



A FEW WAYS TO REFUEL

This Sunday, is our second Rest Day of the year. In a world full of anxiety-inducing busyness, the people of God should know that it is okay to take time to rest and recover from the work that has been done and refuel for the work ahead.

Below are a few ways you can practice rest throughout the week.

**Fasting (Matthew 4:2)**  
Start small. Push a meal back a few hours. Take time to pray or read your Bible instead of eating.

**Resting (Matthew 8:24)**  
Prioritize a good night’s sleep on Saturday so that you come to class and worship well-rested.

Put your cellphone away for an evening. Spend time resting from distraction.

**Fellowship (Matthew 9:10)**  
Invite someone out to eat and/or accept an invite to eat with someone.

Next time you are at class/worship, stay awhile and talk instead of rushing out. Say “yes” to an upcoming church event.

**Solitude (Matthew 14:13, 22-23)**  
Find a quiet place. Take 10 or so minutes to pray, sing, read your Bible, or sit in silence away from the noise of the world.

**Prayer (Matthew 26:36-44)**  
Take 5 minutes today to pray for what you are thankful for, for your spiritual growth, and for opportunities to reach others with the gospel.

*“Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.”*  
Matthew 11:28-29

Rest

Order of Worship  
August 31, 2025

May the Presence of the Lord Go With you.....Screen  
**Greeting / Opening Prayer**  
Hide Me Away / It Is Well .....Screen  
'Tis Midnight and On Olive's Brow .....709  
**Table Talk**  
**Luke 22:17-20 (pg.1129) / Lord's Supper**  
In His Presence .....939  
**Prayer**  
The Secret Place .....Screen  
**Matthew 14:22-23 (pg. 1052)**  
**Sermon: Jack Dodgen**



Flee As A Bird .....151  
God Has Smiled on Me .....Screen  
**Offering**  
**Announcements**  
May The Presence of the Lord Go With You ....Screen  
**Closing Prayer**  
**Song Leader: David Holt**

LAST WEEK

Sunday Morning Bible Classes	128
Sunday Morning Worship	191
Sunday Evening Worship	78
Wednesday	94
Budget	\$9,300
Contribution	\$7,200
YTD Budget	\$316,200
YTD Contribution	\$299,173
Faith Fund	\$43,786
Flood Relief	\$9,500

Watch Online  
at [eastsidechurchofchrist.org](http://eastsidechurchofchrist.org)

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

**Wednesday Bible Class:**  
7:00 PM

**Church Office:**  
Call: 405-732-0393  
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[eastsidemwc@gmail.com](mailto:eastsidemwc@gmail.com)  
916 S Douglas Blvd  
Midwest City, OK 73130

**OFFICE HOURS**  
Monday - Thursday  
9 AM - 5 PM

**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

- LR Ramsey responded last week and requests prayers as he reengages with the church and draws closer to God.
- Upcoming surgeries for Larry Broudrick, Kathy Graham, & Todd Ryan
- Joan Kneebone has been diagnosed with pancreatic cancer.

## CONTINUE TO REMEMBER:

Patsy Ausburn, Connie Barney, Cheryl Bellah, Stephanie Brewer, Larry Broudrick, Chuck Bryant, Ron Cannefax, James Davis, Phil Dawkins, Joann Farley, 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

## CANDY DONATIONS

It’s time to start collecting candy for our annual Trunk-or-Treat. Please bring individually wrapped candies and place in the totes in the lobby. NOTE: Trunk-or-Treat will be on October 31st this year, so we need LOTS & LOTS of candy.

## FALL BIBLE READING SCHEDULE (NEW!)

New schedules have been printed and made available on the Eastside app. Thanks to Margaret Brandon for finding this list for us. We hope this helps those who want to continue in this "Rhythm".

**WHIZ KIDS** is a program at the Del City Church of Christ which provides tutoring to children. They are kicking off again with the start of the new school year, and they need more tutors. If you are interested, contact Tommie Biggers at the Del City Church of Christ, (405) 672-1311.

**NEW OFFICE HOURS**—This is a reminder that the church office is now open Monday thru Thursday—9 AM to 5 PM and closed Fridays & Saturdays.

# 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.

# UPCOMING EVENTS



**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



**WEDNESDAY MORNING LADIES CLASS**  
Wednesday, September 10th, 10 AM  
In the Fellowship Hall.



**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.



**FEED THE TITANS**  
Fridays, September 12th, 19th, & 26th  
We will feed the Carl Albert Varsity Football team. Volunteers should be at the Family Center by 12:30 PM.



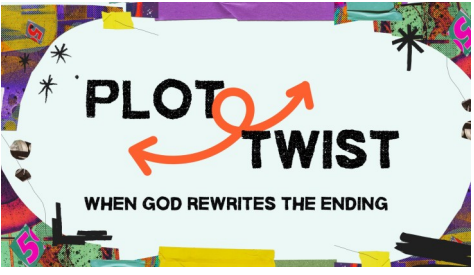
**Empty Nesters Game Night**  
Friday, September 12th, 6 PM  
In the Fellowship Hall. Come join the fun!



**FAMILY RETREAT**  
Friday, September 12th—Saturday, September 13th  
1. Today is the final day to sign up.  
2. Money is needed today.  
3. If you want snacks, bring them (no nuts please).  
4. Bring clothes you can get wet (weather permitting).  
5. Bring games and dinner (Friday).  
6. Lunch and dinner included (Saturday).  
7. S’mores will be provided.  
8. Bring athletic shoes and clothes.  
9. See John and Micah Domina for more information.



► **Teen Area Wide**  
Sunday, September 14th  
Blanchard Church of Christ



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

► **Teen Area Wide**  
Sunday, October 5th  
SW Church of Christ in Ada

► **Saturday In The Sun**  
Saturday, October 11th  
Parkhurst Pumpkin Patch

► **Teen Huddle**  
Sunday, October 19th  
after the evening worship service at the Cleveland home.