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A celebratory graphic for the 75th anniversary of the Emory Presbyterian Church. The text "Celebrating 75 Years" is written in a large, elegant, red cursive font. Below "Celebrating" is the text "Emory Presbyterian Church" in a smaller, red cursive font. Below "Years" is the text "of ministry & service" in a smaller, red cursive font. The background is a light yellow with a subtle pattern of overlapping circles and lines, suggesting a globe or a network.

The EPC Weekly News for June 27 - July 3

This Sunday the Summer Saints series continues. Jill Oglesby Evans will be preaching.

Have you checked out EPC on [Facebook](#)? Have a look - and "like" us!

EPC Refugee Initiative

Led by the Mission Committee, EPC has decided to sponsor a refugee family in partnership with Oglethorpe Presbyterian Church and New American Pathways. As we gear up to begin helping a family through their transition to life in a place of refuge, the congregation is invited to learn more of the why, how, what, when and where of the process. Our goal is to provide an initial welcome by furnishing household goods, followed by practical support of the family once they arrive, i.e. taking them to appointments, practicing English, shopping, etc. No doubt friends will be made!

Church-Wide Luncheon

Sunday, July 10, 12:15 pm

Fellowship Hall

The Mission Committee invites all to a luncheon following worship next Sunday to learn more.

Hope Gray of [New American Pathways](#) will give a presentation about the refugee crisis and the refugee settlement process. She will describe the services NewAP provides for their refugee families and how sponsoring organizations such as EPC fit into their program. She will be available to answer any questions we have.

Several from EPC heard this presentation when Hope spoke at Oglethorpe in May, and it is truly inspirational, so do please put this event on your calendars!

Preliminary List of Needs

EPC and Oglethorpe will provide the items below for the family we co-sponsor. Please begin thinking about what you might be willing to donate, but please do not bring donations to the church at this time.

Donations will be coordinated using an online sign-up application, so that we can coordinate better precisely what is needed, while avoiding duplication of items. An invitation email from SignUp Genius will be going out in the next few days.

For those who prefer to work "offline", a point person will be available to make note of what you would like to donate.

Look for an invitation from SignUp Genius.

Furniture

New mattresses/box springs provided by New American Pathways.

Bed frame

Chest of Drawers

Couch

Arm Chair

One lamp per room, light bulbs as needed

End Table
Kitchen table
Dining Chairs

Linens and Other Household Supplies

One bath towel per person (exact need TBD)
Sheets
Blankets
Pillows w/ Case
Alarm clock
Paper, pens and/or pencils

Kitchen Items

Tableware place settings (exact need TBD)
Plates
Bowls
Coffee Mugs
Water Glasses
Pots and pans
Mixing/serving bowls
Kitchen Utensils
Kitchen Knife
Can opener

Toiletries

Toilet paper
Shampoo
Soap
Toothbrush
Toothpaste
Personal hygiene items (details forthcoming)

Cleaning Supplies

Dish soap
Bathroom/kitchen cleanser
Laundry detergent
Sponges or cleaning rags and/or paper towels
Trashcans
Trash bags
Mop
Broom
Dust Pan
Toilet brush

Miscellaneous

Vacuum
Rice cooker
Shower curtain
Shower Rings
Iron
Ironing Board
Car seat
Lotion
Wash clothes
Baby crib *Mattress provided.*

This Weekend

First Saturday Movie for July

7 pm - Saturday, July 2, Fellowship Hall

The African Queen (1951)

In Africa during WWI, a gin-swilling riverboat captain is persuaded by a strait-laced missionary to use his boat to attack an enemy warship.

Katherine Hepburn and Humphrey Bogart on the big screen* - don't miss it!



**Bigger than most of us have at home.*

Glory to God Hymnal Dedications

Have you dedicated one yet?

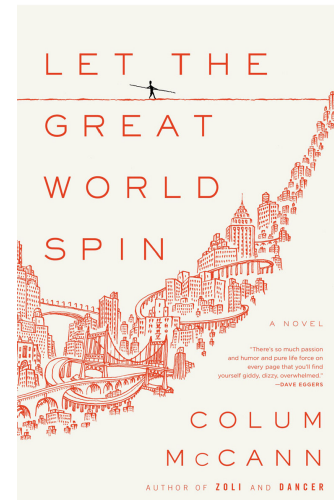
For \$25 you can dedicate a hymnal in honor or in memory of a loved one. Simply fill out one of the purple forms available in the sanctuary and put it, along with your check, in the offering plate or church office. Remember to write 'for hymnal(s)' on the check.

EPC Book Club

The next meeting of the EPC Book Club will be on Tuesday, July 12, at 7 pm at the home of Rose Watkins.

We'll be discussing *Let the Great World Spin* by Colum McCann.

Please let Rose know if you plan to attend.



The Porch Parties are back!

Our tradition of potluck porch parties provides one way we at EPC stay in touch over the summer, enjoying heat and heart together. If you missed the one in June at Jill's, there are two more chances! Saturdays at 6:30:

July 23 - at Carol and Kent Hutton's

August 20 - at the home of the Moore Family

EPC Centering Prayer & Lectio Divina

Thursdays at 8 pm in the Sanctuary

No prior experience with the practices of centering prayer or lectio divina ("divine reading") is necessary to take part; the group can give you what you need to get started. All are warmly welcomed. We meet for one hour, including at least 25 minutes of prayer.

We deepen our relationship to God by surrendering to our mutual love, opening our hearts and taking advantage of thin places between us and God.

For more information, please call Truette Stubbs, 404-667-4154.

"Be still and know that I am God."

- Psalm 46:10



Gather at The Well ...

A Worshiping Community at EPC

Sunday evenings from 5:30 - 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall

The Well is a worshipping community sponsored by the Presbyterian Church (USA). We want to meet people where they are in the community and in their faith; to share the good news of God's love in Jesus Christ. We want people to see God at work in their lives and to feel revitalized as they follow Jesus in their everyday life.

Learn more at www.facebook.com/thewellatl.

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"After all expenses are paid, I want ten percent (a tithe) of my estate donated to Emory Presbyterian Church."

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