

### PRAYING HANDS

Members of our prayer ministry, "Praying Hands" are available to pray for you or with you following each Sunday worship service. If you have a joy, concern, celebration, or any other request, and would like someone to pray for you, or to pray with you, please look for these individuals (wearing blue scarves/stoles) near the corners of the sanctuary. Every member of this ministry is a trained Stephen Minister who will treat your concern with complete confidentiality.

### HEARING AIDES AVAILABLE

Our sanctuary is equipped with assisted hearing devices for those who have a difficult time hearing. They are simple to use and very effective and are available from the sound booth at the back of the sanctuary.

### RECYCLE YOUR BULLETIN!



In an effort to be friendly to our environment, we are printing less bulletins each week to be reused in all of our services. We encourage you to take the bulletin home and note all of the "happenings" in the church; but, if you don't need it, please leave your bulletin on the table in the foyer to be recycled.

### COPIES OF WORSHIP SERVICE ON CD

Look for a CD recording of today's service and past services on the ledge of the sound booth. If there isn't another copy available, write your name and date of service on the slip of paper at the booth and a copy will be made and placed in the slot with your name on it. Or listen to the sermon through our website [www.eagleumc.com](http://www.eagleumc.com).



### AND MORE...

Are you ready for your copy of the latest **EUMC Newsletter**?

Just hop onto the internet at [www.eagleumc.com](http://www.eagleumc.com) and click on "Newsletter"!

If you don't have a computer, there are copies of the monthly newsletter in the hallway.

Do you want more? Our website also has our weekly bulletins, archives of previous bulletins and newsletters, sermons, current events, and group information.

Want something a little more personalized? Our website has a place to login to our "Online Community". Once you login, you will see your personalized list of groups and their current activities, as well as the ability to contact other church members without worrying about privacy or spam.

**Eagle United Methodist Church**  
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### WORSHIP & FELLOWSHIP LEADERS

(If you are unable to serve on the scheduled date, please trade with another volunteer.)

TODAY		<b>"Remembering Your Baptism" ~ Romans 6:1-13</b> 9:30am	
<b>Music Today</b>	Hymn Sing; I Surrender All; #399 Take My Life and Let it Be; #593 Here I Am, Lord		
<b>Ushers</b>	Steve Hamm & Dewy Shattuck	<b>ONE SERVICE AT 9:30AM TODAY</b> <b>THERE WILL BE NO SUNDAY SCHOOL OR YOUTH GROUP</b>	
<b>Greeters</b>	The Ketterling Family and Jenny Hazen		
<b>Liturgists</b>	Janet Marshall		
<b>Acolyte</b>	James Shattuck		
NEXT SUNDAY			
<b>Ushers</b>	Gary & Charlotte Adams	Lisa Woods & Paul Grimsted	
<b>Greeters</b>	Ron & Becky Morgan and Craig & Annette Christensen	Richard Gledhill & Louise Curtis and Ron Worden	
<b>Liturgists</b>	Billie Mellies	Lisa Woods	
<b>Acolyte</b>	TBD	Ryan Bethel	
<b>Coffee</b>	Dally Family	Irene Chaney & Lynn Ketterling	



## EAGLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Our Church Mission Statement is: *To Grow Disciples for Jesus Christ.*

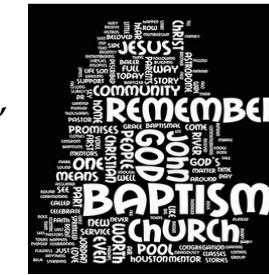
**Welcome!** We are pleased that you are worshipping God with us today. If you would like more information about our church, please write your contact information in the Attendance Registration Binder and a Minister of Visitation will contact you. All are welcome to participate in any of our Eagle United Methodist Church programs and events. **Please join us!**

### TODAY IN WORSHIP

#### Communion Sunday

**"Remembering Your Baptism"**  
*Romans 6:1-13*

Seize the power available to you in Christ and symbolized by your bap-



### NEXT WEEK IN WORSHIP

**"Fan or Follower?"**

**Luke 9:18-25 ~ Revelation 3:14-16**

Are you fully committed to God?  
Are you a whole hearted follower or just going through the motions?

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

January 1, 2012

**not a fan.**

becoming a completely. committed. follower.

**fan: an enthusiastic admirer.**

In the Gospels, Jesus never seemed too interested in fans. Is that how you define your relationship with Him? An "enthusiastic admirer"? Close enough to Jesus to get the benefits but not so close to require sacrifice? He was looking for followers. Not just any follower though, but a...

**completely. committed. follower.**

How would things change if you lived as Jesus lived, and loved the way He loved? Maybe you're ready to join the hundreds of people who have stepped across a line and said:

**i am not a fan.**

**beginning January 8th**

**more info on the table in the hallway or sign up online at [www.eagleumc.com](http://www.eagleumc.com).**

Several of these groups will determine when they will meet based on the needs of those who sign up. Please go to [www.eagleumc.com](http://www.eagleumc.com), click on "not a fan", then click on "sign me up!", or call the church office at 939-0108 to find out when groups will meet.

**Wednesday, 9 – 11am – Mom's Group**

*Joy Grimsted, 939-8817, [joygrimsted@q.com](mailto:joygrimsted@q.com)*

This group is for moms with children at home and meets in room 203. Babysitting is provided.

**Wednesday, 1:30pm – Women's Group**

*Billie Mellies, 286-7257*

This is a group of ladies of diverse ages (40's to 80's). Several members have a great deal of experience with scripture and small groups. The group meets in Room 201 at church.

**Thursday, 6pm – Mixed Group**

*Carolyn Stovall, 939-0246, [jaca@cableone.net](mailto:jaca@cableone.net)*

This mixed group is open to all ages. This group meets in the Sr. High Classroom in the basement.

**Mixed Group - Time & Date TBD**

*Bill & Marie Atwell, 939-2775, [marie@realivision.biz](mailto:marie@realivision.biz)*

This mixed group is open to all ages. This group meets at the Atwells.

**Mixed Group- Time & Date TBD**

*Hancocks/Phillips, 230-2702, [jim.hancock@genmills.com](mailto:jim.hancock@genmills.com)*

This group is open to all ages. This group meets at the Hancocks.



Everyone is invited to join in bathing the sanctuary in prayer 15 minutes prior to our worship services. Unless you are praying, the sanctuary will be closed until five minutes before the service begins.

This is an opportunity for us as a congregation to grow in prayer. A prayer suggestion list is available at the back of the sanctuary.

Part of fulfilling our mission statement is to purposefully get into the Word. Please follow along with the scripture reading today! Did you forget your Bible? There are Bibles on the table just outside of the sanctuary. Pick up a red Bible and be ready to follow along. Don't have a Bible? There are soft cover Bibles on the table for you to take and use as our gift to you.



### Begin the New Year by getting into the Word!

You won't want to miss a single week of **Bible Hour at 8:15am** prior to our 9:30am worship service. Pastor John is exploring different themes using both the Old and New Testament.

Classes are open to teens through adults and meets in the Fellowship Hall. Our Bible Hour is designed so you can just "drop-in". There is no book to buy and each segment can stand completely on its own. Coffee will be on so bring your Bible and get ready to explore and grow!



**Every day over 4,000 children are dying of water-related diseases such as cholera and typhoid that are easily preventable.** (UNICEF)

Many more are suffering sickness, diarrhea and acute stomach pains – the kinds of illnesses that stop children going to school and growing up into healthy adults.

Contaminated water kills 3.3 million people each year. Every 15 seconds, a child dies from water-related diseases. (UN) Right now, almost a billion people lack access to safe drinking water.

Your donation of \$55.00 will provide:

- A safe water system that provides a lifetime of safe drinking water for a child and his or her family in developing countries.
- Education for improving hygiene and sanitation.
- Support for improving community water sources and sanitation where needed.

All as part of Compassion's trusted care for the whole child, releasing a child from poverty physically, emotionally, educationally and spiritually.

**It has become our tradition to direct all of our Christmas offerings to a designated cause (unless otherwise noted). This year, our Mission Committee chose the "Water of Life" fund through Compassion international. The total received from the three Christmas Eve services and Christmas Day was \$6,878! That means that 125 families will have safe drinking water for the rest of their life because of your generous giving!** You may still give online at [www.compassion.com/waterof life](http://www.compassion.com/wateroflife).

## ALL CHURCH EVENTS BOWLING AT WESTY'S



All are invited to join the fun on **Monday, January 2nd at 2:00pm** and bowl until 4:00pm. Cost is \$3 per game, \$2 for shoes and bowling balls are supplied. We need your

**RSVP by Monday morning, January 2nd**, to get you in the game!



All women of the church are invited to experience the



on **Tuesday, January 3rd**.

We'll see the dazzling display of nearly 250,000 sparkling lights artfully displayed at a relaxing pace! **Meet at the church at 6:15pm to carpool over.** Cost is \$8 per person. Hot chocolate, coffee and cookies are available to keep us warm!

### BOOK CLUB

Interested in becoming a part of a women's monthly book club? Come to quick informal gathering on **Sunday, January 8th** in the Conference Room **in between services**. We'll talk about good times to meet and what book we'll start!

### "UNDRESSING" THE CHURCH

We need your help to take down our Christmas decorations and stow them away until next year. **We'll begin at 10am on Monday, January 2nd.** Pastor John will buy pizza for anyone who comes to help and we'll all fellowship over lunch!



Sunday, January 1: *New Years Day*  
**Communion Sunday**  
**Worship: 9:30am**

Monday, January 2:  
**"UnDressing" the Church: 10am**  
**All Church Bowling at Westy's: 2pm**  
**Eagle Bluegrass Gospel Band: 6:30pm**

Tuesday, January 3:  
**Men's Small Group: 6:30am**  
**Prayer Group: 9am**  
**Staff Meeting: 10am**  
**Women's Ministry- Winter Garden aGlow at Botanical Gardens: 6pm**

Wednesday, January 4:  
**Mom's Small Group: 9am**  
**Women's Small Group: 1:30pm**  
**EBGB's Rehearsal: 3pm**  
**The Next Generation: 4pm**  
**Men's 4th Day: 6:30pm**  
**Stephen Ministry Support: 6:30pm**

Thursday, January 5:  
**Women's Small Group: 2pm**  
**Worship Band Rehearsal: 5:30pm**  
**Adult Choir Rehearsal: 7pm**

Sunday, January 8: *not a fan*  
**Bible Hour: 8:15am**  
**Sunday School: 9:30am**  
**Worship: 9:30 & 11am**  
**Book Club Formation Mtg: 10:30am**  
**Children's Church: 11:15am**  
**Dutch Lunch Bunch: 12:15pm**  
**Youth Choir: 12:15pm**  
**Momentum Youth Group: 4pm**  
**Adult Handbell Choir: 4pm**



**Friday, January 13 - Prime Timers**  
**Sunday, January 15 - Car Rally & Potluck**

