

## My Favorite Verse on Worship and New Song Night

I wanted to share with you my favorite verse on worship (though, this might change when I encounter a “new” favorite verse!). The verse is Colossians 3:15-16 and it says,

*“Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful.— Let the message of Christ dwell among you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom through psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit, singing to God with gratitude in your hearts.”*

What a beautiful tapestry of worship! The first thread is that Paul reminds us that worship is about Christ. We gather to adore him, to meet with him, and to listen to him. It’s not about us, what our voices sound like, or our preferences; just honoring Christ. The second thread is that worship is a group activity. Paul wants us to let the peace of Christ rule in our hearts, that is the love of Christ to sway us into loving each other more and more. In worship, we lay down our differences and we forgive. We remember we are all part of the same body of Christ; that the same blood of Jesus that saves me also saves you. Another thread is the message of Christ. The message is nothing less than the gospel of Christ; the story of salvation and the commands of Jesus that we are to teach and follow. Thus, worshipping is letting the peace of Christ rule among us AND letting the message of Christ dwell among us. Through it all, gratitude to God for all that he has done and is doing weaves us together.

This passage reminds me about the effect that going to church to worship should have on us. Worship helps us see Christ. Worship helps us to love each other as Christ does. And worship helps us to be faithful to Christ and the gospel.

One of the ways we encourage each other by going to church is by singing. I’m sure you have felt the power of music in your life; the blending of a melody and words that stirs your heart and causes you to long for God. But the power is not just in the music, it’s in hearing and seeing *everyone* sing from their hearts. Thus, we’re singing for God and we’re singing for each other.

I like how Paul highlights different kinds of music when he says to sing “psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit.” This tells me that we should sing many types of songs; not just traditional; not just contemporary; but all kinds of songs that revere Christ and the gospel. To this end, we’re bringing back something we called “New Song Night.” Our first event is on Wednesday, February 28. All the adult classes will meet in the auditorium to learn and sing new and old songs. We’ll take it slow and practice. We hope that by practicing we’ll be even more familiar with these songs and we’ll be able to praise God with all our hearts, especially when we gather on Sundays. We hope you will come and sing with us! May we make beautiful music for God’s pleasure and may the Peace of Christ rule in the East Hill family. Amen.

**NEW SONG NIGHT**  
**February 28**

Here for you.  
Glenn Dallmann



Welcome to East Hill Church of Christ, a place where you can discover the gospel!  
Please, don't hesitate to let any of the greeters or ministers know how we can serve you.

## MINISTRIES & EVENTS

- C** February
- 18 Elders and Ministers Meeting
  - 24 Ladies' Craft Day 8 am-6 pm  
in fellowship hall
  - 27 Food Distribution 10:30-11:30 am  
in south parking lot
  - 28 New Song Night
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- L** March
- All East Hill responsible on weekdays  
for meals-on-wheels deliveries
  - 1 Son Shiners meet at 5:30  
at Chances "R"
  - 2 Father/Son Bowling and Supper
  - 3 New Children's Bible Class Quarter
  - 9 Men's Breakfast at 8:00 am  
in fellowship hall
  - 10 Daylight saving time begins  
-set clocks forward-
  - 11-12 York University Equip Conference
  - 27 LTC Preview Night
  - 29-30 LTC in Kansas City
  - 31 Easter
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- R** **Save the Date**
- April 7-13 Clothing Exchange w/  
giveaway on Saturday, April 13

- 2/18 Ken Van Gomple
- 2/19 Cody Wyatt
- 2/20 Wesley Tandy
- 2/20 Anthony Hodson
- 2/22 Eldsworth Cleland
- 2/22 Andrew Van Gomple
- 2/23 Zoey Kinnison
- 2/24 Samantha Jewell
- 2/24 Paul Lamonde & Alexis  
Keller

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**LTC season is here:** Practices scheduled for Sundays & Wednesdays:

Sun 1:30-2:15 Signing                      Wed 6:00-6:30 3-6 Chorus

Sun 2:15-3:15 7-12 Chorus              Wed 6:30-7:15 3-6 Drama

Sun 3:15-4:15 10-12 Drama

Sun 3:15-4:15 7-9 Drama

**New Song Night:** Please join us in a night of singing to God and learning a few new songs on Wednesday, February 28 at 6:30. Remember Bible classes are provided for children and youth.

**Father/Son Bowling:** Dads and sons, come join us for bowling, supper, games, and a devotional on Saturday, March 2! The fun starts at 3:00 at Sunset Bowl and Lounge and then moves to our fellowship hall for dinner and games. Please register at the QR code by Wednesday, February 28. See Glenn D with questions.



**Children's Bible Classes** will begin the spring quarter IN JUST TWO WEEKS on March 3. Those who are interested in teaching or helping whether continuing or beginning for the spring quarter please contact Hannah and Tana ASAP. There are 15 of the 24 spots still available. You can sign up at the QR if you have the google sheets app on your phone or just check it to see what is available.



**The Equip Conference** will be hosted by York University on March 11-12. There will be a host of topics covered by a variety of speakers. The cost for the conference is \$50 and the Ides of March dinner is \$30. Register today at [www.york.edu/equip](http://www.york.edu/equip). There is more information and a schedule on the bulletin board in the foyer.

**Mountain State Food Drive** The pick up for the Spring food drive for Mountain State Children's Home has begun. Please have items to the building by April 7. In addition to needed items listed on the back, gift cards to Walmart and Sam's are a big help for perishable items. At the bottom is a list of items which they do NOT need. Sugar free varieties of items are appreciated. Please remember to check expiration dates too.

**Secretary Help Needed this Summer** We will be looking for someone to cover the office for a couple weeks in June this summer and if someone was looking for a part time summer position there will be 15 hours/week available for the rest of the summer, too.



*Make every effort to live in peace with everyone and to be holy;  
without holiness no one will see the Lord.*

East Hill 2024 Theme Verse—Hebrews 12:14 (NIV)

## BODY LIFE & PRAYERS

### Prayer Requests and Updates:

**Jerald Bennett** will be having gall bladder surgery this Friday, February 23. There will be a Meal Train sent out in the EHPN on Monday.

**Angie Robison** had thyroid surgery on Wednesday. She is recovering at home. "We are so humbled and appreciative of all the prayers, texts, visits, cards, food, etc. that the body of Christ has been blessing us with. The love of God is shining through and surrounding us during this time. We are praying for continued healing and answers to the other health concerns. God works all things for good and He is trustworthy!" ~The Robison Family

**Marty Salsbury** passed away on Tuesday night. The family will have a memorial service on March 16 at 10:30 here at East Hill. Please keep Meghan, Ciaran, Adalynn, Jeff, and Pam in your prayers. There is a sign up online for meals, the link is on EHPN or we can help you sign up through the office.



### Prayer Focus:

Hopefully, everyone understands that the church doesn't exist just for ourselves. The church also exists to be a light to the world and a light to our community. Every one of us needs to do our part. This includes welcoming and befriending our guests and new members every Sunday. This week, let's pray for God to continue sending us new people to love and share the gospel with. Let's pray for ourselves that our love for the "stranger", the one we don't know yet, will grow and overcome our hesitancy. Amen.

### Weekly Events

**Attended Nursery:** You can drop off children ages 0 up to 2 years in the nursery during services.

**Service at Legacy Square:** There is a service for the residents of Legacy Square in Henderson at 2:30 each Sunday. See Tommy Carr if you have questions.

**Youth Updates:** Contact Garrett Schwarz to get the Remind notices.

**Wednesday Meal:** Menu this week: Chicken gyros and Greek salad. Sign up on the sheet in the foyer by today! \$6 per person, serving line open 5:15-6:00.

**Women's Thursday Class** Meets from 10-11:30 AM in fellowship hall and Zoom. Christopher Yuan's Holy Sexuality Study ([holysexuality.com](http://holysexuality.com)) will cover the topic of TRUE IDENTITY this week.

**Weekly Prayer Pal Suggestion**  
A Servant's Heart – *Don't work only while being watched, as people-pleasers, but as slaves of Christ, do God's will from your heart.* ~Ephesians 6:6 (CSB)

### Weekly Scripture Memory February 4—March 2

Here is a trustworthy saying: If we died with him, we will also live with him; If we endure, we will also reign with him. If we disown him, he will also disown us; *If we are faithless, he will remain faithful, for he cannot disown himself.* ~2 Timothy 2:11-13



## Schedule of Services

### Sunday

Worship 10 am, livestreamed on Facebook  
Bible classes for all 9 am  
Sunday evening 5 pm, communion available

### Wednesday

Adult Class 6:30 pm  
Adult class is livestreamed on Facebook  
Children & Families event twice a month this Summer

For the Record:	February 11, 2024
Weekly Attendance:	267
<u>Weekly Giving</u>	
Budgeted:	\$
Actual:	\$11,034.15
Children's:	\$41.52
<u>Year to Date</u>	
Budgeted:	\$
Giving:	\$44,618.70
Children's for Ecuador:	\$191.17

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### Ministry Staff:

Preaching Minister

Glenn Hawley

Worship & Family Minister

Glenn Dallmann

Children's Ministry - School Age

Tana Albin

Children's Ministry - Preschool

Hannah Sikes

Youth Ministry - Coordinator

Garrett Schwarz

Administrative Assistants

Michele Briggs 9 am-noon

Tera Knapp 11:30-2:30

Missionaries in Ecuador

Joshua & Julie Marcum

Michaela, Eliana, Jana, Enoch

### Shepherds:

Tim Carr

Michael Case

Ron Kretz

Keith Miller

**Mark Miller**

Todd Sheldon

Steddon Sikes

Eric Tremaine

Shepherd of the month is in bold font.

Deacons-----Area of Service

Marty Barrett -----Benevolence

Trey Colle -----Emergency Meals

Robert Cunningham -----Son Shiners

Troy Flynt -----Treasurer

Jansen Fraser-----Grounds

Trent Hinton -----Livestream

Larry Light ----Single Seniors, Facilities

Garrett Schwarz -----Youth

Jeff Shafer -----Worship Support

Lonnie Shafer ----Elder/deacon liaison

Ken Van Gomple -----LTC

## Mountain State Food Drive

Sugar free varieties of items are appreciated. Please check expiration dates.

**Canned/Jarred**— chicken, tuna, beef and chicken broth, mustard, ketchup, peanut butter, jelly (variety), soy and teriyaki sauces, alfredo sauce, salad dressings (variety), cooking spices (variety), Nutella

**Personal/Household**— Q-tips, body lotion, disposable razors, Tylenol/Acetaminophen, Advil/Ibuprofen, regular size feminine tampons

**Boxed/Packets**— instant oatmeal packets, pancake mix, baking chips (chocolate, white chocolate, and butterscotch), gravy packets (variety), dry soup mixes

**Snacks/Beverages**— individual chips for lunches, tortilla chips, trail mix, fruit snacks, nuts (all varieties), microwave popcorn, granola bars, Kind bars, Cliff bars, 100% fruit juices (orange, prune, cranberry, apple, pineapple), chocolate milk syrup/powder

**Paper Goods/Plastics/Cleaning**— 18 oz plastic cups, plastic utensils, aluminum foil, dishwasher detergent, glass cleaner

**NOT needed**— ~~canned vegetables, canned beans (chili, black, kidney pork and beans), canned fruit, soup, dish soap, disinfecting wipes, hand sanitizer~~

## Order of Worship

**In You, Lord, I Put My Trust**

**Worship Leader:** Les Miller

*Let Us Worship the Father*

*This is the Day*

**4 To God be the Glory**

**Prayer:** John Jewell

**Psalm 25**

**Reading:** Trey Colle

**768 Jesus Let Us Come to Know You**

**480 Blessed Assurance**

**Communion:** Joel Coehoorn

*Mark 14:1-11*

**Children's Offering**

**47 Holy, Holy, Holy**

*"The Day of Atonement" Leviticus 16*

**Lesson:** Glenn Hawley

**Invitation for Prayer**

**666 I Am Thine O Lord**

**Shepherd's Prayer:** Mark Miller

**Body Life:** Glenn Dallmann

**103 He Has Made Me Glad**