

We Gather

Welcome

Lighting of the Christ Candle

Gathering Song

“Mercy, Mercy, Mercy”

*Call to Worship

Inspired by the Prologue to the Rule of St. Benedict. The Prologue to the Rule of St. Benedict is the opening section of the Regula Benedicti, written by St. Benedict of Nursia in the early 6th century (c. 530 CE)

Leader:

Beloved of God, let us open our eyes to the light that comes from God.

People:

We come to listen with the ear of our hearts.

Leader:

What is more delightful than the voice of the Lord calling to us

People:

We set out together, with the Gospel as our guide.

Leader:

As we walk this way of faith, God enlarges our hearts with the delight of love.

People:

Let us worship the Lord with joy and thanksgiving.

*Opening Hymn

We are marching in
the light of God
Hymn #853

Call to Confession & Prayer of Confession

Ever-changing God, Forgive us when we plod on, heads down, lost in monotony, missing glimpses of your glory. Forgive us when we are easily distracted, pulled in too many directions, consumed by things that do not last. Forgive us when we are hyper-focused, neglecting to see beyond our own desires, unaware of the bigger picture unfolding around us. Break through those moments in our lives and awaken in us a renewed awareness of your never-ending presence. (Silent prayer)

Response

Change my heart, O God,
Make it ever true;
Change my heart, O God,
May I be like you.

You are the Potter,
I am the clay;
Mold me and make me,
This is what I pray.

Change my heart, O God,
Make it ever true;
Change my heart O God,
may I be like you.

*Passing of the Peace

The peace of Christ is with you.
And also with you.

*Gloria Patri

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah
Halle, Halle, Hallelujah
Halle, Halle, Hallelujah
Hallelujah, Hallelujah

Children’s Message

Children go upstairs for Children's Worship

Prayers of the People & the Lord’s Prayer

Our Father who 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; and forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin 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. Amen.

*please stand if you are able

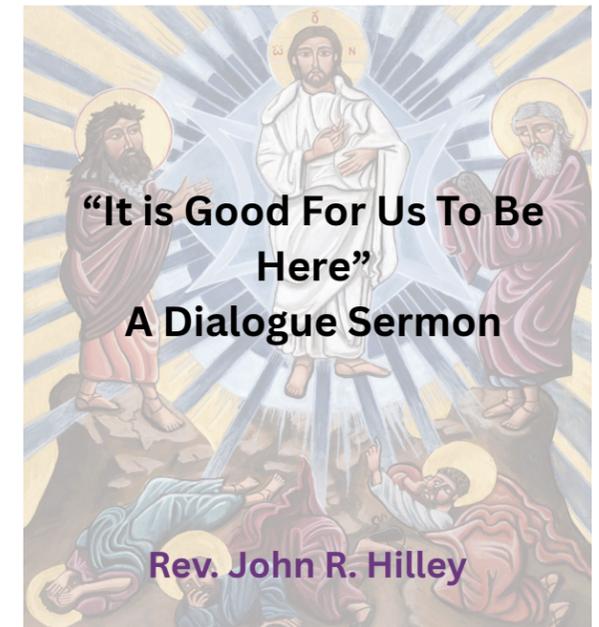
We Listen

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Passages

Matthew 17:1-9

Sermon



Transformation by Kelly Lattimore

We Respond

Offertory

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Cash and Check donations can be placed in the Offertory Plate in the center of the Sanctuary before, during or after the worship service.

Offeratory Music

‘How Great Thou Art’

Invitation to Community Practice

Spring Gatherings Semester April 6-May 22

- Men's Open Seat**: 3rd Tuesday each Month 6:30 pm
- Grace Table**: 2nd/4th Tuesday each Month
- Ladies' Open Seat**: Various Dates & Special Events
- Presbyterian Women's Bible Study**: 2nd Tuesday each Month | 10:00 am
- Kids & Youth Gathering**: Various Dates & Special Events
- Sunday Bible Study**: 9:00 Sundays
- Hilley's Good Enough Gathering**: Various Dates 5:30 pm
- Contemplative Small Group**: 1st Tuesday each Month | 6:30 pm

What's Happening at EBPC

Check out our website or app for more information:



Grace Table
EAST BRENTWOOD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (EBPC) STRIVES TO BE
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East Brentwood Presbyterian Church

*Closing Hymn

“When the Saints Go Marching In”

Benediction

Honoring Nate Strasser's 10 years of service
COMMUNITY CARES Benefit Concert
East Brentwood Presbyterian Church
Saturday, Feb. 28th
7:00 p.m.
9000 Concord Rd. Brentwood, TN
Benefiting our Missions & Outreach Partners



Check our website or app for times and details

- Feb 17: Men's Open Seat Gathering
- Feb 18: Ash Wednesday Service
- Feb 20: Room In the Inn Lunch Serve
- Feb 21: Youth Game Night
- Feb 22: Scout Sunday

EBPC STAFF:

- John Hilley:** Pastor
- Nate Strasser:** Music Director
- Leticia Tyler:** Coordinator of Community Engagement, Service & Mission
- Christopher Peterson:** Coordinator of Youth Ministry & Grace Table Facilitator
- Kayla Esterine-Reid:** Coordinator of Children's & Families Ministry, EBCA Chaplain
- Becky Walton:** Office Manager
- Sara Chang:** Digital Engagement Specialist



Small Gatherings Sunday
A Sunday of Connection and Jazz

February 8, 2026

East Brentwood Presbyterian Church strives to be a campus of connection with an open seat for all to gather, worship, and respond to Christ's urgent call to address the hunger of God's people with action, love, justice and mercy.

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the good news is...
all are invited
Ash Wednesday Service
Feb 18 6:30 pm