

Eastwood Epistle

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Men's Prayer Breakfast

Men's Prayer Breakfast will be off for the Summer.
The Men's Prayer Breakfast will resume on
Saturday, September 3, 2017.

Tuesday Morning Ladies Bible Class and Potluck

Tuesday, June 13th, at Leola Deal's home,
11329 Beachfront Drive, El Paso, Texas.
10:00 a.m. for coffee and conversation followed by
a lesson. Please bring your favorite covered dish!
All Ladies are cordially invited to attend.

Vacation Bible School (VBS)

Monday, June 19th to Friday, June 23rd, 6:00 - 8:15 p.m.
Pre-K through 6th grade.

Theme: *"A Tale of Two Kings: Saul vs. David"*.

The relationship between Saul and David
and how that affected their roles as kings.

Registration forms available on Monday, June 5th,
at Christian Schools of El Paso (CSEP).

Vacation Bible School Planning Meetings

are scheduled for Sundays, June 4th and June 11th,
immediately after worship services. Volunteers are needed
to help in various parts of VBS. If you are interested in
helping, please contact Tamara Wilke at 919-949-3014.

Care Groups

Sunday, June 4th - Music Ministry Fellowship
Thursday, June 15th - Gordon & Arlene Gaenzle
Sunday, June 18th - Mike & Terri Dove
Sunday, June 25th - Junie & Susie Chavez



Men to Serve Sunday, June 4th

Song Leader:
Bob Arterbury

Opening Prayer:
Ray Rivera - Spanish
Samuel Hooper - English

Lord's Supper/Contribution:
Bernie Castillo

Scripture Reading:
Abel Hernandez



Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m. - Room # 67\69

Together

The words of wise men are like goads, and masters of these collections are like well-driven nails; they are given by one Shepherd. But beyond this, my son, be warned: the writing of many books is endless, and excessive devotion to books is wearying to the body. Eccl 12:11-12 NAS.

The wise man gives two warnings to his son and all who read this passage. First is, listen to your teacher. The 2nd is don't fill your life with the reading of books, because the supply never ends. This in a time when books were hand written and hand copied. There was no printing press, no internet, no video on YouTube and no blogs. A person could consume the days of their life in the pursuit of education or information. Much of which would have little if any value. I am all for a knowledge of history, but we really need to know the last words of a mass murderer before his execution?

Some books are worth rereading, the Bible is our best example. You say you have read it once? How many times have you seen that old movie on TV? It may not even be a favorite, but you watch it again.

Disciples would do well to schedule a time for regular Bible reading, daily would be best. Read in large time segments, not just a few verses. You will gain a better meaning of the text when you read enough to understand the setting and context. If you read for 30 minutes a day, you can read through the New Testament in about a month. It will take three months to read through the Old Testament at 30 min a day.

If you are attending a Bible class on Sunday or Wednesday, begin with the book that is being studied. Otherwise, choose books that have a connection, Luke & Acts or Romans & Galatians or John & Revelation. Could there be any better material for us to read than scripture?

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

7:00 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

Dear Church of Christ friends, and family in Eastwood.

Hope all of you are well. This coming month, I will be part of a team of 6-7 women from Texas and Mexico preparing for 28 women attending Vasijas Ministry in June 20-26, 2017. We are training/assisting a group of women from Toluca, Mexico, to have a renewal ministry. My brothers and sisters in Christ, please join me in prayers for the team's preparation and women participant's spiritual growth that week and to honor God. In addition, by the end of June, I will finish the Sunset Institute Bible studies (online and via Skype) in Spanish by the Toluca Lerdo Church of Christ ministry team. Therefore, I will stay in Toluca after the Vasijas Ministry to finish my studies and graduate after three years of biblical studying.

The reason I studied at this institute in Mexico and in the Spanish language, was a result of staying at a (Spanish only) women's renewal, directed by Carla Lowe and provided by Come Before Winter Ministry team, that I wanted to build my relationship with God. Unknowingly, this three year study, prepared me to be a better servant of God's word. Every six weeks, I took two to three six week courses with weekly exams, midterm and final exams and preparing research papers.

God willing after so much enjoyable reading, outlines, Exegesis, "hermenéutica" paper work, projects, presentations, exams, writing manuals, wikis, curriculum, etc., for the studies, I am blessed to say that I will graduate after three years of this biblical study on Saturday, July 1, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. Therefore, I will return to El Paso on Monday, July 3, 2017.

Thank you for all you do for missions. God bless you! Keep me and the Vasijas Ministry team in your prayers, to seek God daily in preparation for June 20-26, 2017 women's renewal and for the participating ladies to receive what God is willing for their lives, family, etc. Also please pray that I will manage my time to study and fulfill the study at ILEB through Gods power. My class ends a week before I graduate. So please continue to diligently pray for all of us. God Bless you.

Love, your sister in Christ, Margaret Lee

Sunday Morning

June 4, 2017

Speaker - Charles Clodfelter

Sermon: Hallelujah

Scripture: Psalm 135:1- 3

Sunday Evening - 6:00 p.m.

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Speaker - Merv Fournier

**The Worship Leaders Conference
Abilene Christian University (ACU)**

July 21-22, 2017

Featured Speaker: Dr. Steve Wolfgang
from the Chicago area will be talking about
Worship Development.

Conference will be held in the Chapel at the
University Church of Christ in Abilene.

*Brochures posted on the
bulletin board at the back
of the auditorium.*

**71st Annual
Texas Normal Singing School
Abilene Christian University (ACU)
July 23-28, 2017**

Training in A Cappella Church Music
Fifty class hours in a one week training school.
Instruction for beginners and advanced, all ages
Housing in University Park Apartments.
Dining at ACU Cafeteria.
All classes in the ACU Bible building
Register at:
www.SingingSchool.org
or with
Levi Sisemore
3601 Avenue Z / Snyder, TX 79549
HymnalCollector@gmail.com
806-777-8417
Joe Ed Furr, Director

Food Pantry Needs

Cereal

Macaroni & Cheese

Soup

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




**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY** June 6 - Miguel Castro

**Nursery Helpers
Sunday**

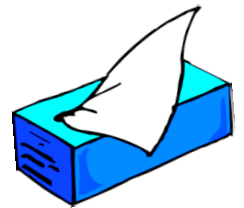
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*for children 2 years of age
and under*

Alice Castillo
And
Ana Soto



**New Mexico Christian
Children's Home
Needs Drive**



New Mexico Christian Children's Home
in Portales, NM, is requesting

Kleenex

Their truck should arrive, Tuesday, July 11th.

There will be a box labeled

"NM Christian Children's Home"

in the foyer, to place the Kleenex boxes.

If you prefer to make a monetary donation,
please make checks payable to

New Mexico Christian Children's Home
and place them in the
offering bags on any Sunday.

Change cans will also be collected.

Please bring back any change cans
that you may have at this time.

Website: www.nmccch.org

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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 CHURCH FAMILY

Mary Strickland-----is in ICU, room# 105/Del Sol Hospital, heart problems/is doing better.

Cactus Moore-----released from hospital/home recuperating/undergoing therapy for two weeks.

OUR SHUT-INS

Jay S. Gaenzle-----age

Mary Jo Garner-----health problems

Alvin Harrison-----health problems

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

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

Jean Tedford-----health problems

OUR EXTENDED FAMILY

Jorge & Carlos (brothers of Jesus Alvarez)-----health problems/Jorge needs surgery.

Bobby Avery (former member)-----not doing well/cancer has spread

Joyce Becker (Amarillo, Texas/pen-pal of Chuck Buckley) has cancer/undergoing treatments/fell/broke left leg and right arm/had surgery.

Mary Ann Chacon (sister of Maggie Rodriquez)-----health problems

Jerry Eaves (brother of Lois Wiggins)-----has lung cancer/undergoing tests

Jesus Morales (brother-in-law of Cristina) has water in lungs/undergoing tests

Alberto & Cristina Morales' grand-daughter and grand-son-Violet/ age 3/and Lucian /age 1/both have high fevers.

Bertha Morales (sister of Cristina)-----has cancer

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.*

Lupe Rosales (sister of Cristina Morales)-----has cancer

Susan (friend of Cody Glasgow)-----for her husband to find a job/is a diesel truck mechanic.

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.

our Records

May 28, 2017

Bible Class - 42 Morning Worship - 71
Wednesday Bible Study - 36 Evening Worship - 24
Budget - \$4,605.00 Offering: \$2,707.00

Year to Date

Over/(Under) - (\$26,945.74)

Week

Year to Date

Baptisms - 0

Year to Date - 1

Identification - 0

Year to Date - 3

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