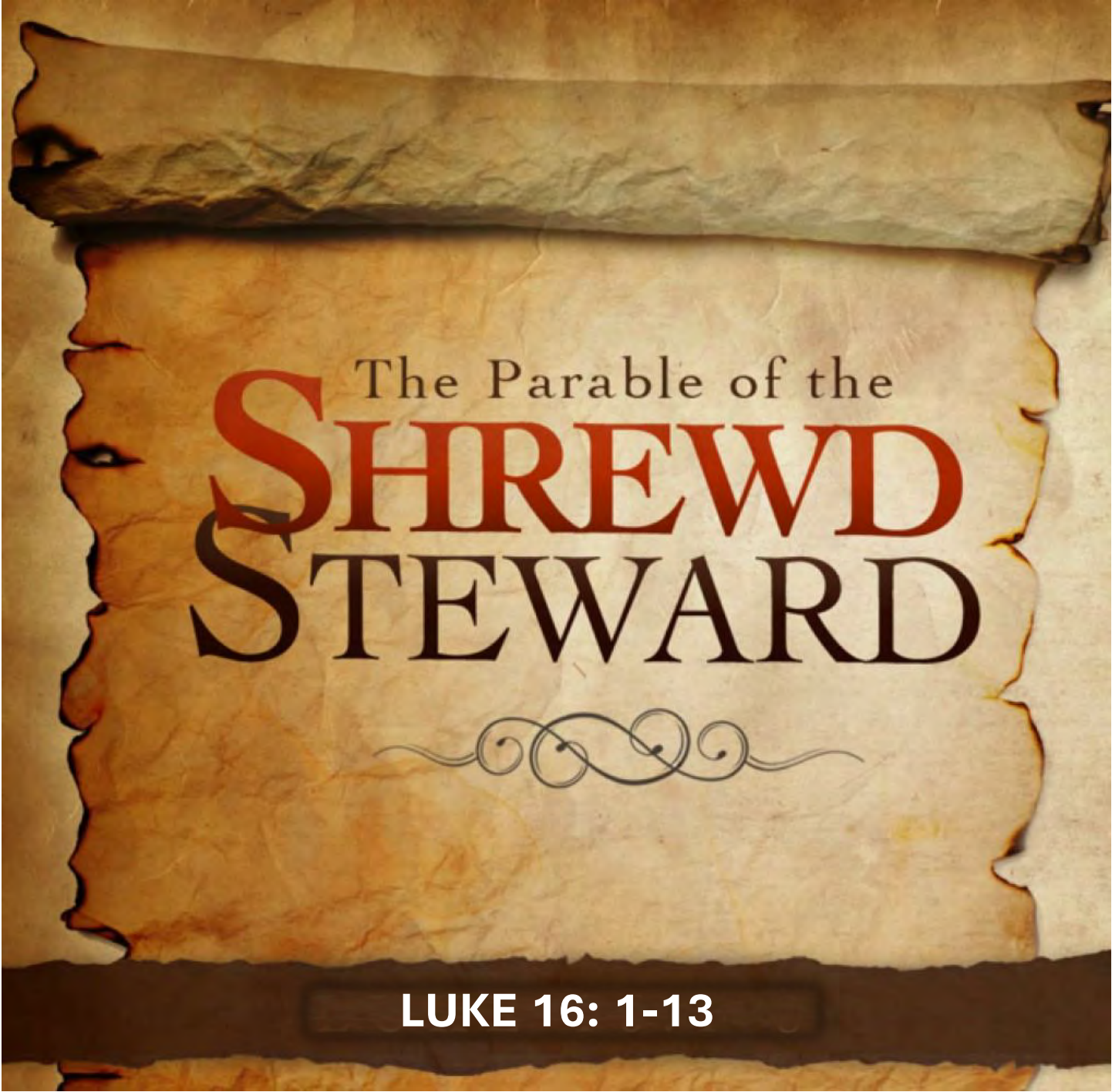


September 18, 2022 | 10 a.m.
Easter Hill United Methodist Church
Rev. Dr. Dale M. Weatherspoon, Pastor

Our Mission is to know Christ and to make Christ Known



The Parable of the
SHREWD
STEWARD

LUKE 16: 1-13

Worship Celebration | **15th Sunday after Pentecost** | Year C
September 18, 2022 | 10:00 a.m. | The star (✦) indicates where we are to stand.

CALL TO WORSHIP Mrs. Jo Ann Lawson

✦ OPENING HYMN p. 526, UM Hymnal
What a Friend We Have in Jesus

✦ SONG OF PRAISE p. 133, UM Hymnal
“Leaning on the Everlasting Arms”

PRAYER HYMN p. 375, UM Hymnal
“There Is a Balm in Gilead”

PASTORAL PRAYER Pastor Dale
Prayer requests via online @ www.easterhill.org/prayer

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WORSHIP WITH TITHES AND OFFERINGS Mrs. Jo Ann Lawson

Lay Servant: It’s offering time!

Church: **Praise the Lord!**

How to make your offering via the “Giving link @ www.easterhill.org/giving”

OFFERTORY SONG

OFFERTORY PRAYER Mrs. Jo Ann Lawson

MOMENT WITH THE CHILDREN Mrs. Vicki Carr Trotter

THE WORD OF GOD

Jeremiah 8: 18–9: 1

Luke 16: 1-13

Ms. Lula Garnett

Mrs. Jo Ann Lawson

MUSICAL SELECTION

“We’ll Understand it Better, By and By”

Voices of Easter Hill

p. 525, UM Hymnal

THE SERMON

Pastor Dale

✦ CLOSING SONG

“Go Ye Now in Peace”

p. 637, AAHH

CLOSING BENEDICTION

Pastor Dale

CONDOLENCES

Condolences to the family and friends of Ms. Venita Jones who has transitioned into heaven to be with the Father. Ms. Venita Jones passed away on September 6, 2022. Expressions of sympathy can be sent to her sister Melva Hill, 1245 W. Cienega Ave., Apt. 37, San Dimas, California 91773-2828

with deepest
Sympathy

OPPORTUNITIES FOR STUDY & SERVICE

SHEPHERDS

Shepherds meeting will be held via Zoom on **TODAY** at **12:30 p.m.** Look for the Zoom Invitation in your email in-box.

CHURCH COUNCIL

Church Council will have their monthly meeting on **Thursday, September 22** at **5 p.m. via Zoom**. An invitation to join the meeting through Zoom will be emailed to you prior to the meeting.



UNITED WOMEN IN FAITH



The UWF will be planning our **CALENDAR FOR 2023**. We would like to hear from you. Do you have any suggestions for activities/events for 2023? Are you interested in helping us plan events? Please share your thoughts with Kimberly Nutting at BlakBrit@sbcglobal.net | (510)734-5141 or Karolyn Langston at californiakid57@hotmail.com | (510) 689-8288.

EASTER HILL E-NEWS Message

Are you interested in receiving Easter Hill's weekly online E-news? Were you previously on the subscriber list and haven't been receiving the newsletter?

Contact the church office at **510.235.4226** or by email at eumc1234@sbcglobal.net to give us your email address.



LAY SERVANT VIRTUAL TRAINING

Lay Development Summit

Engage . Experience . Explore



California-Nevada Conference
THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



District, circuit and local church lay leaders are invited

Saturday, October 1, 2022

9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. virtual event

- **Engage** in leadership development, network with your conference peers, and share what you have learned with folks in your districts, circuits and local churches.
- **Experience** a new path of laity leadership that moves the church forward while you grow in discipleship.
- **Explore** a future horizon that embraces on-line worship.

David Teel- Director, Laity in Leadership from Discipleship Ministries; **Michael Beck** with Fresh Expressions and **Nathan Webb** from Checkpoint; Break out session with District Lay Leader to discuss how you might “forge a new path” within your communities. Register at <https://calnev-reg.brtapp.com/LayDevelopmentSummitOctober12022>.

SAVE THE DATE!

October 2, 2022 | 10 a.m.

No Excuse Sunday
World Communion Sunday

Worship will be held in the parking lot
Invite your family and friends!

VOLUNTEER WITH GRIP!

SOUP KITCHEN VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

GRIP operates a daily soup kitchen for community members in need.

We are always looking for new volunteers to help prep and serve -- especially on **Wednesdays and Weekends!**

VOLUNTEERS ALWAYS WELCOME! arrive at the following time:

Time: 11:30 am -12:45 pm
Address: 165 22nd Street, Richmond, California 94801

Picture Credit: St. Joseph Church in Pinole

Save the Date

36th Annual Harmony WALK

October 22, 2022
9 am - 2 pm
 Call (510-233-2141)
 For more information

The **ANNUAL HARMONY WALK** will be taking place **in-person** for the first time since 2019! The Harmony Walk is a community-based event that will take place at Nicholl Park on October 22nd and will include a 5k walk/fun run through the community as well as food trucks, live music, an ongoing raffle, guest speakers, vendor booths, and more. The event is from **9 am to 2 pm, Saturday, October 22**, at Nicholl Park in Richmond. **SAVE THE DATE!**

Visit <https://secure.givelively.org/event/greater-richmond-inter-faith-program/harmony-walk-2022> to register for the Harmony Walk. After you select your level of registration, it will give you the option to list your team/organization name. Make sure you write in Easter Hill UMC! New this year--bring the money that you have raised with you on the day of the walk and turn it in to GRIP during registration.

USHER BOARD



Our ministry is always looking for ushers; men, women, and youth; and the invitation is always extended. The Easter Hill United Methodist Church Usher Board cordially invites all congregation members and regular attendees to join us in our commitment to the fulfillment of service to God and the church. We are a team of ordinary individuals working together as “...doorkeepers in the house

of God.” (Psalm 84:10). If interested, please contact **Samantha Webster 510.637.8014**



GRIP'S SHORT LIST OF EMERGENCY NEEDS



Disposable soup cups with lids (10oz-12oz)
Disposable coffee cups with lids
3-part hinged compostable food containers
Bottled water
Disinfectant wipes
Disinfectant sprays
Hand sanitizer

Sandwich bags
Brown lunch bags
Napkins

Lunch size bag chips

Lunch size/snack size cookie bags
Gloves (Medium, Large and XL)
Hair nets
Aprons

Administrative Supplies: printer paper, pens, envelopes,
paper clips, post its, manila folders, postal stamps, tape,

Any monetary donation of any kind is most appreciated-No amount is too small

We thank everyone for their support in this emergency time of need.



165 22nd Street
Richmond, Ca 94801
510-233-2141
www.gripcares.org



**PLEASE PUT ALL DONATIONS IN THE MISSION BOX LOCATED IN THE NARTHEX
ALL DONATIONS ARE GREATLY APPRECIATED! *Mission & Outreach Ministry***

MEMBER EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

Please complete the form and turn it in to the church office

Date: _____ Gender: _____

Member Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email address: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT: _____

Name: _____

Home Ph: _____ Mobile Ph. _____

Email: _____

Relation to Member: _____

ALTERNATE CONTACT: _____

Name: _____

Home Ph: _____ Mobile Ph. _____

Email: _____

Relation to Member: _____

MEDICAL INFORMATION: _____

Hospital or Clinic Preference: _____

Physician's name: _____

Physician's Phone: _____

Allergies or Special Health condition: _____

EVENTS AT EASTER HILL – September 19, 2022 – September 25 ,2022

Monday- September 19 10:30a Covenant Group– *Via Zoom*
7p Q Place -*Via Zoom*

Tuesday – September 20

Wednesday – September 21

Thursday – September 22 6p Church Council – *Via Zoom*

Friday- September 23

Saturday – September 24 9a Prayer Ministry– *Via Zoom*

Sunday – September 25 10a Worship Service – In Person Attendance and Live Streamed on
“Facebook”
11:30a Choir Rehearsal

Easter Hill United Methodist Church, 3911 Cutting Blvd., Richmond California 94804

STAFF

Dr. Dale M. Weatherspoon, Pastor
Rev. Phil Lawson, Pastor Emeritus
Dr. Anthony Gordon, Co Senior Lay Servant
Linda Wright, Co Senior Lay Servant
Rev. Dr. Doniel Mark Wilson, Director of Music
Audrey Cormier, Organist
Kimberly Harvey, Voices of Easter Hill
Joyce Clark, Administrative Assistant

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Rev. Shinya Goto, District Superintendent

STATEMENT OF WELCOME

All creation is of sacred worth. All humans are sacred images of God. Easter Hill United Methodist Church affirms, without reservation, Jesus' life, and ministry of unconditional love. As an inclusive and nurturing family of families, Easter Hill will continue to welcome and offer hospitality to all persons regardless of age, race, gender orientation, religious, economic, educational, or social status.

