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EABC MINISTRIES-IMPORTANT DATES

Weekly Church Activities

SUNDAY

Library Open.....9-9:30 A

Sunday School 9:30 A

Morning Worship ... 10:45 A

WEDNESDAY

Children's Ministry.....6:30 P

Youth Group 6:30 P

Bible Study / Prayer7 P

Sanctuary Choir 7:50 P

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY - THURSDAY:
9 AM - 3:00 PM

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

[https://eastathens.org/
livestream](https://eastathens.org/livestream)

(Livestream of the Sunday
Morning Service and Previous
Services)

<https://eastathens.org/calendar>

(Happenings at the Church)

<https://eastathens.org/contact>

(Guest Information)

[https://www.youtube.com/
channel/
UC3nVw1a3wrtc8ZKG7dqV4Xw](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC3nVw1a3wrtc8ZKG7dqV4Xw)

(YouTube Channel)

SEPTEMBER

1—Dominoes
3—Hand and Foot Game
7—Labor Day
8—Game Day
10—Hand and Foot Game
13—Finance Committee
Church Council
14—Brotherhood
15—Game Day
16—L.I.G.H.T./WMU
Business
17—Hand and Foot Game
20—Missions
21—Women's Bible Study
22—Dominoes
24—Hand and Foot Game
27—Deacon's Meeting



SEPTEMBER 2026

HAPPY LABOR DAY

REGULAR SUNDAY
MORNING SERVICES
NO SERVICES SUNDAY EVENING

OFFICES CLOSED
MONDAY SEPTEMBER 7TH

**YOUTH FALL RETREAT
SNOWBIRD WILDERNESS
OUTFITTERS
OCTOBER
2ND-4TH**

NEED HELP?
WE ARE HERE TO SERVE!

Call church office to set
something up!
423-745-1394

THE DEACON'S

NEED A RIDE?
BUSES ARE
RUNNING ON
SUNDAY MORNINGS!
CALL CHURCH
OFFICE IF YOU
NEED PICKED UP!

**ATTENTION
WOMEN**

Women On Mission

1ST MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH AT 11:00 AM FLC

1ST MEETING OCTOBER 5TH

COME JOIN US TO STUDY MISSIONARIES AND
ENJOY FELLOWSHIP AND PRAYER TIME

ANY QUESTIONS TEXT BETTY CASTEEL 423-368-1323
OR NAN MILLER 423-333-4681



Operation Christmas Child coming soon!

FALL FESTIVAL

MORE DETAILS TO COME



Dr. Brian Trapp
Pastor

In August, I had the opportunity to go and backpack the Four Pass Loop at Maroon Bells in the White River National Forest located in Colorado. I was joined by seven other men, from Tennessee, Georgia, and Missouri. The group consisted of two senior pastors, a youth minister, two camp directors, a deacon, a principal and a construction worker. We were a diverse group in age and life experiences. Each person brought something unique to the group. I can say that the one thing we all had in common is that we all have the same Lord and Savior – Jesus. It was an honor to get to know these men and to explore the beautiful mountains at Maroon Bells.

We hiked over 27 miles and climbed 8000 feet over four passes. It was the hardest thing I have ever done physically in my life. I thank God for getting me through this journey and I know he was with me every step. The one song that continued to come to my mind as I surveyed the magnificent landscape was, How Great Thou Art. The second verse was particularly meaningful to me: “When through the woods and forest glades I wander, and hear birds sing sweetly in the trees; When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur, and hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze. Then sings my soul my savior God to thee, how great thou art!!! God’s greatness was on full display for me to see and I praise him for it.

Pastor Brian

Prayer Matters

Taken from Baptist and Reflector July 22, 2026 Edition

September 6th

- Pray for your pastor to have joy in ministry (Nehemiah 8:10)
- Pray that God would remove the heart of stone and give a heart of flesh to those without Christ (Ezekiel 36:26)
- Pray that every decision, ministry and initiative within the church would reflect God's guidance and authority (Proverbs 3:5-9)

September 13th

- Pray for your pastor to have patience and be completely humble and gentle (Ephesians 4:2)
- Pray that the Word would be spoken over those without Christ, trusting that it will not return void (Isaiah 55:11)
- Pray for spiritual gifts to be used freely and with a joyful heart by every believer in the church (1 Corinthians 12:4)

September 20th

- Pray for your pastor to have a teachable spirit (Psalm 25:4)
- Pray that the Father would demolish strongholds that distort the truth of who He is in the lives of those without a personal relationship with Jesus (2 Corinthians 10:4-5)
- Pray for every member of the congregation to be faithful to the role God has called them to (1 Corinthians 4:2)

September 27th

- Pray for your pastor against discouragement (1 Peter 5:7)
- Pray that those without Christ would hear God's call to repentance and turn to Him with a sincere heart (Acts 2:38)
- Pray that intercessory prayer would sustain and fuel the spiritual health of the church (James 5:16)



RICHARD HARRILL
Youth Director

Student Ministry

YOUTH FALL RETREAT
SNOWBIRD WILDERNESS OUTFITTERS
OCTOBER 2ND-4TH

- 1- Jessica Wilson 10- David Stoika 19- JoAnn Grubb
2- Sandy Mazanek 12- Hazel Johnson 20- Sue McDonald
4- Teresa Bradford 13- Karen Willis 20- Diana Fries
7- Rachel Hurst 17- Levi Odom 23- Bug Cooley
8- Judy Wilson 17- Evelyn Brown 23- Alene Odom
9- Bea Gardner 27- Christina Gilman

Happy Birthday!

Happy Anniversary!

- 1- HOBY/JEANANN TOOMEY
5- DON/DOROTHY COWART
16- CHARLES/BEA GARDNER
18- BUTCH/NANCY MARTIN
21- STEVE/BETTY CASTEEL
28- PANKEY/DENISE PATTERSON

Deacons of the Week and Hospitality Team

<u>September 6th</u>	<u>September 13th</u>	<u>September 20th</u>	<u>September 27th</u>
TJ Wilson	Barry Toomey	Donny Anderson	Jamie McConkey
Donny Anderson	Phil Hadorn	Sue McDonald	Rodney Ammons
(Front Entrance)	(Front Entrance)	(Front Entrance)	(Front Entrance)
*Need Volunteer	*Need Volunteer	*Need Volunteer	*Need Volunteer
(Nursery)	(Nursery)	(Nursery)	(Nursery)
Debo Toomey	Jamie McConkey	Nathan Odom	Darrell McCormick
(Family Life Center)	(Family Life Center)	(Family Life Center)	(Family Life Center)