ministry Building directly in front of you as you exit the sanctuary.

* **How do I belong to Eastminster?** We encourage “belonging” and “membership.” One belongs through friendships, participation, and commitment. One becomes a member by attending an orientation class and meeting with one of the pastors and the elders to profess your faith in Jesus Christ. Speak to the pastor about your interest and watch for details about an upcoming class. Join in all you can and begin belonging today. The next class is Sunday, April 15, 2007.

Worship Today

Greeting you today is Terry Weemhoff.

Flowers are given by Bonnie Griffith to the Glory of God and in Loving memory of my husband, Roger Griffith.

Sunday School – Ages 3 years through 6th grade in Melvin & Kirk Halls.

Large print bulletins and hymnals are available from the ushers.

The Sunday bulletin is posted on the website on Friday afternoon.

Copies of many of recent sermons are available at the Information Station and online at www.eastminster-presby.org.

Tapes of today’s sermons are available as well.

FM Receivers are available from the ushers for hearing enhancement.

Prayer Request Cards are located in the racks in each pew. Please place your card in the offering plate.

Good News Daily copies are located on the Information Station.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASTORAL JOYS AND CONCERNS: Focus your prayers on the Sincerity of our worship, and the Boldness of our witness at Eastminster. Let us also remember to keep our sick in prayer (Charlie Hammond, Edna Robson, Jetta McCormick, Ben McCall, and Caroline Kempter).

WEDNESDAY WORSHIP: We invite you to join us for Lent Worship followed by Soup & Sandwich Lunch each Wednesday during Lent. Services begin at 11:45 with a music presentation. The series this year will be “**Faces at the Foot of the Cross.**” Lunch follows at 12:30 p.m. for \$2.00.

BON VOYAGE: Eastminster invites you to attend a reception for Tech Sergeant Shelly Beckel, on Sun., Mar. 25, in the Fellowship Hall following the 10:30 service. Shelly received orders from the Air Force to serve in England for two years beginning in April. We will miss Shelly. For more information please call Beth Young, 223-5921



EASTER LILIES: Easter is quickly approaching! This is the time to donate a lily for the celebration of Easter. The envelopes are in the pew racks, and need to be returned no later than Mar. 25. Lilies will be taken to the sick, shut-ins, and bereaved after Easter services.

WHAT IS RENT– A –TEEN?: Rent-A-Teen is the new name for slave day. This is a fundraiser to help send students to summer camps. Do you have some serious spring cleaning to do in that garage? Why not Rent-A-Teen? If you would like to make a reservation for teens to come to your house on Sat. Mar.17 simply call the church and speak to Ivan, or e-mail him at imartinez@eastminster-presby.org.

P & L JUNIOR HIGH MISSION TRIP: Join the Power & Light Student Ministries Junior High group on a fun-filled mission adventure through Florida. Stops on the tour will include Jacksonville, Orlando and DeLand, Monday, March 26-29 (Spring Break week!). Cost of the trip is \$100. Sign up and pay your \$50 deposit in the church office. Space is limited.

TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALL GAME! Join the Prime Timers at Space Coast Stadium for the St. Louis Cardinals vs. Washington Nationals game at 1:05 p.m. on Sat. Mar 24. Tickets are \$15 and seats are under cover. We will meet at the Stadium.

PRIME TIMERS: The Tennis and Kiwi Club will be holding a Prime Timers Lunch on March 15th at 1:00 p.m.. If you are interested please sign up with the receptionist in the church office.

WELCOMING THOSE WITH DISABILITIES: The Congregational Care Ministry Team will host a discussion promoting awareness of how Eastminster can more fully include persons with a disability. Please join us on Sun., Mar. 11 during the Sunday School hour in the Library. We invite any members or friends who have a disability themselves, or a family member with a disability. You can help Eastminster become a church that welcomes everyone! If you are unable to participate on Mar.11, please contact Betty Preece at 723-6835 or leave a message at the church office, 723-8371.

BRASS & ORGAN PROGRAM: Come hear the beautiful music of Brass and Organ on Sun., Mar.18 at 4:30 p.m. in the Eastminster Sanctuary. The program is free and open to the public but a free will offering will be taken to help defray the costs of the musicians.

EASTMINSTER INVESTMENT CLUB: Will meet March 13th at 7:00 pm on the second floor of the Christian Ministry Center. The club studies investing through the Stock Selection Guide from Better Investing, formerly the National Association of Investment clubs. Guests are welcome to attend. For more information, please call Barbara Allen, 777-7052 or Beth Young, 223-5921.

PREGNANCY RESOURCES INC. will hold its 17th annual Walk for Life on Saturday, March 17 at Gleason Park (South Patrick Drive, Indian Harbour Beach). Registration begins at 8 a.m. and the walk at 9 a.m. The two mile walk is a fun filled family event with clowns, face painting, balloons, and refreshments. If you would like to participate in this year's WALK FOR LIFE or support someone who is participating, please call Rebecca Irving at 768-2515 or e-mail her at cookingwithrebe@hotmail.com.

¹ Respectfully turn off all pagers and cellular phones while in the sanctuary.

SCRIPTURE LESSON: Exodus 20:1-17 **Bunny Nairn**, Lay Reader

ANTHEM: “*Turn My Face from My Sins*” Thomas Attwood
Bunny Nairn, Soprano, and **The Chancel Choir**

Turn Thy face from my sins, and put out all my misdeeds.
Make me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me,
Renew, renew, renew, renew a right spirit within me,
Renew a right spirit within me.

Cast me not away, away from Thy presence,
And take not Thy Holy Spirit from me,
And take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.

SERMON LESSON: Matthew 6:1-21

SERMON: “*Our Daily Bread*” **Pastor Jeff Wood**

RESPOND TO GOD’S WORD

PRAYERS OF GOD’S PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY: “Allegro” Leon Boellmann

ASCRPTION OF PRAISE: Psalm 24:1 (p. 502)

***HYMN #414:** (vs.3) “*As Those of Old Their Firstfruits Brought*”

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

***HYMN:** “The Lord’s Prayer” MELITA

Our Father, Lord of heav’n and earth,
Let praise and honor clothe your name.
Your kingdom come, your will be done;
Throughout the world complete your reign.
Teach us, O Lord to trust in you for bread and breath each day anew.
Forgive us, Lord, our sins and debts
As we to debtors show your grace.
Remove us from all tempting paths
And guard us from the devil’s ways;
For glory, strength, and heaven’s throne belong to you, and you alone.

***BENEDICTION**

***BENEDICTION RESPONSE**

***POSTLUDE:** “*Tintinnabulation*” Vogeding

*Please stand if able.

Next week: Forgive us our Sins. Where would we be without his forgiveness?

“*Christ came from heavens’ throne Salvation to bestow,
But people scorned and none The longed for Christ would know.
But O my Friend, My Friend indeed, who at my need His life did spend.*”

CHURCH SCHEDULE: March 04-10, 2007

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| SUNDAY |Sunday School for all ages | 9:15 a.m. |
| | Confirmation Class | 9:15 a.m. |
| | Senior High Discipleship | 5:00 p.m. |
| | Senior High Fellowship | 6:00 p.m. |
| MONDAY |Jesus in the Gospels | 9:00 a.m. |
| | Prayer Group | 9:30 a.m. |
| | Overeaters Anonymous | 7:00 p.m. |
| | Narcotics Anonymous | 8:00 p.m. |
| TUESDAY |Men’s Breakfast at Blueberry Muffin | 7:30 a.m. |
| | Prayer with a Pastor | 9:30 a.m. |
| | Joshua Project | 4:30 p.m. |
| | Celebration Ringers Youth Handbells | 4:15 p.m. |
| | Overeaters Anonymous | 6:30 p.m. |
| | Women’s Bible Study | 7:00 p.m. |
| | Recovery in the Big Book A.A. | 7:00 p.m. |
| WEDNESDAY |Ladies Bible Study | 9:00 a.m. |
| | Lenten Worship | 11:45 a.m. |
| | Lenten Lunch | 12:30 p.m. |
| | Jr. High Fellowship 412 | 4:30 p.m. |
| | Young Women of Faith | 4:30 p.m. |
| | Alleluia Handbells Rehearsal | 6:30 p.m. |
| | Narcotics Anonymous | 8:00 p.m. |
| THURSDAY |Disciple II | 6:30 p.m. |
| | Chancel Choir Rehearsal | 7:00 p.m. |
| FRIDAY |Overeaters Anonymous Men’s | 6:30 p.m. |
| SATURDAY | Men’s Breakfast | 7:30a.m. |

PRAYER -- If you wish prayer for a situation in your life you may place a Prayer Request form from the pew rack in the offering plate during the worship service. *God does answer prayer.*

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| | ELDERS | |
| Class of 2007 | Class of 2008 | Class of 2009 |
| Jim Breitmeier | Walt Fredrickson | David Beckwith |
| Mike Derrick | Kim Kimball | Jim Bryan |
| Harris Hickman | Jimmy Kaminski | John Goris |
| Skip Liston | Lynn Laikin | Beverly Nuttall |
| C.V. Williams | | |

PROGRAM &/OR FULL-TIME STAFF

Elmer C. Floyd, Co-Pastor
Jeffrey S. Wood, Co-Pastor
Ralph W. Bronkema, Visitation Pastor
Susan J. Neville, Church Business Administrator
Sydney Freese, Christian Education Administrator
David Vogeding, Director of Music/Organist
Ivan Martinez, Director of Youth Ministry
James “Ivy” Iverson, Worship Leader
Nancy Fieldman, Preschool Director

Welcome to our staff, Tangela Copeland. Tangela will be the administrative assistant to our program staff and the manager of our database. She is a great asset to us and we invite you to help her feel very welcome and glad to be employed here.

EASTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

10:30 a.m. Worship

Lent



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