

One Message, Many Methods pt. 1

“Confrontational Evangelism”

Acts 2: 14-41

Nathan Crowe

Thank you!

Thank you to all the ECC volunteers who came out on Saturday, April 13th for the church cleanup day! All of the help was SO APPRECIATED!!

Camp Allendale Service Days-

Two remaining Saturdays... **May 4th & 11th.** Each day begins at 8 AM & lunch will be served. Call the Camp Office (317-878-4400) to schedule your date.

Eastview Community Garden-

If your family or organization is interested in planting a garden this year or if you would like to help volunteer, please sign up in the foyer or contact Michael Edwards at 765-318-3711.



Food of the Month-

ECC will be collecting “INSTANT/BOXED POTATOES” for the month of April. The collection basket is in the foyer by the library.

Habitat Build-

Due to some scheduling issues, ECC is no longer creating a “ECC team” for the Habitat Build. If you have questions, please see Joe Mills.

National Day Prayer- Thursday, May 2nd-

This American tradition is actually older than America itself, dating back to the Second Continental Congress, before the Declaration of Independence. Before America was born, it was already steeped in a tradition of prayer! This tradition continues in modern America each year, with the president proclaiming the first Thursday in May as the National Day of Prayer.



ECC & Stability First “GAME NIGHT”- Saturday, May 4th 4-6 PM-

Join us at the church for a fun time of Trivia, Bingo, Games for Children, Free Food and Prizes! This is a substance free alternative event sponsored by IU Health- The Congregational Care. See Nathan or Tricia McElroy for more information.

Annual Mother's Day Flower Sale

Friday, May 10th and Saturday, May 11th! Support victims by surprising the mothers in your life with a beautiful hanging flower basket. Live flower sale beginning at 10 am on Friday and Saturday. Two locations: Downtown across the post office or Grand Valley Plaza by PetSmart.

Keenager’s Day” is Tuesday, May 14th-

Not too Old- Turning your Later Years into Greater Years. Cost is \$10.00. Registration begins at 10am. See the bulletin boards for more details. **Call in your reservation by May 11th to 317-878-4400.**

6th Annual IDES Golf Outing, Saturday June 8th-

7AM Registration, 8 AM Tee Off, 1 PM Catered Lunch. \$100 per player. **Pebble Brook Golf Course.** Go to <https://ides.org/golf-2024> for more information or click on the QR code.



3rd Annual “Swinging for Stability” Golf Outing at Foxcliff- Thursday, June 20th!

11 AM Registration & Driving Range, 12 PM Lunch, 1 PM TEE OFF! All proceeds benefit Stability First’s mission to provide recovery housing and tailored services to individuals facing addiction and life-controlling challenges. **Go to www.stabilityfirst.org/golf to register.**

ICOM- Lexington, Kentucky- Nov. 14-16th-

Have you ever attended the International Conference on Missions? This year, Eastview has purchased a church-wide registration- which means you get to attend or stream online for FREE! Contact the office if you would like to attend virtually, we can walk you through the procedure and give you the access code.

Children & Youth-

TODAY is the Terracotta and Tacos Event-

If you are **preregistered** for the event, please meet in the Fellowship Hall after service.

Graduates

Know a 2024 High School or College Graduate?

We would like to get a graduation picture and details about future interests/plans for all high school & college graduates. Please send the info to angie@eastviewchristianchurch.org or text the info to 317- 690-9523 by Sunday, May 12th.



Join us for “Top Secret” VBS - Sunday, June 23rd-27th. 6-8:30 PM

**Jesus came to love & serve. Come ready to *Learn* to love & serve.
Come ready to work on secret projects that will benefit and show
God’s love to others. Learn to be a Secret Agent for God!**

ONLINE REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

Go to <https://eastviewchristianchurch.org/> to register online or see the VBS table in the foyer and pick up a form.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

There is an information table and sign up sheets in the foyer.

On Sunday, June 23rd- 3-5pm- All Church meal packing event with IDES.



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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

Thursday: 10:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study- Conference Room

Friday: 7:00 p.m. Overcomers- ECC Fellowship Hall

Sunday, April 21, 2024

Sunday Worship Attendance

In Person	150
* Online Connections	16
* Additional Weekly Reached	10
* 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	66
Offering	\$ 4,193
Weekly Budget Target	\$ 8,942

Thursday, May 2nd	National Day of Prayer! 10:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study
Friday, May 3rd	7:00 p.m. Overcomers- ECC Fellowship Hall
Saturday, May 4th	8:00 a.m. Camp Allendale Work Day! 4:00 p.m. ECC/Stability First "Game Night"
Sunday, May 5th	9:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:00 a.m. 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
April 28, 2024



Nathan's Notes...

This week we begin our series "One Message, Many Methods" in which we will look at several examples throughout scripture of how the good news of Jesus was communicated to people. When we look at the various means through which God's servants shared the Gospel, one thing becomes very clear: the same message has been communicated in multiple ways. And that is what we want to focus on in this series. We can often be intimidated by the task of evangelism because we feel we don't know how. But one of the things I hope we come to see over the next few weeks is that as long as we have the central message, we have many options before us of how to best communicate it.

Today we will be looking at delivering the good news in a direct and plain way and one of the best examples in scripture comes from the confrontational character of Peter. Peter rarely hesitated to take action, so when he saw a large, attentive crowd before him on the day of Pentecost, he gladly "laid it all out" before them, which resulted in thousands placing faith in Christ.