

ANNOUNCEMENTS ~ please take these home with you!

We are getting to be a very busy church! This is due to our growing numbers and the dedication of many in our midst. Each week our attendance grows, and our announcements become longer, as we share more activities together. Please take your bulletin home with you so you don't overlook anything that is going on in our church family.

This week's Bible Studies: Tuesday evenings **7:00 to 8:00 PM** at Andy & Kara Lake's home and on Wednesdays at **9 AM** at the church.

Young People Bible Study: From 6-7 p.m. At the church on Sunday evenings.

Funky Pig: This offering is designated for the mission led by *Andrea Eaton in Romania*. Please remember to leave your loose change in Funky Pig.

Mission focus: The mission focus for September is *Mariatu's Hope, in Sierra Leone*. There is more info on bulletin board in vestry.
Also at www.mariatushope.Org.

Women's Conference with Debby Davis at Northfield Bible Fellowship on Sat. Oct. 10th - 9:00 am-1:00 pm. Lunch will be provided and a love offering for Debby will be received. We will post information on bulletin board in vestry.

Our Website: www.ebrookfieldcommunitychurch.org. It will have more info as we go forward. If there is info you'd like to have included, please let Charlotte know.

Attendance last week: 43



East Brookfield Community Church

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Worship Team: Rev. Ron Rilling ~ Andy Lake

Music Team: Sue Hill ~ The Lakes ~ Larry Warren ~ Lenora Larkin

September 20, 2026 - 10:00 a.m.

The Mission of EBCC - from our Bylaws

Article II: "The object of this church shall be to bind together followers of Jesus Christ for the purpose of sharing in the worship of God and making His will dominant in their lives, individually and collectively, especially as that will is set forth in the life, teaching, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ."

Let us join in an attitude of quiet meditation while the Prelude plays.

Prelude:

Hymn: *Victory in Jesus* #353

Greeting & Opening Prayer

Verse for September: Jeremiah 31:33

“But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the Lord: I will put My law in their minds, and write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be My people.”

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Hymn: *Lord, I Lift Your Name on High* #107

Children’s Story: *“The Seed of Faith”*

“If you have faith as a grain of mustard seed” Mt. 17:20

The children are invited to attend Children’s church following the children’s story.



Today we have a blessing of Brian and Jenny Cook’s puppy, Asa. Asa is named after King Asa of Judah, an ancestor of Jesus, and his name means “Healer”. Jenny is working on training him to be a certified therapy dog.

Responsive Reading: Matthew 17:14-21

A Boy Is Healed

And when they had come to the multitude, a man came to Him, kneeling down to Him and saying,

“Lord, have mercy on my son, for he is an epileptic and suffers severely; for he often falls into the fire and often into the water. So I brought him to Your disciples, but they could not cure him.”

Then Jesus answered and said, “O faithless and perverse generation, how long shall I be with you?

How long shall I bear with you? Bring him here to Me.”

And Jesus rebuked the demon, and it came out of him; and the child was cured from that very hour.

Then the disciples came to Jesus privately and said, “Why could we not cast it out?”

So Jesus said to them, “Because of your unbelief; for assuredly, I say to you, if you have faith as a mustard seed, you will say to this mountain, ‘Move from here to there,’ and it will move; and nothing will be impossible for you.

However, this kind does not go out except by prayer and fasting.”

Prayers of Concern and Thanksgiving

Followed by The Lord’s Prayer:

Our Father which art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen

Offertory: *He Leadeth Me*(690) Larry Warren
Doxology

Message: *Having The Everlasting Gospel*

Scripture: *“And I saw another Angel fly in the midst of heaven, having the everlasting gospel to preach to them that dwell on the earth and to every nation and kindred and language and people. . . . Rev 14:6 KJVER*

Closing Hymn: *Jesus Shall Reign* #375

Benediction
