

March 29, 2026

“High Expectation”

Luke 19:28-44

Nathan Crowe

Fellowship Team Meeting TODAY after Worship Service in the Sanctuary–

this will be a brief meeting to finalize the Resurrection Sunday breakfast plans.

Eastview's Community Garden will be starting up soon.

If you're interested in getting a garden plot, please contact the church office or sign up in the foyer. **We also need volunteers that will help organize the garden.**

If you'd like to help out, please let the office or one of the elders know.

Saturday, April 25th- Annual Church Cleanup Day at 9 AM!

This is a great time to come out in fellowship with others to ‘shine up’ the church and make it a more welcoming place for all. There will be many jobs large and small, inside and out. **No experience necessary and all ages welcome.**

Pizza will be provided for lunch.

ECC's Food of the Month is “Condiments-Again!”-

You can drop donations off in the basket by the library.

Donations go to the M1 Nazarene Food Pantry.

Join us for Prayer Hour on the last Sunday of the Month–

5 topics– unseen warfare, unconfessed sin, unforgiving hearts, uncaring attitudes, and unacceptable motives.

Tithing at Eastview-

There are 3 easy ways to give-

There are **two brown donations boxes** in the back of the Sanctuary (for cash/checks).

Scan this QR code with your cellphone camera to go directly to our online “Breeze” giving site.

Text the amount you would like to give to our text-to-give number: 765-248-3131.

Contact Robin Day at 765-342-4483 X 6 with any questions.



Resurrection Breakfast- If you would like to help the Fellowship Team with this event, they are in need of egg breakfast casseroles. If you would be interested in making one for the Resurrection Breakfast, **please sign up at the table in the foyer. Thank you!**

March Mission Update–

Thanks to the amazing grace of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, and the generous sharing of our church family tithes, offerings, and gifts, the Misson Team was able to help in many ways this month.

We were able to give \$250 to Katrian Korb in Nigeria for children’s books and \$200 to Desert Rose, our women’s shelter, to apply toward their wish list. Finally, we are able to sponsor three men from the Indiana Dream Team to participate in the Emmaus Walk.

Please lift up each of these gifts in prayer, that they might be sanctified by our all-loving God.

Today is “5th Sunday Family Worship”-

Elementary age kids (1st—5th) will be joining their families during Worship Service. Sermon bags are available at the Children’s Welcome Center.

4th & 5th graders are welcome to join Youth Group TONIGHT from 5-6:30 PM!

Join us for an evening of fun...snacks, games and lesson!

Quarterly Children’s Volunteer Mtg. after Worship Service on Sunday, April 12th!

Kountry Kids Preschool Registration Is Now Open!

NOW ENROLLING for the Fall 2026-27 school year for our PRESCHOOL & PRE-K CLASSES. Contact Preschool Director, Johnna Barker, at 765-342-4483, ext. 5 with any questions or go to the Kountry Kids preschool page on our Eastview website to fill out an inquiry form.

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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, March 22, 2026

Sunday Worship Attendance

In person	153
Online Connections	15
* Additional Weekly Reached	12

* Please note the online numbers are conservatively estimated based on number of views per device. It does not directly reflect the number of those watching and being reached on those devices.

Sunday School

Offering	\$ 6,688
Weekly Budget Target	\$ 8,621

This week...

Tuesday, March 31st	10:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study
Friday, April 3rd	Good Friday! 7:00 p.m. Overcomer's Meeting
Sunday, April 5th	7:30 a.m. Sunrise Service 8:00 a.m. Resurrection Breakfast 9:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Resurrection Worship Service

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
March 29, 2026



Nathan's Notes...

Welcome to Palm Sunday at Eastview! You'll notice that a few things are different today. First, because it is the fifth Sunday of the month, it is a family Sunday, so our kids are upstairs with us today. We'll try to include them some in our normal service. But second, if you are new to church, you'll notice that today is a special day. Palm Sunday is the day we commemorate Jesus' arrival at Jerusalem just prior to His crucifixion and death. It is always celebrated the Sunday before Easter.

For me personally, Palm Sunday is a day of mixed feelings. It was a joyous occasion when Jesus arrived in Jerusalem, being met by crowds celebrating the arrival of the Savior, and it is also celebrated as a joyous occasion among Christians today. But I feel that hindsight adds a sobering element to it. The crowds in Jesus' time were excited, in part, because they expected a Savior Who would deliver them from Roman oppression. In reality, they had the right Savior, but they had wrongly identified the enemy, not realizing that the real oppressors of God's people are sin and rebellion. They were overjoyed because they believed Jesus would reign from a throne in Jerusalem, not realizing that He would actually die and then reign from a throne in Heaven.

Overall, the thing that stands out to me about Palm Sunday is that was a time when people had high expectations of Jesus, but, ironically, they were not high enough. But it is hard to fault them, since we often do the same thing ourselves. We often spend much of our focus, hoping that God will give us a good life on earth- financial stability, peaceful co-existence, improved health, and easy work- all things that are not bad in and of themselves, and all things that God does bless people with at times. But the irony is that we can sometimes be blind to the fact that whatever we may hope for pales in comparison to the gift of grace He's already given us through Jesus and the hope of eternal life.