

My name is Jane Whisler. For those of you who may not know me, I have been a member at ECA for about eight years along with my husband, Jack and two daughters, Paige and Carly. I have led the ECW and Reach and I've been on the finance committee and Altar Guild for several years. Before joining ECA we attended another church where I just did not feel a sense of belonging. We knew ECA was closer to us than our current church and we had driven by it so many times, but were reluctant to try it. The first time we came to ECA, I felt like I was home. We were given a very warm welcome, and never turned back. I suspect many of you felt the same way and need this place as much as I do. For Jack and I, supporting ECA is a no-brainer. What I love about ECA is not only the in-reach the church does, but I am amazed at the outreach from this little church.

I wanted to tell you about one story that has had an effect on me. We all remember what occurred in the Spring of 2020...Covid and the lockdowns. At the time, I was helping Nicole File who was leading Reach, and we were very limited in ways to serve our community, so we had to get creative. Reach joined during drive through communion after virtual services. We asked for food and toiletries to distribute to the community. Our wonderful parish delivered each time we asked, and Reach was able to deliver truckloads of items to local organizations. I really looked forward to being at the church during these drive through events because it gave me a chance to connect with others at a time when I felt so isolated. Please prayerfully consider giving of your time, treasure and talent.

Thank you!

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