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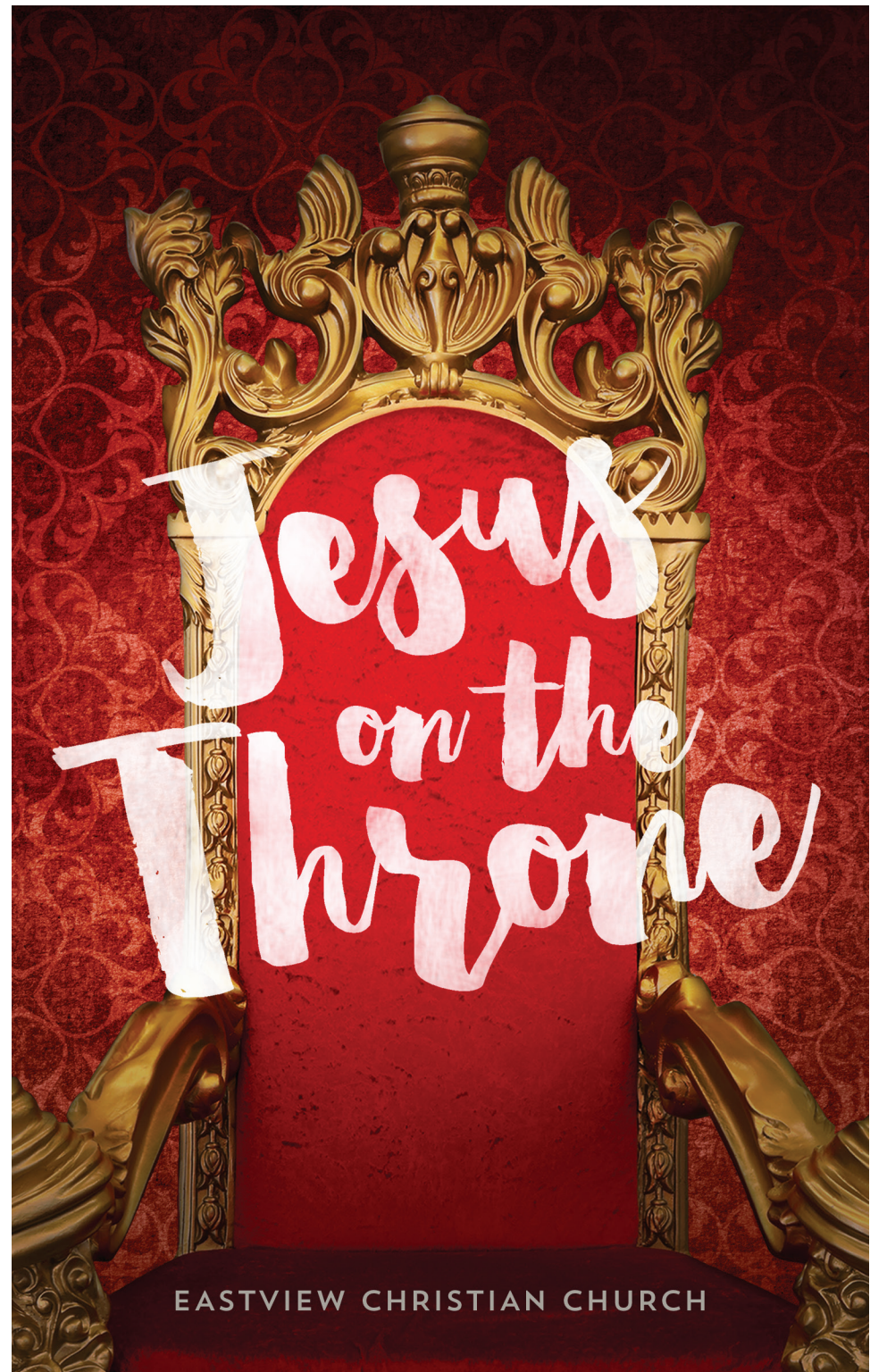
JESUS ON THE THRONE #5
"Sing praises to our King"
Psalm 47 / May 3, 2015

Intro - A world of worship

- **WHO DESERVES PRAISE? (OUR KING)**
 - o He is over all (vs. 2&7)
 - o He has subdued all (v. 3, Psalm 24, Psalm 110:1)
 - o He reigns (v. 8, Psalm 2)
- **WHO GIVES PRAISE? (ALL PEOPLES)**
 - o All creation (Psalm 29:1 and 66:4; Isaiah 6:1-3 and 55:12; Revelation 4:8-11, 11:16-19, 15:1-4, and 19:1-9)
 - o Peoples
 - Chosen and loved (vs. 4, 9a, Psalm 45)
 - All (Romans 15:11)
- **HOW WE PRAISE (GATHER)**
 - o Clap (v. 1)
 - o Shout (vs. 1&5)
 - o Sing (vs. 5-7)

Close - A church of worship (Colossians 3:16, Ephesians 5:19&20)

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Welcome to Eastview Christian Church

NEW HERE?

We want to meet you! Please come to the Family Room (next to the bookstore on the lower level) immediately following the service today. If you're our guest, please don't feel obligated to give an offering.

NEED PRAYER?

Visit the Family Room after the service and we will have staff and volunteers ready to pray with you.

WANT TO MAKE A FRESH START?

To begin or renew your relationship with God, stop by the Family Room right after the service and we can help you with your next steps.



THE GLOBAL LEADERSHIP SUMMIT

August 6-7, 2015

We believe God's called us all to lead in our community, home, office, and church. Join us for a two-day simulcast for inspiration, motivation, and practical skills that will make us more fearless, ridiculous, and dangerous leaders.

Register at www.eastviewchurch.net and use password GLS15HOST for the 40% host site discount.

Esteps

We invite you to attend Esteps. During these monthly sessions we share what we believe, steps for helping you grow in your faith, and ways to get connected into the Eastview Family. Stop by the Info Center for additional information.

All sessions held on the Upper Well from 11:15am to 12:45pm.

Today - Step 1 • May 10 - Step 2 • May 17 - Step 3 • May 24 - Step 4

Pastor's Tweet of the Week...

The overwhelming majority of Christian testimonies begin with "_____ invited me to church."
You can be that blank for a future testimony. Follow Mike at @bakerpastor.

Prayers for Eastview

Pray for 17 pastors in Nepal who are supported through our partners, Central India Christian Mission. Praise God that none were killed and only one church building was damaged in the Katmandu earthquake. Pray for their strength as they minister to those in need there. Pray for God to open a door for the gospel to be shared there.

Pray for the staff at Eastview. Pray for the staff member you most frequently rub ministry shoulders with. Choose one or two staff members and pray for them every day this week - for their faith to be strong, their passion to burn hot, their strength to be renewed, and their joy to be complete.

Pray for all those high school and college students in our congregation who will be graduating in the next couple of weeks. Pray for what is next in their lives and that they will maintain God as a focus and the most important thing. Pray for them not to enter into temptation.

Pray for the North American Christian Convention.

Pray that the 3-4-1 service plan will bless our church and expand our witness in this place.

Pray for peace, safety and healing in Baltimore. Pray for the churches of that place to be a great witness to a city that desperately needs Jesus.

Upcoming Events and Info

- **HARVEST BOOKSTORE:** NIRV and NLT Student Bibles save 30% the month of May.
- **GLOBAL OUTREACH MISSION TRIPS:** Haiti Family Conference applications due May 17. Contact Sarah at soehler@eastviewcc.org.
- **HS SENIORS:** Grad Nite celebration banquet for all seniors and their families. May 9 from 6pm to 8pm in the Sanctuary. RSVP by midnight tonight at eastviewchurch.net/gradnite.
- **KIDSVIEW VIDEO TEAM:** Auditions will be May 20. Contact Tara at thorn@eastviewcc.org for information and to secure your child's audition time.
- **SUMMER CAMPS:** Ages based on upcoming school year.
1st-5th grade Kidsview Camps register at www.eastviewchurch.net/camp.
6th grade Sixers Camp go to www.eastviewchurch.net/sixers.
9th-12th limited spots remain for CIY MOVE at www.eastviewchurch.net/move.
- **8TH GRADERS:** Tribe Night for students and parents transitioning from 8th grade to high school. May 20 from 6:30pm to 8:00pm in the Sanctuary. RSVP by May 10 at eastviewchurch.net/tribe.
- **NACC:** June 23-26. Information at gotonacc.org or contact Sandi at sknapp@eastviewcc.org.

Statistics For April 26th 2015

OFFERING	\$ 145,132
WEEKLY GOAL	\$ 190,000
YEAR-TO-DATE (Fiscal Year began 9/1/14).....	\$ 5,941,391
YEAR-TO-DATE GOAL (Fiscal year began 9/1/14).....	\$ 6,460,000
NUMBER OF RECORDED GIFTS	860
ATTENDANCE	5807
BAPTISMS 2015	97
NACC Special Offering	\$2,547