

Eastwood Epistle

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Daylight Savings Time this Sunday



Set your clock ahead one hour

Christian Schools of El Paso

Summer Fundraiser— 915-593-5011
Delicious Butter braid Pastry Dough
\$14.00 with six different varieties to
pick from, frozen dough will keep,
Order by March 11, pickup April 2

VBS/Easter Meeting

Is scheduled Sunday, March 8 immediately after
morning service. Volunteers are needed to begin
preparations for the various parts of the Easter Day
events and our Vacation Bible School (VBS). If
you are interested in participating or helping out ,
please join us in this meeting.

Plastic eggs, candy & baskets needed for Easter
Sunday

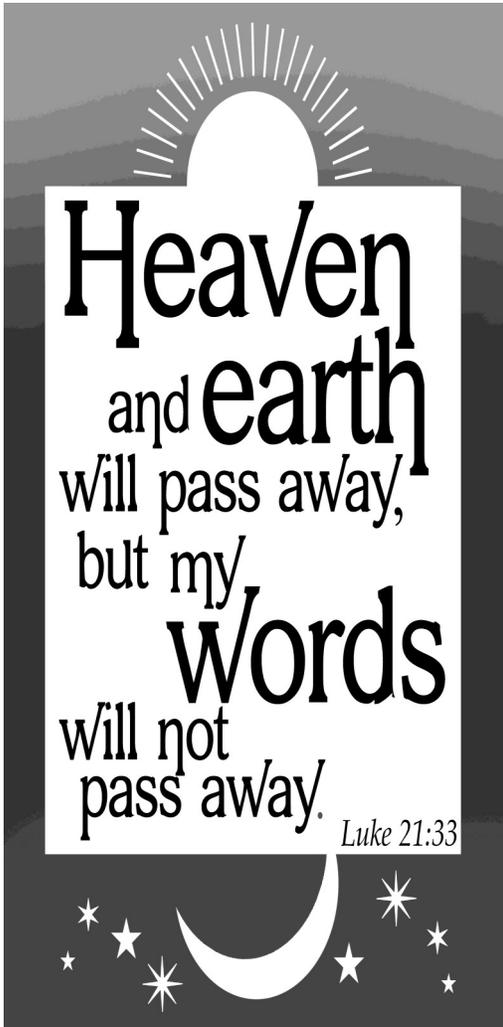
Care Groups

March 19, Gordon & Arlene Gaenzle

March 22, Mike & Teri Dove

March 29, Junie & Susie Chavez

SMILE GOD LOVES YOU



Men to Serve

Sunday, March 8

Song Leader:

Bob Arterbury

Opening Prayer:

Flaviano Enriquez Spanish

John Banks English

Lord's Supper/Contribution:

Junie Chavez

Scripture Reading:

Mike Dove

Together

When a guest comes to our worship assembly, it is an opportunity for each of us to take the time to warmly receive them in the Spirit of Jesus Christ. The proper response is not to divert our eyes to avoid seeing them. The assembly is God's house and we are the family that is to show the hospitality of Jesus. Remember the Pharisee who did not show any hospitality toward Jesus.

If you are fortunate enough to meet them before the worship time begins, invite them to sit with you. Then sit, at least, half way toward the front. "Will you sit with me?"

If you see a guest sitting by them self, go sit with them. "May I sit with you?"

When we are present in situations that are new to us, we are often ill at ease. It can be a new shop, home of a friend of a friend, even another worship assembly. We form an impression in the first seconds. If that impression is, "I never want to be here again," we most likely will not return. If the impression is, "Those were some of the friendliest, warmest, nicest, cordial, loving: well you get the idea.

Even, if you are the congregational grouch, Jesus wants you to smile, speak and welcome any guest as if she or he were Jesus himself.

You have heard the expression, Take five. Generally it is used to give permission for a break or rest period. Let's give it a different meaning at Eastwood. When the worship assembly is dismissed, take five minutes to seek out our guests and speak to them with a welcoming spirit. TAKE FIVE is a call to put our best foot forward as we greet those who may potentially be a part of our spiritual family.

Commit to being a gracious host at our next assembly. Look around when you arrive and speak to guests. Then after the dismissal, take the next five minutes to seek out the guests and speak to them.

Charles M Clodfelter

Sunday Guests who registered - 2
Did you speak with them?
www.eastwoodchurchofchrist.org

Schedule of Services

Sunday

Bible Class - 9:00 A.M.
Morning Worship - 10:00 A.M.
Evening Worship - 5:00 P.M

Wednesday

Bible Study
7:00 P.M.

Tuesday Morning Ladies Bible Class

10:00 a.m.

At church room #63

All ladies are cordially invited to join us for a study in scripture, coffee, conversation and song

**Free English as second Language
Class Wednesday
For Men And Women
6:00 p.m.**

Clase de Biblia para Mujeres

(Grupo De Apoyo, en Español)

Se reúnen los miércoles a las 7:00 pm
en salon # 66.

¡Invite sus amigas!

Información:

Yoly García o Alice Castillo 915-525-0186

Ladies Spanish Bible Class

Are meeting on Wednesdays, 7:00 pm, room #66.

Information:

Yoly Garcia or Alice Castillo 915-525-0186

Smile God Loves you

Sunday Morning Sermon

March 8, 2020

Speaker - Charles Clodfelter

Sermon: Faith Can Be Hard

Scripture: Heb 11:1-7

Sunday Evening Sermon

Speaker - John Banks

Sermon: The Providence of God

Scripture: Exodus 11 & Numbers 16

March 14, 2020 , 6:30 p.m., Pizza



Get involved. Every Eastwood member should make a prayerful effort to invite an unchurched friends to our Pizza & movie night on March 14. Then to the congregational potluck lunch on March 29. Then again on Easter, April 12. Many who do not attend an assembly at any other time of the year, will go somewhere on Easter. They are more likely to attend where they have been invited, have a connection and are comfortable. It is a process that any of us can follow. Invite your unchurched friends.

Support your youth Group

Sunday youth class at 9:00 a.m. Room #24
Join us for coffee and donuts
Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Youth Bible Class

Youth Activities

- Fourth Sunday Evening. Movie and Games night.
- Last Saturday of the month, Album park picnic day
- July we will help our Vacation Bible School.
- July 7-11 Youth conference in Chicago, IL.

Please support us

For more information contact brother Mike Dove or Eva Carrillo.



March 4, Violet Muñoz
March 4, Zoe Morales
March 6, Albert Jr Dominguez
March 9, Clayton Hamilton
March 10, Janet Hill
March 12, Don Rice

Nursery Helpers

Sunday, March 8

for children 2 years of age and under

Maria Enriquez/ Marisol Alvarado



"Big Heart Campaign 2019"

is requesting boys' no show socks (any size).

The no show socks can be placed in the box labeled "Children's Home of Lubbock" in the foyer. They will be collected Wednesday, May 1st.

If you prefer to make a monetary donation, please make checks payable to "Children's Home of Lubbock" and they can be placed in any Sunday service offering bag.

For more details, please visit

www.childshome.org

Or e-mail: eric.childrenshome@gmail.com

Pine Springs Summer Camp applications available in the youth room #24 scheduled each week starting May 25 - August 3-6, full payment due two weeks before your session. Register online at pinespringscamp.com

Las Cruces church of Christ Ladies Day
Invitation April 18. 9:30-3:30pm
Register lascruceschurchofchrist.net

Social Media

If you have skills in the use of social media and would be willing to offer assistance or suggestions, please contact Charles or call the office. 915-593- 2772

Matthew 5:11

"Blessed are you when people insult you, persecute you and falsely say all kinds of evil against you because of me.

Google map review for Church of Christ

Will ask for you to open Google maps on your computer. Look up the church address and then let the curser hover the cross symbol. A window will appear, then click on the window. On the left side a larger window should appear, scroll down and click on Write A Review. You may also click the stars.



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Facebook

www.facebook.com/groups/ecocmembers/

In Our Prayers

Elders

Mike Dove - 822-2419
Gordon Gaenzle - 269-7968
Ray Rivera - 592-8930

Deacons

Julio Alcalá, Bob Arterbury,
Abel Hernandez, Samuel Hooper

Minister

Charles Clodfelter - 433-4227

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Our Records

March 1, 2020

Bible Class - 44 Morning Worship - 83
Wednesday Bible Study - 28 Evening Worship - 21
Regular Offering: \$4432.00

Year to Date

| <u>Week</u> | <u>Year to Date</u> |
|--------------------|---------------------|
| Baptisms - 1 | Year to Date - 1 |
| Identification - 0 | Year to Date - 0 |

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OUR FAMILY

Sharon Armendariz ---will be in Midland, TX indefinitely for care of her mom
Mike Baron - prayers for strength, getting kidney dialysis all week..

Mike Fernandez-keep him in prayers, surgery in Houston, delayed mid-march

Paula Molina - admitted to Sierra Providence Feb 26, issues with low sodium..

Rudy Ramon - prayers, health issues ...

Loretta (Sian) Strickland, Sisi-----prayers for positive outcomes in court issues, should be completed in March...Prayers for travels to Susan Strickland's memorial end of March-siblings/kids

SHUT-INS

Mary Jo Garner -----lots of back, hip and leg pain....

Evelyn Herlong---has severe dementia/under hospice care.....

Christine Hooper - home and recuperating slowly...

Daisy Roberson---health problems/is in St. Teresa Nursing and Reb. Center,
10350 Montana Avenue, El Paso, Texas.....

Evon Wrinkle (former member, 2005)- daughter Cynthia Brumm says her mom Doing well at a home care that she often visits and says thank you everyone for prayers but her health has declined. Mom loves Eastwood and tells everyone of Texas. You are welcomed to call Cynthia at # 559-906-3458.....

EXTENDED FAMILY

Joyce Becker - (Chuck Buckley's pen pal) Has been put in Hospice care. If you like to send a letter address card to:

Joyce Becker, 1633 N. Summer, Pampa, TX 79065....

Mary Ellen & Travis Jackson (Carol M. Baker's friends) --- Travis passed away at home under Hospice January 22, Mary Ellen needs prayer for strength & encouragement...

Lupe Licón -(Cristina Morales's sister in-law) prayers for her injured knee...

Mary Mares (Cristina Morales' sister) -- bone marrow replacement to Houston delayed, having therapy for weak heart before going to Houston...

Krystal Ortiz - (Mark Enriquez's family) prayers , health problems since, January 22., doctors cannot find problem.....

Philip Rhoades (Sisi Strickland's brother-in-law) ----will be undergoing treatment for his cancer ,treatment to begin March 2020

Sam Rhoades (Philip Rhoades' brother) ----has cancer....nothing they are able to do.....

Clifton Cole Rice (Iren Rice's great grandson & great nephew) surgery went well Feb 26 for great grandson...

Don Alan Riggs (Irene Rice's grandson/former member) --doctors will continue to monitor his heart/2761 Fletcher Park Circle West, Cordova, TN 38106.....

Mary Sierra - (Bel air COC minister's wife) Fred Sierra called Feb 20 and said that he is with Mary in Houston. She will be getting chemo for about a month for leukemia. Feb 26 he says Mary's white cell count is down 1.7. Fred thanks everyone for prayers.

Susan Solem - (Loretta Strickland's friend) heart issues , prayers.....

Susan Ann Strickland-(Loretta Strickland's sister in law) Vernon Strickland's wife passed away Feb 22, actively served at Licking MO church of Christ

Vernon Strickland - (Loretta Strickland's brother) suffered a stroke, prayers... (CoC family visiting from Oklahoma) Prayer for Sabrina Thompson's niece and her newborn baby.....

Matthew Urquiza- (Bob & Irma Pechanic Nephew) 31 year old, He was diagnosed with leukemia . Will have new procedure Feb. 5...

Javier Vasquez - (Mark Enriquez's friend) prayer for protection and salvation, keep him from bad influences.....

Dick & Oneta White parents of West Freeway COC shooting victim Richard White -(Carol Navar's cousin) -Prayers for strength, healing & encouragement..

Please remember in prayers our military and others in harms way

Michael Holt , Josh Rackley,

U.S. Military-our troops around the world.

Please call the office to update our prayer list.