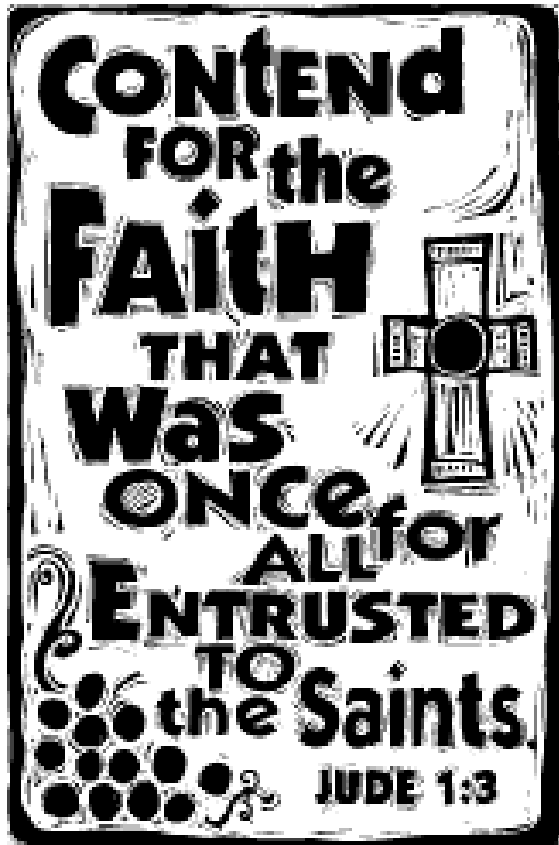


# Eastwood Epistle

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## Daylight Savings Time Ends

Sunday, November 5<sup>th</sup>  
Don't forget to turn your  
clocks back one hour  
on Saturday night!



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## Men's Prayer Breakfast

Saturday, November 4, 2017  
8:00 AM  
In the Fellowship Hall  
All men encouraged to attend!

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## Family Movie Night

In honor of our Veterans, we will be hosting  
a Movie Night opened to the public  
Saturday, November 4th, 2017 at 6:00 p.m.  
In the Fellowship Hall  
The movie showing will be  
*Big Hero 6*  
Veterans can come with their families and enjoy a free  
movie plus popcorn and refreshments.  
Child care will be available.  
Please make plans to attend!

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## Men to Serve Sunday, November 5th

**Song Leader:**  
Junie Chavez

**Opening Prayer:**  
Eduardo Soto - Spanish  
Ray Rivera - English

**Lord's Supper/Contribution:**  
Bernie Castillo

**Scripture Reading:**  
Merv Fourtner



## Church Office Closed

Friday  
November 10, 2017,  
in observance of  
Veterans Day Holiday!

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## Care Groups

November 5 - Music Ministry Fellowship  
November 16 - Gordon & Arlene Gaenzle  
November 19 - Mike & Teri Dove  
November 26 - Junie & Susie Chavez

# Together

Sometime ago, I wrote a leaflet on the subject, **Doctrine Matters**. The reason for the pamphlet is because some people do not understand the importance of doctrine. Doctrine simply means teaching or understanding. i.e. Does it matter that Jesus was resurrected from the dead? Is it true that Jesus is the Son of God? Has the Holy Spirit inspired disciples to write the scripture to give all humankind the ability to do what God wants us to do?

Denominations are divisions among those who call themselves Christians, but adhere to teachings that are not agree with scripture. Some practice sprinkling for baptism, some immerse but for reasons that do not agree with the New Testament, some have a hierarchy that puts interpretation of scripture and decisions of local congregations to one person or group. Other issues have caused thousands of divisions among those who claim to follow Christ.

We, of churches of Christ, attempt to be just Christians and not a denomination, not a division, but simply do what scripture says in regard to following Jesus. We do not want to be protestant, catholic nor Jew, nor do we claim to be the only ones going to heaven. We just want to do what Jesus says we should do. This certainly does not mean that we are perfect, either as persons or a group. Just disciples following Jesus.

If you or I have accepted the idea of being just a Christian as scripture teaches, why would we want to leave this effort and join with a group the does not follow the teaching of the New Testament. We may not have the most exciting preacher or the most exciting singing or the most exciting ministries, but does that allow us to do that which is unbiblical, against scripture?

It is important to know doctrine and teach it to others? **Doctrine matters!**

*Charles M Clodfelter*

**Sunday Guests who registered - 5**  
**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

Thank you to everyone who had a role in helping Eastwood's Trunk or Treat a success. Especially to Tamara Wilkie who also wants to thank everyone.

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

The money you collected for Family Dollar Day is a wonderful blessing to us here at The Children's Home.

The money itself helps us meet the expense associated with feeding our big family three meals a day, every day. Your gift truly makes a difference as we work to meet our financial obligations.

But the best part of the blessing is the encouragement and support we fell, knowing that you love our boys and girls as much as we do, and that you are willing to helping us provide them with, not only the necessities but the constancy, the caring, and the commitment that God has for them.

The food we buy with your dollars is quickly eaten. But the lives that are changed as children come to know the Lord will pay dividends today—tomorrow—and throughout eternity.

Sincerely, Jimmy Moore  
President

Dear Eastwood Family,

We wanted to thank you again for your support of the work here at Impact in the wake of Hurricane Harvey. The need here in Houston and surrounding communities has been so very great...Your donations have been put directly to work in the lives of those affected by this disaster...You are a vital part of our work; we couldn't do this without you. We thank you for your support, and we thank God for the opportunity to make such a difference in our communities.

God Bless,

Harvey Davis, Ron Sellers, Dimas Velasquez,  
Paul Woodward, Chuck Gernand, Michael Guffy

## **Sunday Morning**

**November 5, 2017**

**Speaker - Charles Clodfelter**  
**Sermon: God is on Trial Today**  
**Scripture: Habakkuk 1:13**

## **Sunday Evening**

**6:00 p.m.**

**November 5, 2017**  
**Speaker - John Banks**

## Digital Giving



This strange object is called a QR Code or Quick Response Code. You scan it with your cell phone (if you have a scanning app) and you will be taken to a link where you can make a donation to the Lord's cause. This may be something that you will never use, but others will find this a quick and convenient way to make a contribution. Using the QR code, a one time offering can be made or you can set up for recurring gifts. Here is how it will work. You will scan the code, enter the amount you wish to give and the funds will go from your bank account directly into the church account. Records will be maintained for IRS reporting at year's end.

No one is asked to use the system and it is not required, it is just a convenience for you and others who wish to use it. This is a secure method to donate when you are out of cash, left your check book at home, are away on a trip or you just like the convenience.

1. If you do not have a scan app on your phone, do this:
  - For Android phones: Open Google Play Store, search "Scanner App", download a free QR Scanner app of your choice.
  - For iOS phones: Open the App Store, search "Scanner App", download a free QR Scanner app of your choice.
2. Once downloaded, open the app, scan the QR Code, click "Open Link" and complete the information requested.

\*Note: If you wish to save your bank information for future use (so you don't have to enter all the information each time), you can create a profile and log-in each time you wish to donate.

### Food Pantry Needs

Canned Meats  
Jelly  
Soup

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



November 10 - Diana Williams

November 6 - Gordon & Arlene Gaenzle



### Nursery Helpers

Sunday, November 5, 2017

*for children 2 years of age  
and under*

Amy Brown

And

Jenny Moore



## CSEP Fundraiser

CSEP is selling Papa Burger coupons for \$6.00.

Coupons can be used at any Papa Burger and have no expiration date.

For more details, please call CSEP at 915-593-2772.

## Seminar Scheduled

Saturday, December 2 at 9:30 a.m.

a seminar will be held at Eastwood's building on how to combat and help those who have become a part of the Opioid Epidemic.

The Leader of the seminar will be coming from Austin, TX and is very knowledgeable on the subject. We will be inviting the public including police, fire dept., EMT and anyone who wants to know how to fight this epidemic and protect yourself and your family.

Mark your calendar and tell your friends.

## Operation Christmas Child

There will be a box in the foyer to collect the following items:

Empty Shoe Boxes

School Supplies

Clothes: Newborn to 16 yrs.

Toys: No military related, No plastic weapons

For more information, contact Tammy at 919-949-3014.

## Packing Party

There will be an Operation Christmas Child Collection/Packing Party

Saturday, November 11, 2017

From 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

In the Fellowship Hall

To collect the last of the donations, pack the shoe boxes and prepare them for shipping.

For more information, contact Tammy Wilkie.

Join us!

# 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

Steve Delgado and Family -----Steve has severe back and hip pain/relative passed away/strength and encouragement  
Albert Morales-----Albert has high blood pressure

## OUR SHUT-INS

Leora Burseson-----out of the hospital/in Regent Rehab facility  
Jay S. Gaenzle-----age  
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, El Paso, Texas.  
Jean Tedford-----health problems

## OUR EXTENDED FAMILY

Jorge Cardona (brother of Dale Tate's care giver) ----- needs a heart transplant/unable to have procedure due to insurance issues  
Cousin of Yolie Hernandez-----is in the hospital/had congestive heart failure  
Carolyn Martin (in Hosington, Kansas/Irene Rice's sister)---on chemo for colon cancer that has spread/undergoing tests.  
Jesus Morales (Albert Morales' brother) -----has a lung problem  
Violet, Robert, Lucian Munoz(Albert and Cristina Morales' grandkids)---have strep-throat  
Grandmother of Tammy Wilkie -----diagnosed with stage one cancer/will be undergoing chemo  
Don Alan Riggs (Irene Rice's grand-son/Jeff & Stacy Riggs' son)----scans results show still in remission/new scans sometime in December/vocal cords still not well/everything else is well/*Please send cards/hellos, letters letting Don Alan know how every one is, to address: 2761 Fletcher Park Circle West, Cordova, TN 38016.*

# our Records

## October 29, 2017

Bible Class - 40 Morning Worship - 88  
Wednesday Bible Study - 34 Evening Worship - 24  
Budget - \$4,605.00 Regular Offering: 2,929.46

## Year to Date

Over/(Under) - (\$36,187.99)

## Week

## Year to Date

Baptisms - 0 Year to Date - 1  
Identification - 0 Year to Date - 7

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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.*