

# Eastwood Epistle

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## Family Story Time

Saturday, June 23rd

9:30 - 11:00 a.m.

Theme: Rainbow Fish  
Story, Craft, Snack, Fun!

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## Placed Membership

Jose & Maria A. Del Rasso

1836 Charlie Smith Dr.

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*Welcome to the Eastwood Family!*

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## NM Christian Children's Home in Portales

is requesting Snack Crackers (All Kinds).  
The Snack Crackers can be placed in the  
box labeled "NM Christian Children's Home".  
If you prefer to make a monetary donation,  
please make checks payable to  
"NM Christian Children's Home".  
All donations will be picked up July 16, 2018.

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## Care Groups

June 24 - Junie & Susie Chavez

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## Smile

Married life can be frustrating.  
In the first year of marriage, the man speaks  
and the woman listens. In the second year,  
the woman speaks and the man listens.  
In the third year, they both speak and the  
neighbors listen.

Borrowed from House to House  
Heart to Heart

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## Men to Serve Sunday, June 24th, 2018

**Song Leader:**  
Bob Arterbury

**Opening Prayer:**  
Ray Rivera - Spanish  
Samuel Hooper - English

**Lord's Supper/Contribution:**  
Junie Chavez

**Scripture Reading:**  
Les Potter

# Together

**SUGAR is possibility the most dangerous substance in the world.** It is not a fast acting poison, but it is lethal. It also interferes with our daily activities.

Sugar is added to practically every processed food. Some baby foods even have sugar added. Sugar is added to the canned vegetables we purchase. Sugar is not needed, but it is added by processors so we will buy their brand because it tastes good. Recipes for home cooked meals will even have excessive sugar added. I was once served cornbread, that was corncake. Sugar, sugar, sugar.

I have seen tea glasses that had ½ inch of sugar in the bottom of the glass because the saturation point had been exceeded. Soft drinks have more sugar per ounce than you could mix into a glass of tea. They are able to go beyond the saturation point, 180 to 200 calories. Then we buy the largest size and get refills. And there is the infamous *beer belly*.

**This does not include** the carbohydrates we eat that turn to sugar: pasta, bread, rice. Which are a little better, only because they take more time to convert to sugar.

Unlike fats and proteins, sugar that is not used is stored as fat. Its true, fat does not make us fat, sugar does. Along with being hard on our hearts and the myriad other problems that it causes, it is addictive.

**I hope you gather that sugar** is being used as a metaphor for sin. The world constantly feeds us sin in small bites until we are “hooked” on the lifestyle and think this is how things are supposed to be.

Every avenue of entertainment, business, and education is ill-used by evil forces in our world. Sin is introduced in small doses until it normal, then the dose is increased. The Devil knows what he is doing to us.

We need to know what the Devil is doing and learn to resist. Blessings on all.

*Charles M Clodfelter*

**Sunday Guests who registered - 3**  
**Did you speak with them?**  
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## Schedule of Services

<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>
Bible Class - 9:00 A.M.	Ladies Bible Class	Bible Study
Morning Worship - 10:00 A.M.	9:30 A.M.	7:00 P.M.
Evening Worship - 6:00 P.M.	(Sept - May)	

## Update

Dear Eastwood,

Evon Wrinkle, former member, is now 96 and will be 97 in December of this year! She enjoys the bulletin and feels she is in touch. Her health is still good, her short term memory has good and bad days. She lives in a care home but I talk with her everyday along with visits since I am so blessed to still have a mom. I show her pictures of all the family as they appear on Facebook. She still has 3 living daughters, she has 8 living grandchildren, she has 8 living great grandchildren, she has 6 great-great grandchildren living.

Her hearing and eyesight are lessing rapidly. She wishes to send love to each and everyone at Eastwood current and passed.

Her new current address for all mail is:

Evon Wrinkle  
716 Lenox Ave  
Exeter, CA 73221

My phone number is 559-906-3458

Love, Cynthia

## Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Scott and Jannette Chamberlain  
& Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey and Stacey Riggs

Request the honor of your presence at the marriage of  
Hannah Grace Chamberlain to Don Alan Riggs

Three O'Clock P.M.

Saturday, 11 August 2018

Great Oaks Church of Christ

3355 Brunswick Road

Memphis, TN 38133

Please RSVP by July 21st at

<https://www.theknot.com/us/hannah-and-don-alan>

## Sunday Morning Service

June 24, 2018

**Speaker:** Charles Clodfelter

**Sermon:** *My Heavenly Home*

**Scripture:** John 14:1-3

## Sunday Evening Service

6:00 p.m.

**Speaker:** Charles Clodfelter

**Sermon:** *Submit and Resist*

**Scripture:** James 4:1-12

## Women in Ministry

Dear church members, friends and family:

Thank God for getting me better and you for your continued prayers that I get well from my injury, then my Pneumonia treatment, and traveling issues, etc.

This past week was amazing as we ministered to 9 women. Three of these women traveled by bus several hours and waiting 13 hours just to cross from Venezuela to Columbia. These 9 women, after months of praying for them, arrived ready, willing, and able to receive a spiritual renewal week through Vasijas Ministry (de Agua - theme) from June 7-10 at Bucaramanga, Columbia.

At the end of the four days, what a blessing it was to see their glowing faces of God's word cleansing their inner conflicts and battles. Some comments heard were "I feel renewed, I feel very good, And I feel like a new person. We were also blessed with Siul giving the Sunday service. After this service, we had two visitors living in the hotel that were baptized.

I returned on June 13, sad to leave the Vasijas team Siul, Carla, Shanaal and Mile as they waited for 26 additional Christians arriving to help with Vacation Bible School the following week for over 60 children in Bucaramanga.

Unable to attend and help Rancho Avalanche VBS because this Sunday, I'm off to receive a spiritual renewal week in a study of Exodus by Come Before Winter.

Blessings, thank you and I should see you, God willing, June 24.

-Hugs, Margaret

This is Carla's report to her prayer partners regarding Guanajuato and Columbia mission trips for Vasijas Ministry, and vacation bible school next week in Columbia.

-Margaret

*Dear prayer partners,*

*Thank you for your prayers! We had a wonderful week in Guanajuato! It was a very humbling experience for me as a leader.*

*We had ten people attend the training seminar from eight different cities in Texas, Mexico, and Colombia. We worked Sunday afternoon through Friday morning.*

*The team was incredible! Everybody got along really well, we connected beautifully with each other, and every one worked really hard.*

*The seminar was planned in two parts:*

- 1. We took several tests to find out about our strengths and weaknesses as a team, personality, and spiritual gifts. We discovered we have a heterogeneous team which will work for the best as we complement each other.*
- 2. We have developed three different programs for the Ministry: Jars of Clay, Jars of Oil, and Jars of Water. These are the lessons we use for our Ladies Renewals. Each set of lessons takes four days to present during a renewal. I was able to cover 90% of those three programs at the training. We'll complete the training via video conference. Some of the new team members have never attended a renewal, and most haven't attended all three programs, so it was important for all of the team members to experience this training.*

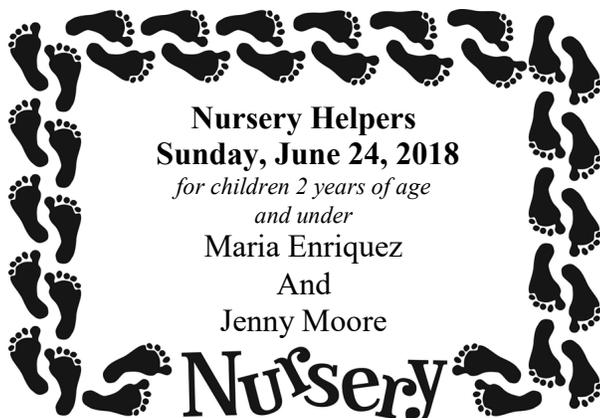
**NEW MISSION COMING UP!**

*Lord willing, I will be leaving for Bucaramanga, Colombia, this Sunday and will be there until June 29. I'll be directing a Ladies Renewal, working with women in the ministry, and conducting a VBS for a week.*

*We would really appreciate your prayers during this month.*

*May the Lord keep you and bless you,*

*In Him, Carla*



### **Happy Birthday!**

June 27 - Theresa Dalke  
June 27 - David Shearod  
June 29 - Amanda Thomas  
June 30 - Oscar Gale

### **Happy Anniversary!**

June 29 - Leslie & Cherry Potter

**Food Pantry Needs**  
*The food pantry is low or completely out of these items.*

Canned Carrots  
Canned Meats  
Canned Potatoes



# In Our Prayers

## Elders

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

## Deacons

Julio Alcala, Bob Arterbury, Jeremy Brown  
Abel Hernandez, Samuel Hooper, Eduardo Soto

## Minister

Charles Clodfelter - 433-4227

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## CHURCH FAMILY

Margaret Lee -----safe travels/Mission trips  
Steve Delgado ----- has been in the Emergency Room three times within the past 9-10 days/is in a lot of pain and discomfort: abdominal and prostate

## SHUT-INS

Evelyn Herlong-----has severe dementia/under hospice care  
Daisy Roberson-----health problems/is in St. Teresa Nursing and Reb. Center, 10350 Montana Avenue, El Paso, Texas.

## EXTENDED FAMILY

Christine Morales (Albert and Cristina Morales' daughter) ---has a bad cold

James Whipple (Mary Ann Whipple's brother) -----has sciatic pain

# our Records

## June 17, 2018

Bible Class - 53 Morning Worship - 100  
Wednesday Bible Study - 14 Evening Worship - 17  
Budget - \$4,605.00 Regular Offering: \$4,265.00

## Year to Date

Over/(Under) - (\$24,525.32)

## Week

Baptisms - 0

Identification - 2

## Year to Date

Year to Date - 1

Year to Date - 13

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## Please remember in prayers our military

### and others in harms way

Michael Holt

Josh Rackley

Joshua Wilkie

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

*Please call the office to update our prayer list.*

*Names not updated in 4 weeks will be dropped.*

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