

Building Christian Lives

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The praise and worship band for *The Road* played on our "front porch" during the recent lawn party. (Photo courtesy of Dick Smith)

Rev Up for Fall!

During worship every Sunday we are encouraged to take some actions that will deepen our relationship with Jesus. One of the best ways to deepen our faith walk is by actively participating in one or more of the great growth and learning opportunities offered by your church. You can learn about each opportunity by talking with its leader on Sunday August 12 between 10 and 11 am in the Fellowship Hall. There is a special place for you here, and we are anxious to help you find it and get started. Join us for REV UP FOR FALL and find what is just right for your and your family. Stay after the 11 am worship service and enjoy lunch provided by the Craftsmen and another chance to hear *The Road* praise and worship band perform.

Celebration Worship Begins

After many months of preparation our celebration worship team's hard work has resulted in scheduling our first worship service on Sunday, September 9, at 5 pm. The team has named this modern service, *The Road*. It is designed to bring culture-current music, creative arts, and targeted messages to the worship experience. *The Road* is the place for any who may not find fulfillment in "traditional worship" and for those who want a change of pace. Come and participate in this service with our house band, contemporary music, cutting edge videos and creative presentations.



New Associate Pastor Arrives September 16

It is indeed a very special time in the life of the church when we are led into that special relationship we enjoy with the coming of a new pastor. Our Associate Pastor Nominating Team, after a year of seeking that person God had prepared for us has presented Reverend Patricia Slomanski to the congregation. And the congregation has unanimously supported that nomination. Reverend Slomanski will begin her ministry with us on September 16. The church is excited about this special call and is looking forward to the gifts Patricia brings that will help us on our journey of *Building Christian Lives*.

Mark Your Calendars

Sunday, August 19, will be a very special day at Eastminster as we will have the honor of having the Rev. Joan Gray, Moderator of The Presbyterian General Assembly preach at our church. She will be preaching during the 9 and 11 am services and there will be a reception in her honor immediately following the 11 am service. Don't miss this unique opportunity to hear her speak!

Points of Interest:

- Wednesday Night Family Dinners resume in August from 6 to 7 pm. Youth and Adult programs are available afterwards.
- Women's Bible Study meets on Wednesday Mornings at 10 am.
- Next Newcomer's Lunch will be held September 23. Come find out more about Eastminster and enjoy lunch with some of our members!
- Sunday School for all ages every Sunday morning from 10-10:45 am.