#### **Ministerial & Administrative Staff**

Rev. Bart Lester, Senior Pastor
Rev. Billy Joseph, Associate Pastor
Rev. Ross Hodges, Asst. Pastor of Families
Rev. Lee Bloodworth, Assistant Pastor
Jake Matulia, Youth Director
Jerry Knotts, Administrator
Lynn Grace, Church Secretary
Seongho Choi, Director of Music
Fran Bonn, Organist
Tommy James, Director of Missions
Brenda Fox, Children's Director
Joanna Hodges, Co-Nursery Director
Victoria Whatley, Co-Nursery Director
Dr. Joel Bius, Eastwood Headmaster

### **Church Office Information**

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# **Eastwood Officers**

# The Session (Elders)

Bart Lester (Moderator), Milton Hodges, Tommy James, Billy Joseph, Forrest Marion, Allen McDaniel, Andy Perry, Lee Sumner (Clerk), Den Trumbull

#### The Diaconate

Jon Chancey, Frank Dagostin, Brian DeHuff, Andrew Godwin, Don Henle, Sam McLure, Tim Owen, Scott Pritchett, Adam Rogers, Johnny Stallings



...that in everything He might be preeminent... Colossians 1:18

# The Lord's Day

Sunday Morning Worship ~ 10:30 A.M.

Thoughts upon entering the Sanctuary: "I am not what I ought to be, I am not what I want to be, I am not what I hope to be in another world; but still I am not what I once used to be, and by the grace of God I am what I am" — John Newton

### The Announcements and Welcome

The Prelude "Abide With Me"

The Call to Worship

\*The Hymn 170 "Fairest Lord Jesus" (vv. 1-4) CRUSADER'S HYMN

## \*The Invocation & The Lord's Prayer

Our Father which 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 for ever, Amen.

## \*Affirmation of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary, He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell\*\*. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church\*\*\*, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body. and the life everlasting. Amen.

\*\*For the explanation of "He descended into hell" see Larger Catechism Q/A 50

#### \*The Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

# The Pastoral Prayer

The Public Reading of Scripture: Luke 9:46-62

\*The Hymn 93 "The Tender Love a Father Has" (vv. 1-5) CAITHNESS

> \*Congregation standing (if able) Please refrain from all applause.

**Eastwood This Week** 

May 30- June 5 DOW: Frank Dagostin

Monday:

**Tuesday:** 

9:00 AM Staff Meeting/Session Room

Wednesday:

Dale Wood

7:00 AM Men's Bible Study/Session Room/II Peter,

led by Billy Joseph

12-1:00 PM Session Prayer Time/Session Room

5:30 PM Choir Practice/Sanctuary

5:00 PM Youth/Downstairs Youth Room

Thursday:

6:30 AM Men's Bible Study led by Ross Hodges

Nursery Rotation/Please be in the nursery no later than 9:05 a.m.

Today: Suzy VanDyke, Youlanda Slocumb, Sarah Jones

June 05 Lynn Grace, Nancy Trumbull, Angie Stallings

June 12 Johanna Stewart, Lydia Yu, Merri Gamble

June 19 Lain Hodges, Carrie Godwin, Danellen DeHuff

Usher Rotation/Please be in the Narthex by 10:10 a.m.

Today: Forrest Marion, Jake Matulia, John Bennett Lester, Jacob McLure

June 05 Matthew Parker, Rick Pass, Mack Perkins, Charles Rhodes

June 12 Reggie Sorrells, Wesley Stallings, Jonathan Sumner, Brandon

Slocumb

June 19 Lukas VanDyke, Mike Vaughn, William Whatley, Aubrey Grace

**Upcoming Church Events** 

05/29/2022 Evening Worship @ Chantilly

05/30/2022 Church Office Closed

06/05/2022 The Lord's Supper AM/Congregational Lunch

06/09/2022 Women's Dessert Fellowship

06/11/2022 Women's DIY Workshop

06/19/2022 The Lord's Supper PM/Congregational Dinner

Faith Promise

2022 Commitment

Received YTD Thru 05/22/22

(April 1st 2022-March 31st 2023) \$148,910

\$26,442

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> From the Latin word catholicus meaning universal

### **Ladies Summer Events**

Ladies, be sure to mark your calendar for these Women in the Church (WIC) Summer Events. **June 9th**: Dessert Fellowship/Join us for a time of dessert, fellowship and sharing! Place: Home of Lain Hodges. Time: 6-8pm.

**June 11th**: DIY Workshop Come let your creative side show and make a DIY, beautiful classic wooden piece for your home! You will choose your own project online and all materials and instruction will be provided. Space is limited. **Must** sign up online. (Sign up link to come) Place: Board & Brush: Halcyon Park Dr. Cost: \$35. See your weekly emails for more information.

# Save the Date College Bible Study

Jake Matulia will lead a Bible study, on the book of Colossians, this summer for young adults ages 18-25. This study will kick-off on June 14th, at 6pm, at the home of Lynn & Barry Grace (9655 Farnham Dr. Pike Road). Dinner is provided so please let Jake know if you plan to attend.

# **Sanctuary Flowers**

If you are interested in serving on the Flower Committee, which prepares floral arrangements for the Sanctuary and other events, please contact Elizabeth Puckett at 334-546-4474. If you can't commit to this committee but would like to help with the efforts (donating greenery, flowers, or floral arrangements), please call Elizabeth.

### Life of the Church

Spring Sunday school quarter: April 3-June 26

**-Survey of Genesis**, taught by Ross Hodges, Tim Cantey, & Billy Joseph, in FHA (Chapters 12-25 will be covered in the winter quarter.)

-Book of Titus, taught by Bart Lester & Allen McDaniel in FHA

# Sunday School for Children & Youth

4 yr. & 5 yr. old Upstairs Main Hallway Room 6 1st grade Upstairs Main Hallway Room 1 2nd-3rd Upstairs Main Hallway Room 3 4th-6th Upstairs Main Hallway Room 5 7th-12th Downstairs Youth Room

# **Eastwood Today**

DOW: Frank Dagostin

9:00 AM - Coffee & Fellowship in Fellowship Hall

9:15 AM - Sunday School Classes

10:30 AM - Morning Worship Service

4:30 PM – Missions Prayer Time

5:30 PM - Evening Worship

## The Giving of Tithes and Offerings

**The Choral Offertory** "Like a River In My Soul" Arr. Tim Osiek I've got peace like a river. I've got peace like a river, soothing river, calmy flow. When the world closes in, feel the stillness within. I've got peace like a river in my soul. I've got love like an ocean, in my soul. I've got love like an ocean, endless ocean, deep and full. When you're lost and alone, let the waves bring you home. I've got love like an ocean in my soul. I've got joy like a fountain in my soul. When your hope nearly dies, just remember, once again you shall rise! I've got joy like a fountain, love like an ocean, peace like a river in my soul.

The Sermon	"Those who Trouble the Church" II John 7-13 Sermon II	Rev. Bart Lester
*The Hymn 585	"Take My Life and Let it Be" (vv. 1-4)	HENDON
*The Benediction		
The Postlude	Sortie on "National Hymn"	Lani Smith

Evening Worship 5:30 P.M.

#### The Welcome & Announcements

The Call to Worship

\*The Hymn "Speak O Lord" (vv. 1-3) SPEAK O LORD

\*The Invocation

The Public Reading of Scripture: Colossians 1:9-20

**Missions Moment** 

**Congregational Prayer** 

\*The Psalter p. 109 Psalm 121 (vv. 1-8) DUNDEE

**The Sermon** "Jesus' Reign: Our Comfort" Rev. Bart Lester Psalm 110

\*The Hymn 457 "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" (v. 1-3) NETTLETON

\*The Benediction



May 29, 2022 "Those robe Trouble the Church"

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Sermons available on our website: www.eastwoodchurch.org/sermons]

### Welcome to Eastwood

Our church extends a cordial welcome to all who worship with us this morning. Visitors are asked to please fill out the visitor's card in the back of the pew and provide us the requested information so that we might welcome you. Cards may be placed in the offering plates. We are delighted to have you with us this Lord's Day!

#### Announcements

The sanctuary flowers this Lord's Day are in celebration of the marriage of Leila Vaughn and Justin Smits.

The church office will be closed Monday, May 30th.

## **Summer Evening Worship**

Tonight, and continuing through July 31st, we will have evening worship at the Chantilly property (9299 Vaughn Road, Pike Road).

## **Congregational Meals**

On **June 5th** following the morning worship service we will have a congregational pot-luck lunch. Please bring a dish to share. Join us June **19th** following the evening worship service for a congregational dinner. This meal will be provided by the church.

# **Nursery Training and Background Checks**

If you are a nursery volunteer, please take note of Pastor Ross' recent letter explaining our efforts regarding training and background checks. We emailed this letter last week, and you can also access it on our website under Resources/Pastoral Letters.

# PCA General Assembly 2022

Please pray for the upcoming General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in America (June 21-24). As was the case last year, there are crucial and divisive issues that will be debated and voted upon, and the outcome of these votes will certainly determine the future direction of the PCA. Please pray that our denomination will remain faithful and stand against pressure to accommodate unbiblical, worldly reasoning.

# Summer Adult Sunday School Quarter July 3-Sept. 25

This summer we'll be doing a combined adult Sunday school class in the Fellowship Hall and using Sinclair Ferguson's video teaching series Lessons from the Upper Room: The Heart of the Savior. This book can be purchased at Ligonier Ministries and Amazon.