

## Welcome to Epworth United Methodist Church

Worship: 9:30 AM

Pastor- Jeffery White  
Lay Leader- Christine “Chris” Mosig  
Pianist- Catherine Medovich

## UPCOMING EVENTS

October 12, 2025---**Pastor Appreciation Sunday @ Epworth**  
October 13, 2025—Administrative Council meeting 6pm Fellowship Hall  
October 16, 2025--- Prayer meeting” 7pm on Zoom  
October 16, 2025--- Thursday “Sunday School” 7:30 on Zoom  
**October 19, 2025 —Laity Sunday @ Epworth**  
October 19, 2025---**Pastor Appreciation Sunday @ Halesford**  
October 23, 2025--- Thursday “Sunday School” 7:30 on Zoom  
**October 25, 2025—Fall Festival @ Epworth**  
October 27, 2025 — UWF meet at Epworth @ 4pm  
October 30, 2025--- Prayer meeting” 7pm on Zoom  
October 30, 2025--- Thursday “Sunday School” 7:30 on Zoom  
November 6, 2025--- Thursday “Sunday School” 7:30 on Zoom



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## **PASTOR APPRECIATION SUNDAY**

**October 12, 2025**

**Epworth United Methodist Church  
(540) 721-4926 Church  
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**Rev. Jeffery White, Pastor**

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**Christine Mosig, Lay Leader**

**Sue Hauptert-Johnson, Presiding Bishop**

**Rev. Dr. Sarah Calvert, District Superintendent  
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*The Mission of the United Methodist Church:*

*To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world*

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### THE CHURCH GATHERS

#### PRAISE HYMN

Hymn No. 2036 (TFWS) "Give Thanks"

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#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### \*GATHERING HYMN

Hymn No. 102 "Now Thank We All Our God"

#### CALL TO WORSHIP

People of Faith, come and see what God has done!

**God has guided us and walked with us.**

See how God has protected us.

**God has brought us to this sacred space.**

Let us give glory to God!

**Let us sing praises to God!**

#### UNISON PRAYER

Holy One, we gather to sing your praises! We are grateful for the gift of this day and all the ways you make your presence known. We are grateful for your abiding Spirit and the ways the Spirit empowers us to be your people. In this time or worship, deepen our faith. Restore our souls and heal us. After we have spent time with you, return us to our community, that we may share your love and grace with everyone we meet. In the name of Christ, we pray. Amen.

#### JOYS AND CONCERNS

#### PASTORIAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

#### PASSING THE PEACE

The living Christ is here with us!

**Praise be to God!**

May the peace of Christ dwell deeply in our souls.

**We will share this peace with the entire community.**

Let us do so now.

## CELEBRATION OF THE PASTOR AND FIRST LADY

### TO HEAR THE WORD

1st Lesson: Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7

2nd Lesson: Psalm 66:1-12

3rd Lesson: 2 Timothy 2:8-15

4th Lesson: Luke 17:11-19\*\*

Lectionary Reading \* Sermon Lesson\*

#### +JUNIOR CHURCH

Hymn No. 191 "Jesus Loves Me, This I Know" v.1

+ Children are invited to follow teachers to Junior Church

### TITHES AND OFFERING

#### INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

#### \*DOXOLOGY

Hymn No. 95 "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"

#### HYMN OF PREPARATION,

Hymn No. 140 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

#### SERMON

Pastor White

### RESPONDING IN FAITH

\*THE APOSTLES' CREED No. 881

#### \*CLOSING HYMN

Hymn No. 396 "O Jesus, I Have Promised"

#### \* BENEDICTION

Brothers and sisters, siblings in Christ, as you go from this place, may your faith grow stronger,

**We will share the good news of Christ's healing love with the community.**

Go in peace. Amen.

Leave carrying the light of Christ into the World

\*please stand if able