



Wellington Parke Youth Service

As Christians, we look to Jesus as the ultimate example. He embodied love, mercy, justice, and especially service. This summer our teens took a class on service where they learned about ministries in which they can participate. That class ended this in August with a challenge: to find ways to serve in God's Kingdom. This last Sunday we gave them that opportunity and they truly delivered.

At two in the afternoon 15 of us took a trip to the Wellington Parke Retirement Community. We began by going to the activity room in the back and setting up chairs. As we made our way to the back, we found several of the seniors waiting for us. We then spent an hour singing songs at their request. Wyatt Bryant, Lyle Saylor, Evan O'Donnell, Cole Bryant, and Tracy Mussett all took turns leading songs that they chose, and songs that

were requested. We were even asked to lead some songs multiple times! Among those participating, we had Connie and Chuck Bryant and Grandma Ford.

After the singing, I gave the teens three questions to ask the seniors they didn't know: What is your name, where are you from, and what did you do for a living? They delivered spectacularly, and made the day of many of the seniors there. We then ended by visiting with Michele Kuroki and Shan Carter. It was an uplifting experience for those we visited, but it also showed our teens how beneficial and easy it can be to serve. Our hope is that we will all encourage and give our teens examples of service that they can follow, and in turn that they will selflessly serve like Jesus.

-Kyle Humphrey



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LAST WEEK

Sunday Morning Bible Classes140
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Budget\$9,300
Contribution\$6,602
YTD Budget\$306,900
YTD Contribution\$291,169
Faith Fund\$43,786
Flood Relief\$9,500

Watch Online at eastsidechurchofchrist.org

Sunday:
Bible Class - 9:00 AM
Worship - 10:00 AM & 5:00 PM

Wednesday Bible Class:
7:00 PM

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Call: 405-732-0393
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OFFICE HOURS
Monday - Thursday
8 AM - Noon & 1 PM - 5 PM

Friday
8 AM - Noon

OPTIONS FOR GIVING
1 - Collection Plate
2 - On website click "Give"
3 - Download the Eastside app
4 - Text 405-337-9319

ELDERS
Sam Brandon
Ricky Bugher
Michael Graham
David Holt
Ryan McDonald
David Walton

MINISTERS
Jack Dodgen
Kyle Humphrey
Tracy Mussett

PRAYER REQUESTS

NEW REQUESTS AND UPDATES

- Krystine Falling would like you to pray that a recent MRI shows that her foot is healing. It was injured more than a year ago.
- Valarie Scott injured her leg and has an infection.
- Connie Barney continues to experience arrhythmia. He will get a pacemaker soon.
- Continued prayers for Dena Sutton-Grissett, as her arm heals.

CONTINUE TO REMEMBER:

Patsy Ausburn, Connie Barney, Cheryl Bellah, Stephanie Brewer, Larry Broudrick, Chuck Bryant, Ron Cannefax, James Davis, Phil Dawkins, Tammy Johnson, Michele Kuroki, Leslie Loftin, Lynn May, Pat Patterson, Mary Phillips, June Rard, Marsha Russell, & Linda Rutledge

OUR MISSIONARIES:

Hiwatthia Jones, Byron & Snezana Benitez, Guatemala; Kent Marcum, Operation Ecuador; Michael & Charity Fordjour, Ghana; Batom Bible College, Indonesia; Ben Begay, Many Farms, Arizona; Jim Christian, Manuelito Navajo Children's Home; Kelly Tomasi, Bible Chair at SWOSU; Bible Chair at ECU; Cooper Lay, McAlester, Oklahoma Prison Ministry; Feliz Martinez & Jesus Cervantes, Spanish Ministry in OKC; Phil Sanders, Search TV; Mike Mazzalongo, BibleTalk; Eddie Cloer, Truth for Today; Harold Shank & students, Global Christian Studies; Dustin Archer, Prison Correspondence Ministry; Stuart England, World English Institute; World Bible School; Tipton Children's Home

BEAR VALLEY STUDENT: Levi Saylor

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHANGING HOURS—Beginning September 1st, the church office will be open Monday thru Thursday—9 AM to 5 PM, and will be closed Friday & Saturday. Sept.1st office will be closed.

FANTASY FOOTBALL—Fantasy Football competition is about to kickoff. The league will draft tonight after worship. Competitors are Nick Cooper, John Epperly, Robert Epperly, David Gwin, Kristel Gwin, Jessica Hartline, Kyle Humphrey, Tracy Mussett, Mardee O'Donnell, & Mark Loken.

NEW GRANDSON—Mike & Denise Goff announce the arrival of a grandson, Troy Robert Emerson. He was born Saturday, August 16th, 8 lbs 13 oz, 21 in. Everyone is doing great.

BENEVOLENT NEEDS

CLOTHING ROOM—needs children's shoes.

FOOD PANTRY—needs canned soup & veggies (green beans, peas, corn, etc.). We also need peanut butter, jelly, dry beans, spaghetti, and spaghetti sauce. Think about basics that are easy to prepare and help a family.

TIPTON CHILDREN'S HOME GROCERY DRIVE—The Tipton Grocery Pickup will be here the this week. They need the following items: Assorted Cereals, Tuna, Canned Soups, Dryer Sheets, & Disinfectant Wipes. Items can be placed on the table in the North end of the Lobby.

HYGIENE DRIVE FOR TEEM—The Education and Employment Ministry (TEEM) is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization dedicated to breaking cycles of incarceration and poverty through education, personal development and work readiness training. We work with them to provide community service opportunities through our Clothing Ministry. There is a bin in the lobby for you to drop off items for their Hygiene Drive. (Bulk packages of deodorant, tissues, toilet paper, toothbrushes, toothpaste, floss, & disposable razors).
<https://www.teem.org/hygiene-drive>

UPCOMING EVENTS



TUESDAY EVENING LADIES CLASS
Tuesday, August 26th, 7 PM
At Carrol Bullock's house.



5TH SUNDAY SINGING
Sunday, August 31st, 5 PM
Worship service focused on singing praises to God.



WEDNESDAY MORNING LADIES CLASS
Wednesday, September 3rd, 10 AM
In the Fellowship Hall, followed by a Potluck Lunch.



FEED THE TITANS
Friday, September 5th
We will feed the Carl Albert Varsity Football team. Volunteers should be at the Family Center by 12:30 PM.



DAY OF REST
Sunday, September 7th
There will be no evening assembly. Members are encouraged to plan a day of rest, spending time in prayer and reading God's Word. "There remains a Sabbath rest for the people of God, for whoever has entered God's rest has also rested from his works as God did from his." Hebrews 4:9-10



CLOTHING GIVEAWAY
Tuesday, September 9th, 1-5 PM
The clothing room will be open to the public. Volunteers will eat lunch together at noon. This is a great opportunity to serve the community, build relationships, minister, and share Jesus.



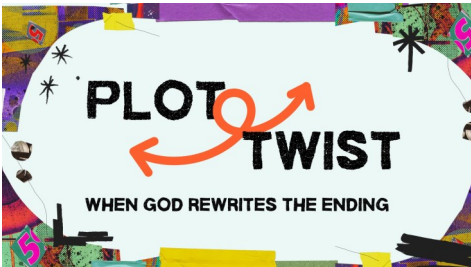
FAMILY RETREAT
Friday, Sep 12th—Saturday, Sep 13th
We start in the Family Center at 6 PM Friday with a Game Night. (Bring your own meal for Friday.) Saturday, we will begin at 9 AM. Lunch & dinner will be provided on Saturday. The cost for the event is \$20 per person or \$40 for a family of four. Sign up at the Family Matters table. See John and Micah Domina for more information.



► **Teen Huddle**
August 31st after the evening worship service at the Martindale home.

► **MOVE Youth Conference**
Sep 5th-7th at the Southwest Church of Christ in OKC.
<https://moveokc.org/>

► **Teen Area Wide**
September 14th at the Blanchard Church of Christ.



► **Church Game Night**
September 28th—Everyone invited to bring their favorite games and hang out after services.

► **Teen Area Wide**
October 5th at the Southwest Church of Christ in Ada