

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 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, esbccchurch@comcast.net

Senior Pastor, Brian Harrison, brobrian@eastshorebaptist.org

Associate Pastor, John Toone, jtoone@eastshorebaptist.org

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Children's Ministry, Don Good, dgood@eastshorebaptist.org

Minister of Youth, Brian Mader, bmader@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.

-Three of our ESBC church members invited their neighbors to Easter Services last week.

-Another member shared about Christ and gave a spiritual pamphlet—and a little money—to a pan-handler they encountered while on vacation.

-Two members had spiritual discussions with their co-workers. One conversation was about a ministry our church does with a local public school (Kids Hope); and the second conversation began when our church member asked a colleague if he could pray for the co-worker’s very ill relative.

-And finally, a member of our church who recently retired is using his new-found free time to serve the Lord. The member facilitates a weekly Bible Study at Bethesda Mission and then sticks around to help serve lunch and engage the men and women in spiritual discussions!

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	\$ 8,253.10
ONLINE GIVING FROM TOTAL	\$ 1,136.00
WEEKLY BUDGET GOAL	\$ 8,971.00

If you would like more information on the church budget, monthly financial statements are available in lobby.



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

April 23, 2017

**Today's Sermon: “A Journey of Faith and Worship”
by Pastor Brian Harrison**

Psalm 84 (Page 314)

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 (04/23)	Marriage Restoration Ministry @ 12:30pm Home Fellowship Groups Hymn Sing @ 6pm
MONDAY (04/24)	Ladies Bible Study @ 1pm Staff Meeting @ 3:30 pm
TUESDAY (04/25)	Ladies Luncheon @ 12:30pm
WEDNESDAY (04/26)	Wednesday Evening Meetings & Studies @ 6:30pm Keystone Ministry @ 7pm
THURSDAY (04/27)	Sit, Knit & Crochet Ministry @ 11am
FRIDAY (04/28)	
SATURDAY (04/29)	Pastor Brian class @ 8am/Pastor John class @ 10am Worship Practice @ 9:30am

NEWS & EVENTS

SCHOLARSHIPS NEEDED

We have a couple of gentlemen who would like to attend the Men's Word of Life Conference, but they could use some help with scholarship monies. If you feel led to donate, please mark "WOL Scholarship" on the offering envelope.

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

Thursday, May 4th is the National Day of Prayer and we will have a prayer service at the church beginning at 6:30pm that evening. *"O Lord, hear! O Lord, forgive! O Lord, listen and act! Do not delay for Your own sake, my God, for Your city and Your people are called by Your name."* Daniel 9:19

ANNIE ARMSTRONG EASTER OFFERING

We have collected \$4496, surpassing our challenge goal of \$4000 for North American missions! Please use the envelopes in the seat backs if you would still like to donate.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC MISSIONS TRIP NEEDS

If you would like to donate items for the DR missions trip, please place smaller items in one of the bins under the table at the end of the hallway beside the coat rack. If the item is larger, please see Pastor Harrison. We are looking into getting a container ready to ship the first week of May, so please, make sure all of your donations are brought to the church by Sunday, May 7th. Please look over the list of items needed in the main lobby if you have not done so.

LET'S GO FOR A HIKE!

Come join us for a church hike on **Saturday, May 27th at 12 noon**, to the beautiful White Rocks of Boiling Springs! Located along the Appalachian Trail, this section of quartzite is impressive to look at and even more fun to climb. It will only take us about 25 minutes to drive to the trail-head, and the trail itself is just a little over a mile up the mountain and rocks, and then back down. Sturdy shoes and a moderate level of fitness are recommended. We will leave from the church at noon (eat lunch *beforehand* on your own) but after the hike...we will most certainly be stopping for ice-cream! If you have any questions, see Pastor John or Tom Toone. Please sign-up in the lobby so we know how many to expect.

FAMILY SUNDAY APRIL 30, 2017

Next Sunday (4/30) is a 5th Sunday or Family Sunday at East Shore. Family members of all ages will participate in the morning worship service. The nursery will still be available for younger kids.

MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT!



Sunday Morning Prayer Team

"God is radically committed to my life of prayer. He shed the blood of His Son so that I might be cleansed and rendered fit to stand before Him in love. He also permitted the brutal rending of His Son so that I might now have a way into the Holy Place

through the torn flesh of Jesus. "Draw near" He says in Hebrew 4; "draw near" He says in Hebrews 10; "pray without ceasing," He urges elsewhere. How can I not feel the infinite sincerity of these invitations, especially when considering the painful lengths that God endured so that I might enter His presence in prayer?" (Milton Vincent, The Gospel Primer).

East Shore Baptist Church is a church that seeks to be prayerfully dependent on God for everything we need. Thanks to the accomplished work of Jesus Christ we are able to come before our Lord in prayer. We are called to pray! Our goal is to be a church saturated in prayer.

One way we do this is through our Sunday Morning Prayer Team. During the Worship Service, two of our members go to the Counseling Room to pray for our service and the members of East Shore. Individuals rotate serving in this time of guided prayer. This is a ministry that is in need of volunteers, especially men. Join us as we express our dependence on God!

Thank you for reading the Ministry Spotlight! If you would like more information about the Sunday Morning Prayer Team, sign up in the lobby, talk to Judy Schmolitz, or 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

PRAYERS FOR THE DR MISSION TRIP

Praise – Marcello, Word of Life Director for the Dominican Republic, received enough funds to construct 4 units to house children this summer for camp. Their plan is to have the housing ready for hosting Compassion International children starting our first week in country.

Prayer Needs – (1) A number of our team are getting hit with unusual expenses that are making raising funds difficult. The enemy no doubt knows what our purpose and heart is, and he is looking to discourage some from going. We are doing all that we can, especially through prayer, to make sure they can go, but we need your prayers as well. Also, (2) It looks like we have the very real possibility of getting a container and shipping it to the camp in time for our trip. We seem to have a handle on getting a container loaded and to the port, but are praying about cost of putting on board ship, and then getting it to camp once it arrives in the DR. Please pray that this will come together. This is a big deal, and the equipment and supplies we can send to the camp will be a huge help in their mission.

YARD (TRUNK) SALE TO BENEFIT DR MISSION TRIP

Come and bring all your goodies from spring cleaning to 1 Hereford Street (across from CD Middle School) on Saturday, April 29th, from 7am to 1pm with a rain date of May 6th. This location is right along Locust Lane with much local traffic which should bring much interest. The lot is empty so you can pack your trunk or pick up and back it in full view of all the passing cars. Each participant must man their own things and the proceeds can be given to fund a person going on the trip or to the general fund. No personal moneys to be kept, please. Questions – email Diane Eichelberger at weezee47@comcast.net or Janice Gaiski at lindagaiski@gmail.com. Praying you will participate in this worthy cause. Thank You!

For your information, the following are part of the mission team heading to the Dominican Republic this summer:

Pastor Harrison, Pastor John, Tom, Tommy and Diann Toone, Nomi and Elizabeth Nieliwocki, Janice Gaiski, Lynn Richards, Vicky Womack, Allie Good, Jeff and Danny Glessner, Tom and Sue Alexander, Jimmy and Lisa Smith, Arlene Wilson, Brian, Logan and Joey Mader, Dan Long, Andy and Braden Berkebile. Please keep them in your prayers!

GRANDPARENTS @ PRAYER

We will be meeting at 6pm on Wednesday, May 3rd. If you would like information about this ministry, please see Judy Talley.