

# THE MESSENGER

## EASTERN HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH



### Homeless Mat Ministry

**Volunteer Opportunity**

Saturday, February 10  
EASTERN HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH  
Reception Room  
8:00 AM - 12:00 Noon

The mats are given to the homeless to help them have a comfortable place to rest. The process to weave a mat is time consuming. The mat can be woven in a day. In order to get to that point, we need your help. We need volunteers to assist by folding, cutting and looping plastic bags. We would love to have you come out and help us in this ministry.

PLEASE RSVP: KARLA GROVES  
karlasmilie626@gmail.com



*“The Spirit you received does not make you slaves, so that you live in fear again; rather, the Spirit you received brought about your adoption to sonship. And by him we cry, “Abba, Father.” - Romans 8:15*

As a new aunt, I can attest that there are not many things more miraculous than new life. Getting to hold my precious nephew for the first time is one of the best experiences I have had to date. He was just so perfect and innocent. He was beautiful! (He still is, but I am just a little biased.) I have watched firsthand how my sister and brother-in-law have become a mother and father, and boy do they love that precious little baby. This has been such a great reminder of the Lord’s love for His people. I have watched as my sister and brother-in-law are already making sacrifices for my nephew. They have sacrificed their sleep, their time, and so much more, but I have no doubt in my mind that they would do it again because of how much they love their child.

Just like I have watched them make sacrifices for their child, I am reminded of the sacrifice God made for us. The ultimate sacrifice. He sent His Son to die and take away our sins.

This sacrifice gave us new life and made us innocent. Similar to how my sweet nephew was free of sin, we as believers were made clean from our sin when we were reborn. I am always so thankful when God sends us these reminders that He is our Father and He loves us so much.

In Christ,  
**Taylor Noah**



### GRIEF SHARE

If you or someone you know has lost a love one and would like to join our Grief Share Group, please contact the church office.

We will meet on Sunday afternoons at 3:00 p.m. in the Conference Room. The next class will begin this Sunday, February 4, 2024.



### Valentine's Banquet

Tuesday, February 13 | 6:00 PM  
\$15 Per Person

Sign up online, in Sunday School or call the church office by Friday, February 9th.  
Everyone is invited to a night of fun & laughter.

**Special Guest: Matt Fore**  
Comedian, Magician & Minister



## Book Bunch Club

**Book Bunch Club is a reading competition for children preschool thru grade 6.**

**Wednesdays, 5:15-5:45 PM**

Register in the church library or online. Read any books and record the titles on the form provided. Submit the form to the church library for prizes. The church library will be open for children to get books 5:15-5:45 PM.

**EHBC Library - Room I2I**

We had a busy day in the church library. Please come check out our library. There are so many great books for all ages.



### AMPLIFY 2024 Montgomery DNOW Weekend Taylor Road Baptist Church

Ephesians 2:10

**YMS&G EVENT**

February 23, 6:00 PM -  
February 25, 12:00 PM  
Cost: \$40

*Sign up online, the Realm App, or call the church office.*

Our theme this year is "Make It Matter". Make It Matter shows how much difference a life empowered by the Word can make; how Jesus is the power source for a life that matters; how God designed us to impact the world together; and how trusting in God's plan is the key to real impact.

Contact Taylor Noah

## SENIOR EVENTS

**Thursday, February 8, 9:30 AM - Celebration Singers, Choir Suite**

**Thursday, February 22, 9:30 AM - Celebration Singers, Choir Suite**

**Monday, February 26, 8:00 AM - Breakfast Bunch, Chappy's on Perry Hill Road**

**HOSPICE PANTRY - IT IS TIME TO RESTOCK.**

On January 9, 2009, we made our first purchase for the Hospice Pantry. In 15 years, Christ has touched so many lives by our pantry. Donations can be made to the Hospice Pantry account. *Thank you for helping with this ministry!*

### SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

What a blessing it is to belong to one of EHBC's Sunday School classes. *So, does everyone know that?*

This past Sunday each SS class was asked to contact every member on its roll who hasn't attended in the past few months. Would you volunteer to serve as the one from your class who makes those calls and lets the absentees know that they're missed. If in those calls you find that someone has joined another church, please let our church office know, so that the proper letters of membership transfer can be handled. If your classmates haven't joined another church, please invite them to not only join you in Sunday School & Worship but to the upcoming 2/13 Valentine Banquet and/or other events promoting Christian fellowship. Lisa Merrell, Pastor's Administrative Assistant, will gladly provide you a list of absentees as needed. Should you have any other questions, please call Sharon Myers.

**MARCH 8-9, 2024**  
EASTMONT BAPTIST CHURCH  
MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

**\$40 PER PERSON**  
INCLUDES REGISTRATION,  
SATURDAY LUNCH & T-SHIRT

COURTNEY VEASEY  
Bible Study Leader

**March 8 - 9, 2024**  
*Register by February 23*  
**Sign up online, the Realm App, or call the church office.**

All teen girls, grades 7-12 and their leaders  
Come and bring your girls for a day of  
Solid Bible Teaching,  
Missionary Testimonies,  
Authentic Worship,  
and Relevant Breakouts,  
for today's culture, and more!  
Check-in begins at 7:00 PM on Friday.  
Worship begins at 8:00 PM on Friday.  
Complete concludes by 3:00 PM on Saturday.  
Contact Taylor Noah

# IN THE PULPIT

SUNDAY, February 4 | 10:30 AM  
Interim Pastor: Dr. Rob Jackson  
Finding Your Purpose in 2024:  
"You Must Be Glowing"  
Isaiah 6

## ATTENDANCE

Sunday, January 28, 2024

### SUNDAY SCHOOL

Total In-Person..... 167  
Remote..... 29

### WORSHIP

Worship Care.....8  
Worship Service.....154  
Total Worship.....162

# BUDGET REPORT

## YTD BUDGET REPORT

Budget Requirements \$110,659.84  
Budget Receipts 82,429.20  
UNDER BUDGET 28,230.64

## WEEKLY BUDGET REPORT

JANUARY 28, 2024

Budget Requirements \$27,664.96  
Budget Receipts 19,813.75  
UNDER BUDGET 7,851.21

## DESIGNATED

Designated \$1,170.00

## Sanctuary Flowers

February 4, 2024

In Loving Memory of

**Mr. Curtis L. Wells**

given by,

Reba & Bill Summers,

Brenda Nichols, & Family

Enjoy a night of fun, games, crafts,  
and a snack. We will meet in choir  
class and then go to the Gym.

Preschool - 6th Grade

Wednesday, February 14th

5:45 PM - 7:15 PM

M2  
CHILDREN'S  
VALENTINE  
NIGHT

Bring your  
Parents and  
Grandparents  
to join in  
the fun!



## EHBC KIDZ!

LOVE THE LORD YOUR GOD WITH ALL YOUR HEART, SOUL, MIND AND STRENGTH

February 4

Children's Worship

Bible Skills, Drills & Thrills

### NOTE FROM SANDY HARMANN:

If you want to stay connected and get reminders when we have an event, I have created a Remind Group. You will get a text with information you need. If you want to be added to the group, just text 81010 with the message @ehbcch.

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER

February 7

Sunday chicken, rice pilaf, carrots,  
lima beans, roll and strawberry shortcake

Reservations can be made online, by calling the church office, or by completing a reservation card located in the back of the pews. Completed cards can be placed in the offering plate or boxes.

Cost is \$8 per person, \$30 max per household.  
Reservations must be made by noon on Monday.

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## RETURN BY FEBRUARY 28

**ITEMS WILL BE COLLECTED ON SUNDAY MORNINGS AT ALL CHURCH BUILDING ENTRANCES AND DURING THE WEEK AT THE KAREN ROAD ENTRANCE.**

*SUGGESTED FOOD LIST: powdered milk, pudding, pop tarts, dried beans/peas, rice, flour, masa corn, jelly, jell-o, soap, shampoo, deodorant, canned meat, peanut butter, canned fruit, canned vegetables, cereal, macaroni and cheese, baked beans, ramen noodles, pasta, dried/chilis, dried or canned black beans, vienna sausages, toothpaste, toothbrushes, toilet tissue.*

**Save  
The Date**

**VBS Workers Needed!**

**June 2 - 6, 2024**

**5:00-8:00 PM**

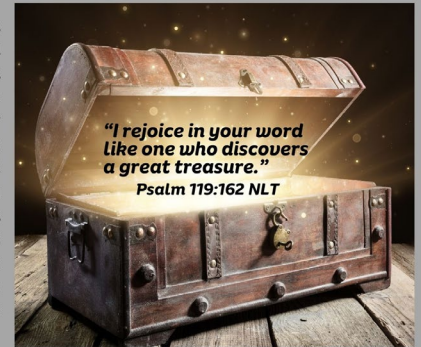
Contact Sandy Harmann

Vacation Bible School Training, 9:00 AM - 2:30 PM

February 24 - Glynwood Baptist Church, Prattville



Sunday, February 4, children in grades 1-6 will be going old school! In Sunday School each week, the children will receive an envelope to place their offering. On the envelope they will check if they brought their Bible as well as if they have read their Bible each day. For those with perfect attendance at the end of the month, they will get to pick something from the treasure box!



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The Messenger, Eastern Hills Baptist Church  
3604 Pleasant Ridge Road, Montgomery, Alabama 36109.  
334-272-0604

POSTAGE

### WEEKLY SCHEDULE

#### SUNDAY

- 9:15 AM - Sunday School
- 10:30 AM - Worship Service
- 8:30 - 10:15 AM - Library Hours
- 3:00 PM - Grief Share, Conference Room  
*(Grief Share will resume February 4, 2024.)*

#### TUESDAY

- 6:00 AM - Men's Prayer Meeting in the RR
- 9:00 AM - Ladies' Precepts Bible Study, Room 139
- 9:30 AM - WEM Bible Study in the RR

#### WEDNESDAY

- 3:30-4:30 PM - P.A.T (Prayer Assault Team), Room 128
- 5:00 PM - Supper, Gym
- 5:45-7:15 PM - M<sup>2</sup> / Music & Missions (3 years-6th grade)
- 6:15 PM - ONE (7th-12th grades) in the Youth Room
- 6:00 PM - Adult Bible Study - Reception Room,  
Interim Pastor Rob Jackson
- 6:15 PM - Adult Choir Rehearsal

ADDRESS LABEL