

Eastwood Epistle

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Men's Prayer Breakfast

Saturday April 1, 2017

8:00 a.m.

in the Fellowship Hall.

All men are encouraged to attend!

Ladies Day

"Under Construction"

Saturday, April 1, 2017

Time: 10:00 am - 2:30 pm

Location: Las Cruces Church of Christ

2025 N. Valley Drive, Las Cruces, NM 88007

Note: Lunch, Daycare, and

Interpreter available for Spanish speakers.

Speaker: Anne Legge

Info: Sherry Owens (575) 650-0682

Care Groups

Sunday, April 2nd - Music Ministry Fellowship

Thursday, April 13th - Gordon & Arlene Gaenzle

Sunday, April 16th - Mike & Teri Dove

Sunday, April 23rd - Junie & Susie Chavez



"Since we have been justified
by faith, we have peace
with God through our
Lord Jesus Christ"
(Romans 5:1, ESV).
Thank you, God,
for this amazing gift
of justification — and the
peace that comes with it.

Will you not revive
us again,
that your people
may rejoice
in you?



Men to Serve Sunday, April 2nd

Song Leader:

Bob Arterbury

Opening Prayer:

Bernie Castillo - Spanish

Junie Chavez - English

Lord's Supper/Contribution:

Mike Dove

Scripture Reading:

John Banks

Together

Your life has been touched in many small ways by many people. Teachers in secular education and religious education have said and done things that touched you both negatively and positively. Some you remember with affection, others not so much. Friends, acquaintances, classmates, co-workers, neighbors - all have had a small influence on our lives.

Lord Alfred Tennyson expressed the idea that, we are a part of everyone we have met. Each person and each experience has left an imprint in our life.

This is noted, not to point fingers of blame or praise toward those who have influenced us, but to remind us that we also leave an impression on others. Our challenge is to see that our effect is one of encouragement and not discouragement. When we come in contact with strangers in the world, are they improved by their interaction with us.

Naturally, we recognize the impact of family and close associates, but what of the casual acquaintance or brief encounter: the cashier of our regular grocery or even the one time stop at a fast food during a trip? During that 60 second encounter do we let the light of Jesus shine through us and bless another with kindness and love? Do you think anyone has ever finished their work day and said to another, "I had the nicest person come through my line today."

Our challenge is to be a blessing in the life of another as often as we can. It may be everyday or even several times a day. Make a difference in someone's life.

We have heard of the rich and powerful who treat those who serve them with disdain. Well, the disciples should be like Jesus to lift up those need encouragement and an example of Christ-like-ness. We are to be Christians in every way and everyday.

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)	
<u>Area TV Programs</u>		
Fridays: 7:00 P.M. Channel #38 (Cable Channel #16)		
Sundays: 5:00 A.M. Inspiration Channel (Channel #364 Direct TV)		

Thank You

Dear Eastwood Church of Christ,

Thank you very much for all your prayers and generosity. Your prayers helped for a successful survey trip in Chiapas, Mexico.

Carla Lowe and I will be managing a team of 60 individuals traveling from Chihuahua, Torreón, Guanajuato, México City, Mérida, Quintana Roo, Chetumal, Mexico, etc., to Chiapas, Mexico, to assist us for 200 or so preschoolers and primary children during Chiapas' National Church of Christ renewal weekend on April 14-16, 2017.

Thanks be to God we were able to train, plan, prepare, meet church of Christ and relevant people for hospitality and transportation, etc. We were also able to take some supplies for the Rancho Avalancha Vacation Bible School (VBS).

We will leave on the 12th of April for the purpose of training the primary age children's 60 team member group before we start the VBS on Friday. Pray that none of us dehydrate because of the heat and humidity climate in Chiapas, Mexico.

Thank you also for planning and coordinating the garage sale, volunteers, and donations. It was heartwarming working together. Please continue your prayers as they are heartfelt.

Love you in Christ. 1 Corinthians 13.

Your sister and friend,
Margaret Lee

Sunday Morning

April 2, 2017

Speaker - Charles Clodfelter

Sermon: *In His Image*

Scripture: Genesis 1:27

Sunday Evening - 6:00 p.m.

April 2, 2017

Speaker - Merv Fournier



Food Pantry Needs

- Canned Fruit
- Canned Soup
- Pasta Sauce

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



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

April 2 - Iretha Banks

April 4 - Bill Lewis



Nursery Helpers Sunday, April 2, 2017

*for children 2 years of age
and under*

Alice Castillo
and
Margaret Lee

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 11th.

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.childshome@gmail.com
or
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

March 26, 2017

Bible Class - 43 Morning Worship - 85
Budget - \$4,605.00 Offering: \$3,183.37

Year to Date

Over/(Under) - (\$13,377.63)

Week

Year to Date

Baptisms - 0 Year to Date - 1
Identification - 0 Year to Date - 3

Can Contribute on-line at www.eastwoodchurchofchrist.org

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Steve Delgado, Sr.-----underwent a second heart procedure
Linda Elsey-----health problems
Clayton Hamilton-----health problems
Yoli Hernandez-----health problems
Margaret Lee-----travel to and from Mexico/Missionary trip
Cactus Moore----undergoing Optune treatments and chemo sessions five days a month for 6 months.
Albert Morales-----has high blood pressure

OUR SHUT-INS

Jay S. Gaenzle-----age
Alvin Harrison-----health problems
Evelyn Herlong-----has severe dementia /under hospice care
Betty Hill-----health problems
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.
Derrick Holmes (co-worker of Albert Morales)----3 year old grand-daughter passed away fighting leukemia/strength and encouragement.
Cindy Reza (sister of Lulu Ochoa/Aunt of Lori Ontiveros)----had surgery Friday, March 17th /for quick recovery.
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; Bryce Deitiker; Michael Holt;
Roger Loop; 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.*

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