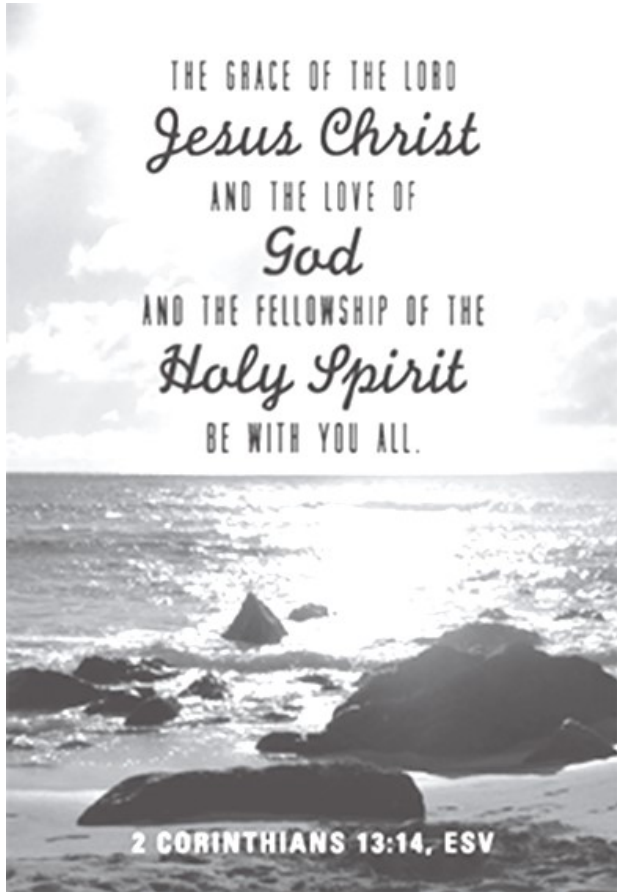


# Eastwood Epistle

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## Men to Serve Sunday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>

**Song Leader:**  
Junie Chavez

**Opening Prayer:**  
Miguel Castro - Spanish  
Abel Hernandez - English

**Lord's Supper/Contribution:**  
Merv Fournier

**Scripture Reading:**  
John Banks

## 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Potluck

Sunday, April 30<sup>th</sup>

in the Fellowship Hall,  
immediately after the morning services.  
Invite your friends, neighbors and relatives to join  
us. Please bring enough food for your family  
and a little extra for our guests!

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## Men's Prayer Breakfast

Saturday, May 6, 2017

8:00 a.m.

in the Fellowship Hall!  
All Men are invited and are  
encouraged to attend!.

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## Care Groups

Thursday, April 20<sup>th</sup> - Gordon & Arlene Gaenzle

Sunday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> - Junie & Susie Chavez



## PRAYER GATHERING

We had a successful prayer gathering  
last Thursday. Men gathered to pray for Eastwood  
to grow spiritually and numerically.  
Future gathering will be on Tuesdays at 6:00 pm.  
All brothers are invited to join the gathering  
for approximately one hour.

# Together

Someone said, "if we told people their brain was an 'app', they might use it."

You probably have an app on your cell phone that you use frequently. But, there are others that just seem to take up space, they are useless because they are unused. They represent opportunity that is unused.

Some opportunities are best left unused. They are temptations. Some temptations are evil and others just waste your time and therefore your life. Let's label them for what they are: good ones are opportunities and the bad ones are temptations.

We all have opportunities that we don't use. We decide they are less important than something else. Such as the chance to attend a Bible class. Bible classes are planned to offer times for us to learn more about scripture and also to fellowship with fellow disciples. We have Sunday morning classes, Wednesday night classes and Sunday night small groups which meet at the building and in homes. These are opportunities for learning and growth.

There are also opportunities for service. Some are organized: such as the E.C.H.O or Eastwood church helping others and S.O.A.R. or School of achievement rising. Volunteers keep these programs working.

ECHO gives food to the needy every month. If you are available to help bag food on Friday before the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday come to the building at 9:00 am. If you can help distribute the food the next day see Jenny Moore for details.

SOAR is the ESL school that offers free classes for English, computers and citizenship. Next semester begins in September, if you can help teach, see Eduardo Soto.

Other opportunities are not organized and just suddenly appear before you. It may be a time to help another with a kind deed or encouraging word. Do it! Let your light shine everyday. Use opportunities.

*Charles M Clodfelter*

**Sunday Guests who registered - 6**  
**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)	

***Men in Ministry***  
**6:00 P.M. Room #67/69**

## Area TV Programs

Fridays: 7:00 P.M. Channel #38 (Cable Channel #16)  
Sundays: 5:00 A.M. Inspiration Channel (Channel #364 Direct TV)

## Thank You

I just want to thank all of my Eastwood family for the beautiful flowers, cards, visits and most of all your prayers for my recovery. I love and appreciate each and every one of you and feel so blessed to have such a wonderful church family!

Love, Linda Elsey

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**Keep in your**  
**PRAYERS**

I just wanted to give you an update on my mom, Betty Hill.

Thank you for your prayers and support. She has breast cancer, and unfortunately the mastectomy did not stop the cancer from metastasizing to her spine. She is currently in Regent Care Center, room 313 B, 10880 Edgemere Blvd, El Paso, Texas. She is not doing well and will be placed on hospice this week. Please continue to pray for her and visits are welcome. The center is open 8 am to 8 pm for visits.

Thank you very much, Janet Hill

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We want to give Yoly Garcia a big THANK YOU! for her volunteering and helping in organizing, cleaning and preparation of our auditorium church pews. Again, thank you Yoly for this much needed help. It is so appreciated!

Elders, Charles & Staff



Welcome to Dale Tate who has returned to El Paso.

He is living at

12220 Tierra Alaska Ave,  
El Paso, TX 79938

Cell # is (325) 261-1087 for text only - please identify yourself the first time - email is [1xtatebd@gmail.com](mailto:1xtatebd@gmail.com)

Please be in contact with Dale via text and email.



### **Food Pantry Needs**

- Canned Meats
- Soup
- Cereal

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



- April 23 - Leora Burluson
- April 24 - Herschel Honea
- April 25 - Daisy Roberson



**Nursery Helpers  
Sunday,  
April 23, 2017**  
*for children 2 years of age  
and under*  
Noemi Delgado  
and  
Dominique Delgado

**Sunday Morning  
April 23, 2017**

**Speaker - Mike Dove**  
**Sermon:** *“The Dawning of a New Day”*  
**Scripture:** Romans 5:1-2

**Sunday Evening - 6:00 p.m.**  
**April 23, 2017**  
**Speaker - Merv Fourtner**

## **Sermons**

- Sunday, April 30 - Bible: through the entire
- Sunday, May 7 - Bible: is it reliable
- Sunday, May 14 - Motherhood is never ending

### **Christian Schools of El Paso Fundraiser**



We are collecting shoes for this year’s shoe drive. We need to collect at least 2500 pairs of shoes. Please bring shoes you no longer want to the school. We’re asking for a pick-up the end of April.



### **Children’s Home of Lubbock “Big Heart Campaign 2017”**

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 on Thursday, May 11<sup>th</sup>.

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

For more details, please visit  
Websites: [eric.childrenshome@gmail.com](mailto:eric.childrenshome@gmail.com)  
or  
[www.childshome.org](http://www.childshome.org)

# In Our Prayers

## Our Elders

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

## Our Deacons

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

## Our Minister

Charles Clodfelter - 433-4227

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# our Records

## April 16, 2017

Bible Class - 52 Morning Worship - 104  
Wednesday Bible Study - 35 Evening Worship - 23  
Budget - \$4,605.00 Offering: \$2,354.00

## Year to Date

Over/(Under) - (\$18,349.86)

## Week

## Year to Date

Baptisms - 0

Year to Date - 1

Identification - 0

Year to Date - 3

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## OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Yoli Hernandez-----health problems

Cactus Moore-----had breathing complications/is in Del Sol Hospital/  
room #372B/is now breathing on his own/will undergo physical therapy  
exam/may be released this week.

Albert Morales-----has high blood pressure

## OUR SHUT-INS

Jay S. Gaenzle-----age

Mary Jo Garner-----health problems

Alvin Harrison-----health problems

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

Betty Hill-----has chest cancer/under hospice care/is in Regent Care/  
room # 313B/10880 Edgemere Blvd/visits welcomed/8 am to 8 pm.

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

Jean Tedford-----health problems

## OUR EXTENDED FAMILY

Bobby Avery (former member)-----MRI testing results, has multiple brain  
lesions/will be undergoing additional tests and treatments.

Jennie Fuls (daughter of Marjorie Foster)-had skin grafts on legs/one is well  
other leg /not well/undergoing skin grafts/wound treatments on her leg /  
Doctors determining if additional surgery needed.

Lorenza Molina (mother-in-law of Paula Molina)-----had a stroke/not  
progressing as expected.

Don Alan Riggs (Irene Rice's grand-son/Jeff & Stacy Riggs' son)-still in guarded  
remission/*Please send cards/hellos, letters letting Don Alan know how  
every one is, to address: 2761 Fletcher Park Circle West, Cordova, TN  
38016.*

## Please remember in prayers our military and others in harms way

Jeremy Brown

Michael Holt

Joshua Wilkie

U.S. Military-----conflicts around the world

*Please call the office to update our prayer list.  
Names not updated in 4 weeks will be dropped.*