



THE MESSENGER

EASTERN HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH



**EHBC
Welcomes**
Our New Pastor
**Jeremy
Smalley**
Sunday, August 25

Ecclesiastes 3:1 and 11 says, *“For everything there is a season, and a time for every matter under heaven...”* We all go through seasons of life, and we all know that with each season there are changes. We are excited about the season that we are entering in with our church. This week we welcome the Smalley family to Eastern Hills. Jeremy begins his ministry as our Pastor. Jeremy, Amber, Jerrel and Jack have made their move to Montgomery and will be residing in the Mission House until his house in Mobile sells. Pray for them as they seek their new home in Montgomery. We want to make this transition a smooth one and we want to lift them up in prayer as we know that moving is a stressful time. This Sunday will be his first Sunday in the pulpit as Pastor of Eastern Hills. Sunday School teachers, let’s make sure that everyone in your classes gets an invitation from you to be a part of Bible study and worship this Sunday as we welcome the Smalley family.

This week we want to recognize a person that does a lot behind the scenes for our church. As of August 22, Chad Royal will have served Eastern Hills as our Building Superintendent for 30 years. Chad goes way beyond the call of duty. He loves this church and wants it to look its best and be ready for all activities that take place here. Thank you Chad, for the job that you do and for being a friend.

This past Saturday we had the privilege of being the hands and feet of Christ as we distributed food to the needy. We were able to distribute over six thousand pounds this past Saturday. Sixty families were able to receive food and that means that every family received over one hundred pounds of food. God has provided the volunteers to prepare the bags and distribute the food and He has provided the funds to purchase the food through the food bank without using ANY budget monies. Thank you EHBC Volunteers for Serving. If you would like to be a part of this ministry, please see me and we are always looking for more volunteers. We distribute food on the third Saturday of each month.

We hope to see you on Sunday!

Dan Harrison

YOUTH BACK-TO-SCHOOL FUN NIGHT

Students, 7th-12th Grade
Friday, September 13
\$30 - includes dinner, dessert, Escapology,
games & swimming (weather permitting)
5:00 PM - Meet at Church

Deadline to sign-up is September 6. Sign up through Realm App.
Contact Taylor Noah

NOTICE:

The reception for Jeremy, Amber & family has been changed from the Reception Room to the Gym. The date is still on Sunday, September 8.

Congratulations!
CHAD ROYAL
*On 30 Years of
Faithful Service as*
Building Superintendent
AUGUST 22
Happy Anniversary!

Welcome

Pastor Jeremy Smalley & Family

EHBC is excited to share that Jeremy, Amber & family will be arriving on Monday, August 19 and will be staying in an Airbnb temporarily, then moving into the Mission House on Saturday, August 24.

We would like to welcome them and help in the transition of moving. Your Sunday School class, or you as an individual, can assist the Smalley family by providing a gift card from a local merchant or by contributing toward a larger gift card through EHBC to help provide meals and assist them as needed in their moving process.

Since they are new to the area, recommendations to local restaurants or merchants would also be helpful.

There will be a dinner honoring Pastor Jeremy & family.
Sunday, September 8

5:00 PM - Gym (**changed from RR to Gym**)

EHBC will provide pulled pork, tea & coffee.

We ask that our members bring a side dish or dessert.

A designated place will be provided in the Gym where you may leave cards for the Smalley Family.



Women's Ministry Fall Bible Studies

Precepts: Romans - Part III

Kay Arthur (9/10 - 11/12)

Tuesday, 9:00 AM, Room 139

Led by Rebecca Morris

RUTH - Loss, Love & Legacy

Kelly Minter (9/10 - 10/22)

Tuesday, 9:30 AM, Reception Room

Facilitated by Kim Cluck

LIBRARY MEMORIAL:

The book, "Bells and Tales - Stories of Amazing Missions Moments"

By Rosalie Hunt

given in memory of

JEREMIAH PATRICK MCCLAIN, SR
(brother of Nancy McClain)

given by Sisters in Christ SS Class.

AMPLIFY WKND (DNow) Eastmont Baptist Church

**THIS EVENT HAS BEEN POSTPONED
UNTIL FEBRUARY 2025**



Deacon Nomination Timeline

Sunday, August 25 - September 1
Nomination forms will be available to members to nominate up to ten men to serve as Deacons. Completed forms may be placed in the offering plate, drop boxes or turned into the church office.

Sunday, September 1
Deadline for all forms to be turned in.

September 2 - 19
Ballots will be tabulated and Deacons nominated will be contacted.

Sunday, September 22
The top ten nominations willing to serve will be confirmed by a church-wide vote in the morning worship service.

October 1
New Deacons term begins.

IN THE PULPIT
SUNDAY, August 25 | 10:30 AM
Pastor Jeremy Smalley
A Faithful Focus
I Corinthians 2:1-5

ATTENDANCE
Sunday, August 18, 2024

SUNDAY SCHOOL
 Total In-Person..... 218
 Remote..... 35

WORSHIP
 Worship Care.....8
 Worship Service.....187
 Total Worship.....195



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO HELP TUTOR AT FLOWERS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BY LISTENING AS A CHILD READS OR HELPING WITH WORK WHERE NEEDED.

STARTS MID AUGUST AND WILL CONTINUE THROUGH THE SCHOOL YEAR. SIGN UP IN SUNDAY SCHOOL



BUDGET REPORT

YTD BUDGET REPORT

Budget Requirements	\$912,943.68
Budget Receipts	782,698.84
UNDER BUDGET	130,244.84

WEEKLY BUDGET REPORT
August 18, 2024

Budget Requirements	\$27,664.96
Budget Receipts	25,306.55
UNDER BUDGET	2,358.41

DESIGNATED

Designated	\$2,159.90
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- SENIOR ADULT EVENTS**
- Thursday, September 5, 6:00 PM - Favorite Team Night, Reception Room. The cost is \$6 per person. Sign up in Sunday School or call the church office.
 - Thursday, September 12, 9:30 AM - Celebration Singers, Choir Suite
 - Thursday, September 19, 11:30 AM - Lunch & Bingo to follow in the Reception Room, lunch will be Marco's Pizza. The cost is \$8 per person. Sign up in Sunday School or call the church office.
 - Thursday, September 26, 9:30 AM - Celebration Singers & Voices of Victory, at local assisted living. The bus will leave the church at 9:00 AM.
 - Monday, September 30, 8:00 AM - Senior Breakfast Bunch at Chappy's on Perry Hill Road



Backpacks will go to a local church plant: **Southside Gospel Fellowship Church**

Please contact the church office for a supply list or for more information at (334) 272-0604.

Share a gift of love and the Gospel with a child in need this Christmas.

Church Goal:
100 Filled Backpacks
 Backpacks are available. You can purchase your own Bible for the backpack.

Filled backpacks can be left in the collection buckets located in the CLC area no later than **Sunday, August 25.**

Eastern Hills Baptist Church Is
Pleased To Announce Our
New Pastor & Family

The Smalleys

**Jeremy, Amber,
Jerrel & Jack**

Pastor Smalley's first
day in the pulpit will
be August 25.



AUM OUTREACH

Help Needed!

There is an immediate need for two paid workers to work with babies up to two years of age on Wednesday nights.

Missions Teacher for three year old class on Wednesday nights

Sunday School Assistant Teacher needed for the two-three year old class.

Contact Sandy Harmann (334) 398-2250.

I'm so grateful to Keith Pate, Jill and Aubrie Wells, Cheryl Chappell and Jason Price, who served with me and the office staff, who helped in preparation, as EHBC participated in the annual Church Walk booth at the AUM Baptist Campus Ministry. What an amazing response our Sunday School members made to our request for homemade cookies as part of today's give-aways to the AUM students. They were thrilled because, as one student put it, "homemade is always the best!" We also appreciate the pallets of bottled water donated by our generous men's class.

Most of the students shared prayer requests with us and we have prayed for those individual needs. We also ask that you pray for these young adults who need the Lord, a loving church family, and pray that they will accept our invitation to come worship with us at EHBC. Thank you, *Sharon Myers*

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POSTAGE

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

SUNDAY

9:15 AM - Sunday School
10:30 AM - Worship Service
8:30 - 10:15 AM - Library Hours

TUESDAY

6:00 AM - Men's Prayer Meeting in the RR

WEDNESDAY

3:30 PM - P.A.T (Prayer Assault Team), Room 128
5:00 PM - Supper, Gym
5:45 PM - M² Music & Missions (4K - 6th grade)
6:00 PM - Adult Bible Study - Reception Room
6:15 PM - ONE (7th-12th grades) in the Youth Room
6:15 PM - Adult Choir Rehearsal

ADDRESS LABEL