

Eastwood Epistle

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November 2, 2-4pm
Baby shower for Sophia
Ashu and her husband Caleb.
Meet in fellowship hall. This
will be a gift card
(Target, Walmart) and diaper (Pampers,
Huggies) shower. If Caleb is here, this will
be a "Jack & Jill" Shower. Come enjoy
fun, fellowship, cake & punch. Teri Dove



Please write your offering check payable to
Church of Christ in Eastwood

Dove Care Group, October 12, after service at
Eastwood fellowship hall, song, lesson, meal.
Everyone invited.

Questions call Tere Dove 915-637-0351

Storytime, Saturday, October 18
9:30-11am, Theme is Fall &
Pumpkin Patch. Call Teri Dove,
915-637-0351



Story Time

Men to Serve
Sunday, October 12

Song Leader:
Mike Dove

Opening Prayer:
Enrique Carrillo Spanish
Carlos Garcia English

Lord's Supper/Contribution:
Jimmy Moore

Scripture Reading:
Bob Pechanec

*We always
pray for you,*

that our God
may make you
worthy of his
calling and may
fulfill every
resolve for good
and every work
of faith by his power.

2 THESSALONIANS 1:11, ESV

Office Closed to
observe
Columbus Day
October 13

**Columbus
Day**



Together

The Autumn or Fall season began on Sept 22nd, just after noon. However, for most of us it began mentally on Sept 1 or perhaps, even when school started, which is now in August. In any case, this is typically one of the busiest times of the year. In a matter of four months there are five major holidays, three that require some preparation in order to be ready to celebrate.

Generally, these are fun times as we buy and prepare food, decorate, find presents and join together with family and friends. We enjoy the faces of children as their eyes light up with joy and anticipation. We hug family and friends that we haven't seen in a while. We may even do some traveling.

What we must not do is forget our Lord and Savior Jesus. The true disciple will not change their conduct, just because they are out of town or have guests. The First Day of the week is still a time to assemble and worship. We may be in another city, but we will probably find a group of disciples that are gathering to eat the Lord's Supper and remember the death and resurrection. Our example in meeting to worship may teach a much larger lesson than we realize. In the same way, your offering to your home congregation is important. If you were gone for a month, you would expect to pay your rent and utilities.

Taking a vacation or being on holiday is not a holiday from God. It is not a time for us to get drunk or commit adultery or eat as a glutton or steal or anything else we think we can "get away with" because God is not looking.

Summer, Winter, Spring or Fall, we are to be Christians every minute of our lives. Let us Enjoy the season, but keep Jesus always in the center of our lives.

Perhaps you have noticed the QR code which is now in this bulletin and the Sunday handout. You may use the QR code to go to the church webpage and make an offering. If you need instructions on how, see somebody else.

Charles M. Clodfelter

Did you speak to our Guests on Sunday? Welcome our guests.

Schedule Services

Sunday

Bible Class - 9:00 A.M

Morning Worship - 10:00 A.M.

Children's Class 9:00A.M.

Wednesday

Bible study 7:00pm

**Children's hour
after communion**

Tuesday Ladies Bible Class, Rm 63

10am, Attention all Ladies!

You are invited to join us with the study of "The Fruit of the Spirit". Join us for study scripture, coffee, snacks and fellowship. Teri Dove will be teaching. If you need book call 915-637-0351



Happy Birthday!

October 4, Carlos Garcia

October 6, Mary Ann Whipple

October 7, Abel Hernandez

October 11, Mary Porras

October 15, Jan Rivera

October 17, Krystal Enriquez

October 22, Crystal Alvarado

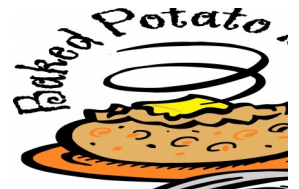
October 28, Bob Pechanec



Happy Anniversary!

Oct 12, Mike & Jill Breiterger

Ladies Bible Class Potluck ,
October 14. Meet in the fellowship hall. Baked Potatoes for a Potatoes Bar will be provided. Bring your favorite topping or a dessert.



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Sunday Morning Sermon

Speaker - Charles Clodfelter

Sermon: Salvation by Grace

Scripture: Eph 2:1-10

1939 Movies

The year 1939, (before most of us were born, yes, I missed by a year) is known as the greatest year for movies. Ten movies were nominated by the Academy for best movie. There were many other great movies and some are listed here.

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| •The Wizard of Oz | •The Women | •Drums Along the Mohawk |
| •The Hunchback of Notre Dame | •Destry Rides Again | •The Hound of the Baskervilles |
| •Wuthering Heights | •Gunga Din | •Jesse James |
| •Stagecoach | •Young Mr. Lincoln | •King Henry |
| •The Roaring Twenties | •Bachelor Mother | •Juarez |
| •It's a Wonderful World | •Intermezzo | •Beau Geste |
| •Dark Victory. | •Dodge City | •Story of Alexander Graham Bell |
| •Gone with the Wind | •Stanley and Livingstone | •They Made Me a Criminal |
| (Best Picture winner) | •Son of Frankenstein | •Wings of the Navy |
| •Goodbye, Mr. Chips. | •Union Pacific | •The Man in the Iron Mask |
| •Love Affair. | •Confessions of a Nazi | •Gulliver's Travels |
| •Mr. Smith Goes to Washington. | Spy | •Three Musketeers |
| •Of Mice and Men. | •The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes | •Zorro's Fighting Legion |

If you are a fan of old movies, as I am, you have seen several of these. If you have not seen them, I encourage you to view them when you have the opportunity. So, to the point, why is this in a church bulletin. Here goes.

During this year. Scores of movies were outstanding. Ten nominated for Best Picture, but only one awarded the Oscar. Does that mean the others were bad or were failures? No, of course not. The other nine probably received votes to win. People may have even said that they left out a movie that should have been nominated. Some other movies may not have received the acclaim, but did better at the box office.

Most had celebrated actors, known by the public. Henry Fonda as Young Lincoln, could still be seen through the make up. John Wayne moved into star class in Stagecoach. Clark Gable was wonderful as Rhett, but he was still Gable. Jimmy Stewart did great in the role as Mr. Smith. One of my favorite actors is Paul Muni. He was in his prime in the 30's and 40's, so I missed most of his films. When he filled the role of Juarez and his other roles, he almost disappeared and you saw the character. He did not play Juarez, he was Juarez. Personally, we may be like Gunga Din, a seemingly unimportant character along side the outstanding actors: Gary Grant, Joan Fontaine, Victor McLaglen, and Douglas Fairbanks, Jr. Until the end when he Gunga Din, played by Sam Jaffe, the life saving hero.

You are a child of God. Loved, Saved, Redeemed and Serving in the kingdom of God. Do not judge yourself as the world judges. Do not compare yourself to others, even those you admire the most or who served as your spiritual mentor. There is not just one prize that we are all scrambling to win. You have won the prize, it is yours as you walk in the light (1 Jo 1:7-9). The angels are rejoicing louder than any applause at the Academy Awards. You are God's, you belong to Him, you are His child. You have WON! Be Happy, Be Thankful. Share the love. Live like Jesus, be Jesus.

Charles M Clodfelter

November Care Group, Sunday, November 9
Come join us for lunch. Turkey & stuffing will be provided. Please bring other Thanksgiving sides and desserts.

Teri Dove

EVERYONE IS WELCOME!



Link Homeschool is having Trunk or Treat Oct 27. 11am-4pm. Zanzibar entrance will be blocked with cars and a line of cars will block off the trunk or treaters participants from the album entrance. There will be parking for other people.



CSEP's blue box has been replaced with a new one for the church. Please continue to use it for clothes, shoes, purses, etc. No furniture please.

Clothes for those in need



From Knowing to Becoming

Get to know Jesus well because the more you know him, the more you'll love him. And the more you love him, the more you'll want to follow him. And the more you follow him, the more you'll become like him. And the more you become like him, the more you become yourself. —Ned Erickson

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Wednesday - 13

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In Our Prayers

OUR FAMILY-Iretha Banks & Family- condolences & prayers to Iretha & family. For the death her sister Leola Deal Sept. 1 .Send cards , 7409 WH Burges, El Paso, TX, 79925, Cheryl Deal, Benny Jackson, Phillip Deal, Micheal Deal, 11329 Beach Front Dr., El Paso, TX 79936...

Mike Breitingner- : Mike will be a resident of Rosedale Adult Foster Home, 3111 Edgerock Dr. El paso TX, 79935. He across from his wife Jill which he enjoys the ease of visiting her. Please keep him and Jill in your prayer..

David Davis-Is in Del Sol Hospital. In observation for low blood pressure.

Yolie Hernandez - Yolie's oxygen levels were dropping dangerously low. Taking test to search for answers. Prayers

Virginia Honea—Send cards c/o 4217 53rd St, Lubbock, TX 79413. She does appreciate cards and they are read to her. Seems happy. Still talks about Eastwood friends..

Betty Lewis had heart procedure went well. Going home 9/30.thank you **Alberto Morales** - Prayers. Sugar level is high causing dizziness & headaches, chest pressure. Will have a heart catheterization procedure next month..

Robert Muñoz Jr. - (Alberto & Cristina Morales grandson) Thank you for prayers, Please continue to pray for successful legal Issues....

Loretta Strickland— Has a blood clot on her lung. Prayers needed..

Diana Williams—Prayers for swift recovery from knee procedure Sept10....

Lillie Wayne had eye surgery, doctor says eye improved. She's doing fine and no longer need meal train. Thank you for prayers..

SHUT-INS:

Mike Baron - He is on dialysis and back home from hospital .prayers..

Jill Breitingner - In home care with dementia, prayers. Send cards to 3116 Edgerock, El Paso, TX 79935

Rose Cobb— Have been improving with therapy. Appreciates calls, cards, and visits. Please call before visit. 3630 Evelyn Ave., El Paso, Tx 79904, 928-715-9195. Love to all

Christine Hooper - home and recuperating

Lulu Ochoa - Thank you for prayers. Sending greetings to everyone. Prayers needed. Will be on chemo therapy for a long time. God has been so good to her for cancer treatment.....

Our EXTENDED FAMILY

Amanda Buckley-(Chuck Buckley daughter) Prayers to find job quickly. Also has personal problem.....

Margarita Banuelos-thank you for prayers. He is better. son Sergio (30yr old).

Toribio de la Cruz - (Eneida's dad) thank you for prayers. Healing slowly from broken ribs....

Jose Manuel Licon- (Cristina Morales brother) Prayers for problems.

Charlene Looney (COC Truth or Consequences member) - Sends a big thank you for prayers, it means a lot to her and gives her encouragement. Her sister Nancy Randlett asking for prayers for Charlene. She is in Casa del Sol rehab, Las Cruces, #207. Prayers are needed still in rehab. She's walking.....

Celia Perez - (COC Montana member) Prayers needed. She was moved to Pebble Creek Nursing Center Room #108. Thank you for prayers her leg pain has decreased, more active & eating better.....

Maria Gutierrez- (Rivera/Luna COC) prayers, in Pebble Creek Nursing Center room, she has less pain #414.....

Maria Salazar - (Our Community Neighbor) Maria is asking for prayers, She has been diagnosed with cancer.....

Juanita Seley—(Cristina Morales's cousin) thank you for prayers. She is back home in Alamogordo with oxygen tank..

Rocky & Sally Whiteman minister (Rose Cobb friend in Brian TX) prayers ,Will have 8 weeks to try to finish cancer.

Please remember in prayers the military & policeman, fireman in harms way. Please call the office to update our prayer list. Names not updated 4 weeks will be deleted.