

GET CONNECTED & STAY CONNECTED

WELCOME CENTER (located in our lobby by the TV monitor)

Visit the **Welcome Center** before or after the service to find information about our church, events that are going on at ESBC and materials that are available to help you and your family.

VISITOR'S GUEST CARD

Fill out the yellow card located in the back of the chair in front of you in the sanctuary and place it in the offertory basket. Or you may go online and complete the "First Time Guest Survey" located under the "**ABOUT**" tab. Someone will be in touch to find out more about you and how you can become a part of ESBC. We look forward to getting to know you!!

PRAYER INFORMATION

Copies of church prayer requests and Missionary Moments can be picked up weekly at the **Welcome Center**. Prayer requests may be submitted to the church secretary by phone or by email.

HFG INFORMATION

HFG stands for "Home Fellowship Group." Members of the church hold regular small group gatherings in their homes to discuss and reflect on the message from Sunday's service. At the **Welcome Center** you can find a list of HFG groups that meet in your neighborhood. Please join them for fun, food, fellowship and growing closer to God.

BIBLICAL COUNSELING

East Shore Biblical Counseling Ministries, LLC offers free Biblical counseling. If you or someone you know needs to talk to a counselor, please call the church secretary or go to the church website and complete a "Counseling Package" under the "Ministries" tab.

MARRIAGE RESTORATION

Keeping the Covenant is a marriage restoration ministry to love, encourage, and equip all who labor to uphold the covenant of marriage. If you are in need of this ministry, contact the church secretary.



**Glorifying God by Modeling Christ,
Extending His Love and Building His Church**

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WELCOME!

Thank you for joining East Shore Baptist Church's worship service today. We are glad you are here.

Our desire is that God would bless and direct this time together and that our worship would be in Spirit and Truth.

ABOUT THE SERVICE

MUSIC Worship is an interactive, participatory experience. We invite you to join in as we praise God through singing by following the on-screen lyrics.

OFFERING We give tithes and offerings as an act of worship, obedience, celebration, and thanksgiving to the Lord. You can give during the service or anytime via our website.

MESSAGE The teaching time seeks to communicate God's Truth in compelling, relevant ways. Feel free to take notes using the handout you received when entering the Sanctuary.

PRAYER If you need prayer, please fill out your request on the guest card and place it in the offertory basket, the wooden box outside the sanctuary or give it to one of the pastors or deacons. They are willing to pray with you.

COMMUNION We take time every other month to celebrate Communion and welcome believers in Christ to participate in this act of worship and remembrance.

NEXT STEP



Visit us on the web.

You can find staff contact information, listen to a past message, and more! Scan the QC Code to go there directly.

ESBC CHILDREN

Our children's ministries are designed to meet the spiritual and developmental needs of young children. They meet at:

- 9:30 & 10:45am Sunday morning for classes from birth through 5th grade. Your children will be called to go to class during the early portion of the service. At the end of the service you may pick them up downstairs.

- 6:30pm on Wednesday evening
The children will participate in worship through music, hear life application Bible stories and enjoy crafts, games and activities.

ESBC YOUTH

Our middle and high school students are an important part of our church.

They meet at:

- 9:30am Sunday morning in the youth room.
- 6:30pm Wednesday evening for engaging Bible study, games, and prayer.
- Throughout the year they also engage in various service opportunities and fun group activities.

CLASS INFORMATION

All of our classes are listed on the Screen at the WELCOME CENTER. You may also pick up a hardcopy there, too.

SERVE TOGETHER

Invest and engage as part of ESBC while connecting with others by serving. There are many opportunities available. You can let us know you are interested by completing the yellow guest card.

LEADERSHIP CONTACT INFORMATION

Church Secretary, Debby Glessner, 717.657.0614, esbcchurch@comcast.net

Senior Pastor, Brian Harrison, brobrian@eastshorebaptist.org

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Minister of Music, Dave Stewart, davestewart@eastshorebaptist.org

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General Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00am – 3:00pm

EVANGELISM NOTES

Here are some examples of how East Shore Baptist Church (ESBC) members have “**SHARED THE GOSPEL**” this past week. These examples are meant to encourage **YOU** to Share the Gospel where you live, work, and play.

-One ESBC member shared about Christ with a family member who claimed to be a believer but was turning their back on God.

-Three members used their work environments to share and pray with co-workers. This included one co-worker who claimed to be an atheist until they had a crisis in their life and sought prayer.

-And finally, one of our members shared the gospel with a patient at a local hospital.

So, what have YOU done to SHARE THE GOSPEL lately? Pray for opportunities and be ready when the Lord gives them to you!!

FINANCIAL UPDATE

GIVING LAST WEEK TOTAL	\$ 8,237.10
ONLINE GIVING FROM TOTAL	\$ 1,150.00
WEEKLY BUDGET GOAL	\$ 8,948.58



You may give in person, by scanning the QR Code to the left with your smart phone, or online.

October 16, 2016

Today's Sermon: "The Day of the Lord is at Hand"
by Pastor Brian Harrison

The Book of Joel (Page 480)

You can also take notes and engage with the message content using the hand out you received when entering the sanctuary.

Please remember to silence your cell phones during the service. Thank you!
During the service, hearing devices are available for the hearing impaired at the sound booth. If you would like to access the wireless internet service, the password is lamaGuest. Since we are videotaping the service, you may appear on the internet. If you would like to connect to DevoHub, a free devotional resource app, please see one of the pastors!

THIS WEEK

Visit the website (www.eastshorebaptist.org) for information about these events and more.

SUNDAY (10/16)	Jewish Home Service in Linglestown @ 1:45pm Home Fellowship Groups
MONDAY (10/17)	Staff Meeting @ 3:30pm Ladies' Bible Study @ 1pm Missions Meeting @ 6:30pm
TUESDAY (10/18)	Joy Club @ 6pm
WEDNESDAY (10/19)	Fall Festival @ 5:30pm Keystone Ministry @ 7pm
THURSDAY (10/20)	
FRIDAY (10/21)	
SATURDAY (10/22)	Pastor John's Class @ 10am Worship Practice @ 9:30am

NEWS & EVENTS

KEYSTONE MINISTRY

Keystone Ministry: Gifts for Family Members – The E.S.B.C. Keystone Ministry is collecting gift items for the men of Keystone to give to their family members this Christmas. Each month we will be collecting different items. In December the men will assemble the items they have chosen and place them in gift bags to give to their families. Each gift bag will also contain a “Gospel of John” booklet that shares how to come to know Jesus as your personal Savior and Lord!

For OCTOBER, we are focusing on winter clothing accessories. Specifically, we are looking for hats, gloves, small fleece blankets for both adults and children, etc.

ESBC, you did great with supplying adult toiletries for the mothers last month. We trust you will be equally generous this month as we look to keep everybody warm for the upcoming winter. Containers for your Keystone gifts are at the end of the hallway. Thanks in advance!

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Shoe boxes are on the table near the coat racks, ready for you to take home and lovingly and prayerfully fill! Each box has instructions on how to fill the box, a prayer bookmark, and a sticker just for you. Once you have filled your shoeboxes, bring them back to the church and place them under the table near the coat racks. If you don't want to shop, please consider donating money in any amount. Just put your money/check (made out to ESBC) in an envelope, designate funds to Operation Christmas Child shopping fund and place in the offering plate. Our goal is 300 boxes! Please bring in your filled boxes on or before **November 12, 2016**.

ELECTION DAY PRAYER

We will have the church open for anyone that would like to go into the sanctuary to pray for our nation and its leaders on Tuesday, November 8th (election day) from 8am until 8pm. If you would be interested in coming in and praying for a half hour or hour that day, we have a sign-up sheet in the lobby with times on it. We would like to have someone here throughout the day to make the sanctuary available for those within the community that might feel led to as well. We are a polling place so we might have guests that would like to pray and it would be nice if we have people from within the church available to lead in prayer.

MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT!

Biblical Counseling and the Biblical Counseling Training Conference



East Shore Biblical Counseling Ministries, LLC., is a counseling organization associated with East Shore Baptist Church in Harrisburg, PA, that offers free, confidential, Biblically-based counseling.

Our goal in providing Christ-centered, biblically-focused counseling is to help individuals meet life's challenges, in a way that will please and honor the Lord Jesus Christ, thus allowing full enjoyment of His love and His plans for their lives. We believe that the Bible provides thorough guidance and instruction for faith and life (II Peter 1:3). Therefore, our counseling is based on biblical principles, rather than those of secular psychology or psychiatry.

If you are in need of counseling, complete and turn in a Counseling Packet (available online or outside Pastor John's office). If you are interested in becoming a biblical counselor through ESBC, talk to Pastor John or Vicki Grunden. Our counselors are trained through the Faith Biblical Counseling Conference in Lafayette, IN every February. Now is the time to sign up for the conference! Check it out and see if counseling at East Shore is a place for you!

Thank you for reading the Ministry Spotlight! If you would like more information about Biblical Counseling and the Biblical Counseling Training Conference, contact Pastor John.

If you would like to see a ministry appear in the Ministry Spotlight, please contact Pastor John (717-657-0614) or email jtoone@eastshorebaptist.org.

NEWS & EVENTS CONTINUED

WOMEN'S SUNSET & SMORES

November 5th @ 6pm//The Women's Ministry is hosting Sunset and S'mores! Join us for hot chocolate, s'mores, stories about the women's retreat and stories of how God is working in our lives. Bring a lawn chair and meet us at the fire pit!

JOY CLUB

Tuesday, October 18th @ 6pm//Our monthly meeting will be held in the Fellowship Hall with our own Ben Wilson to be our guest speaker. We will also be addressing Thanksgiving cards to send to the missionaries. The meal is going to be a Pot Providence, so prepare your favorite dish and plan to join us. We always have a fun time!

FALL FESTIVAL

Wednesday, October 19th @ 5:30pm//We will be having a fall festival/picnic with fun activities planned for the kids. We will be at the pavilion, weather permitting, so dress accordingly and bring a lawn chair. There is a sign-up sheet in the lobby so please mark how many will be coming, as well as what kind of dish you would like to bring to share. Hope to see everyone there!

THANK YOU!!! It is with a grateful heart and much love that I say "thank you". It seems so inadequate for what I feel! I appreciate the prayers, the physical and financial support, the help and offers of help, and love that have been extended to me over the past few years. I could not have managed without you, my church family! God is good and all of you have reinforced that goodness every day...you have truly been His hands and feet in my life. I will be eternally grateful! I pray that I in return, will be a blessing to others. Mary McIver

A POEM FOR OUR PASTORS

**IN INFINITE WISDOM, THE LORD
SURELY KNEW,
THAT WE WOULD NEED PASTORS
AS FAITHFUL AS YOU.
A LOVE OF GOD'S WORD AND A
HEART FOR HIS FLOCK,
YOU GIVE OF YOURSELVES AND
YOU STAND ON THE ROCK.**

October is
Pastor Appreciation
Month

