#### Theological Roots pt.1

"Christians Only (but not the only Christians)"

John 17: 20-23

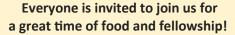
Nathan Crowe

## Join us NEXT Sunday, Nov. 24th for Eastview's Thanksgiving Luncheon

Immediately following the morning service downstairs in the Fellowship Hall.

Turkey, ham, sides, coffee and water provided.

Dessert or salad appreciated, but not mandatory.





We need volunteers to sign up to bake and carve a turkey for the luncheon. If interested, please call the office at 765-342-4483 or sign up in the foyer. Pick up day for the turkeys is THIS Friday, Nov. 22nd from 12-1PM or you can talk to Marilyn Karst to make other arrangements. Thank you!

#### Thanksgiving Luncheon Volunteer Opportunity—

In partnership with our Fellowship Team, we will have our Big House kids & youth help with the ECC annual Thanksgiving Luncheon. Kids will be able to help with decorating/setting up, serving, cleanup during or after, and serving food to those in the community. There is a sign up sheet for kids to sign up outside of the Big House classroom or call the office. If you have any questions about this volunteer opportunity, please find Jackie Glass.

Save the Date! ECC Women's Cookie Exchange will be Thursday, Dec. 5th

#### Prince of Peace- Bethlehem Walk- Saturday, December 7th!

This expanded, live Nativity will take you back in time to experience a night like no other—the night our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ was born. Tours are self-guided and end with cookies and hot chocolate in Luther Hall. ECC has tickets for the 5:30-6:00 slot. Meet at ECC 5-5:15 PM if you want to carpool or meet at Prince of Peace by 5:30. Sign up in the foyer. If this time is not convenient go to popmartinsville.360unite.com/coming-events

#### ECC will be collecting "SOUP AND CRACKERS" for the month of November-

The collection basket is in the foyer by the library.

#### 2025-2026 Eastview Leadership Candidates

If you would like to submit the name of a man from the ECC congregation to be considered for a **deacon or elder position**, please complete one of the forms at the Welcome Center & give it to any elder. (Stefan Bathory, Tracy Hunter, Joe Mills or Tom Walker)

#### **Shoeboxes are Due Back Today!**

See Sarah Burnett if you have questions!



**Employment Opportunity with IDES**— They are looking for an accountant and a field care coordinator. Go to ides.org/careers for more information.

#### Hat & Glove Drive for Wellspring-

Eastview's Mission Team is sponsoring a winter glove and hat drive for WellSpring, our homeless shelter for families. We would like to collect water-resistant gloves in adult sizes and knit gloves in children's sizes. Winter hats of any kind in any size would be welcomed. There will be a decorated Christmas box in the foyer (starting on Sunday, Nov. 24th) for collection of these items. Please help us help the needy by participating in this drive, which will end on Sunday, December 15. Thank you!!

#### Children & Youth-

#### Children's Welcome Center Check-in/ New Security Procedures-

Parents will need to sign-in and pick up their child's pick up tag at the Children's check-in **BEFORE** going down to class. Teachers need to check that each parent/guardian has their child's pick up tag. If you do not have the pick up tag or you are not an approved person to pick up a child, they will not be released to that person. Parents need to fill out and return the Parent Form that was mailed to you. If you need a form please get one from the Children's check-in.

**TODAY is Operation Christmas Child packing day!** The Tree House and Big House kids will be packing shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child during Children's Church.

### **TODAY is Cookies and Clay & Lamp Post Decorating!**

Kids in our Children's Ministry will be painting clay ornaments for Christmas from **11:30-12:15 PM** in the Fellowship Hall. All supplies will be provided, we just ask that families bring cookies to share. We will also be decorating a Lamp Post in downtown Martinsville from **1-2 PM**.



#### Family Worship Sunday-

Preschool & Elementary age kids (1st—5th) will be joining their families in the Sanctuary during Worship Service on the 5th Sunday of the month. Busy bags/sermon sacks will be available for anyone who wants them.

Next Family Worship is Dec. 29th.

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**Study & Fellowship Opportunities** 

**Sunday:** 8:30 a.m. Coffee & Donuts (Fellowship Hall)

9:00 a.m. Sunday School classes for all ages (Pick up a list of classes at the Welcome Center)

10:00 a.m. Worship Service

**Friday:** 7:00 p.m. Overcomers – ECC Fellowship Hall

#### Sunday, November 10, 2024

#### **Sunday Worship Attendance**

In Person 158

Due to the power outage, will have no online streaming numbers to report from last week's service.

Sunday School 73

Offering \$ 8,532

Weekly Budget Target \$ 8,942

Monday, Nov. 18th 10:00 a.m. "Butterfly" Watercolor class

5:00 p.m. Elders Meeting

6:00 p.m. Leadership Meeting

Friday, Nov. 22nd 12:00 p.m. Volunteers P/U Turkeys at ECC

7:00 p.m. Overcomers– Fellowship Hall

Sunday, Nov. 24th 9:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship Service

11:30 a.m. Thanksgiving Luncheon

#### **Eastview office hours:**

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday 9-4, Friday 9-1. Closed Tuesdays.

# **MINISTRY IN MOTION**

Reaching People FOR Christ and Building People UP IN Christ November 17, 2024



Nathan's Notes...

Throughout this year, we've been studying "Deep Roots", developing strong faith so that we are able to live productive lives for Christ. We've talked about the roots of our faith that we must be established in to grow in Him, the roots of church life and the practices that help us grow into strong followers, and the disciplines that help us to cultivate our roots.

Today we are beginning a short series that looks at Eastview's theological roots. Because ECC (and many similar churches) are not a part of a denomination, some are unaware of it's theological background. Just as our church has a number of Biblical values we wish to emphasize for our current season of ministry (doctrine, outreach, youth, assimilation, etc.), ours and many other churches have their origin in certain Biblical principles that saw great emphasis in the early 1800's through what came to be known as the Restoration Movement. Over the next few weeks (with a break for Thanksgiving) we will be looking at some of these timeless principles like unity, Biblical authority, and grace.

<sup>\*</sup>You may also contact any of the staff via e-mail:firstname@eastviewchristianchurch.org