

Sunday, October 27, 2019



**Pastor Appreciation Day
at Ennis First United Methodist Church**



**Christen Vick, Minister to Students,
presented a poem written just for Pastor Matt
and gifts that he can use for fishing and kayaking!
Here is the poem Christen wrote and read to him
after the Announcement phase of the service!**

Pastor Matt, Pastor Matt -- Oh where to start?
You are still kind of new here, but we have learned about your heart.

You love Jesus and your family and that's no lie,
But when it comes to fishing you get super excited and nearly cry.

So, here's some advice from me to you
To help when you want to fish, but have work to do.

If you call in and claim your arm is in a "cast",
We know that means you're fishing, so just know that's not going to pass.

Here's a bit more fishing advice and I'm no expert, but here it goes...
When fishing and a hook is coming at you--duck so it won't leave a boo-boo on your nose.

And one more quick thought about building our membership list,
Be cautious when taking members kayak fishing in rough waters
And they end up overboard...well, I think you get the gist.

Finally, and foremost,
Happy Pastor Appreciation Day from all of us to you,
We are thankful you are here and for everything you do!



**Pastor Matt leads the Children's Sermon
directly into the topic of the day -- the return of Jesus Christ!**



**The Prayer Quilt Ministry team
dedicates two beautiful quilts on this day!
The pink quilt was made for Elaine Triplett,
counselor at Ennis ISD**

**and the blue quilt is for Theo Ogden,
the sister of Peggy Odom!
For more details of these two quilts,
[Click here!](#)**



**The congregation was invited to come forward
to pass on the love and prayers
through the tying of knots on both quilts!**



**The Chancel Choir, Davin Hutchinson
(Minister of Music & Worship)
and James Montgomery
(Organist and Music Associate)
brought music throughout the service that was just amazing!.**

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**Our MUCH APPRECIATED pastor,
Pastor Matt Bailey,
revealed more about the coming of Jesus
through multiple scriptures and thorough explanations.**

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