

SHE SURE WAS SOMETHING ALRIGHT

“NAA, NA, NAA, NA, NAAA, NA, I’ve got an ice cream, and you don’t.”

“NAA, NA, NAA, NA, NAA, NA, you got in trouble, and I didn’t.”

Little Cloi sure was a pain alright. She was always such a pest. She’d be happy when she got something, and you don’t even want to know what would happen when someone else got in trouble. It seemed like she was the teacher’s pet which, of course, drove everybody crazy. And there she would go merrily along with a smile on her face while everyone else was miserable. “What a pain,” everyone thought.

“NAA, NA, NAA, NA, NAA, NA, you’re in a wheelchair and I’m not.”

“NAA, NA, NAA, NA, NAA, NA, I can run and play, and you can’t.”

Everyone was so mean to Cloi at school because of the way she was. She just didn’t give anyone a break. She’d come right up to you with a smile and speak her mind. It seemed like she was always managing to get under everyone’s skin. What were the other kids supposed to do?

“NAA, NA, NAA, NA NAA, NA, we’ll pick on you all we want to.”

So that’s what they did. They picked on poor little Cloi all the time, just because she was in that wheelchair. They wouldn’t share their ice cream. They wouldn’t include her in their games. They’d be happy when she got in trouble.

Just because she would smile at them. Just because she wouldn’t let them make her mad. She instead always seemed to reach out to them, wheeling up in her chair

and asking if she could help them in some way. She’d never get mad or angry when they picked on her. As all the other kids would run and play, you’d see Cloi on the sidewalk next to the playground wheeling up and down watching them with a smile on her face.

The kids, in their adolescent throes, just didn’t understand such behavior. They’d been taught to be miserable all the time. They complained about this and complained about that. They thought that was the way life was supposed to be.

But that wasn’t Cloi. She had something they didn’t have. She had someone very special in her life. She had the Lord, Jesus Christ. She belonged to Him, and she just wanted to share Him with everyone she knew.

Do you want to know what she did for them when they got in trouble? She’d try to get inside their mind and see things from their point of view. She would hold out her hand and offer to help them. And she would pray for them.

I love Romans Chapter 12. I read there that as Christians we are called to a different life. Paul urges us to live a holy and sacrificial life. We are called to a life where we are transformed by a renewed mind, not to be conformed to this world anymore. I like that a lot. I need to strive to do better at that. I don’t know about you, but I really am tired of the way this world is conforming now days. There is so much hate and so much divisiveness. I pray we can show a better way. Let us show who we belong to. Let us strive to live at peace with everyone . . . and be holy. That’s how everyone will see the Lord.

In HIS Mighty Name
Ron Kretz

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.

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September

- 22 Elders Meeting
- 22 Bridal Shower for Holly Sobetski in fellowship hall 2-4 pm
- 24 Food Distribution 10:30-11:30 am in south parking lot
- 25 Youth Mission Trip Meeting 7:30 pm in the Youth Room
- 27 Men's Conference at Southwest CofC Omaha
- 28 Dads-n-Daughters at NYC
- 29 Secret Sister sign-ups due

October

- 4 Son Shiners at Chances "R" at 5:30
- 5 Men's Breakfast 8 am watch for venue
- 6 Set up - Clothing Give-away 5:30 pm
- 7 YU Equipped for Mission Workshop
- 7-11 Clothing Give-away sorting 9 am to 9 pm daily
- 11 Church Family Clothing night 6-8 pm
- 12 Clothing Give-away 8 am-noon
- 16 New Song Night
- 18-19 YU Homecoming
- 20-23 Bellevue Church of Christ Fall Seminar, in Bellevue
- 24 QPR Workshop 6-7:30 in East Hill fellowship hall
- 22 Food Distribution 10:30-11:30 am in south parking lot
- 26 Ladies Craft Day 8 am-4 pm in fellowship hall
- 26 Chili Cook off and singing in FH at 5:30

- 9/22 Tony Kreifels
- 9/23 Brenda Carver
- 9/24 Trey Colle
- 9/25 Ellie Reynolds
- 9/27 Dana Schmid
- 9/28 Alice Coehoorn
- 9/24 Allan & Charlene Huskins

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MINISTRIES & EVENTS

Bridal Shower - Ladies are invited to a bridal shower for Holly Sobetski TODAY from 2-4 pm in the fellowship hall. We will have refreshments, fellowship, and a time of prayer and blessing. Holly and Josh will wed in October and have a few things registered on Amazon, but there will also be a money tree at the shower to bless the couple.

Food Distribution: The Lincoln Food Bank will be here this week, Tuesday, August 27, from 10:30-11:30 am in the South Parking Lot, please help spread the word. If you have questions or would like to help please see Tonya Carr.

Youth Mission Trip Meeting: We will have an Ecuador Mission Trip Meeting this coming Wednesday, September 25 at 7:30 pm in the youth room. We encourage students and parents to attend who might be interested in going to Salinas, Ecuador this summer. We will talk about dates, commitment, fundraising, etc. The Ecuador Mission trip is only available to High School students.

Dads-n-Daughters is a day camp on Saturday, September 28 with an opportunity for fathers and daughters to spend time together at Nebraska Youth Camp with some of the same activities as Dads-n-Lad. See the Dads-n-Lads website for more information and registration.

Southwest Church of Christ is hosting a men's conference September 27-28. The speaker is Curt Sparks and worship is lead by Jordan Sikes. Those wishing to attend should register ahead of time. More information and the registration is available at the QR code.



Secret Sisters is a ministry of women praying for one another. Participants will receive the name and information of another participant to pray for "secretly" throughout the school year. Anonymous notes of encouragement are also fun. To participate please fill out a form and return it by Sunday, September 29. Forms are available on the information table in the foyer or on EHPN this week. See Tera Knapp with questions.

Equipped for Mission is the free Fall workshop offered by the YU Department of Bible and ministry on October 7. Alan Howell, director of Church Relations at Mission Resource Network will present lessons from 1 & 2 Corinthians in the Cornerstone room in the Mackey Center. The first session begins at 9 am, the final session at 1:30. Registration is not needed, lunch can be purchased in the YU cafeteria.

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*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:

Rose Cuyler-Glassburner returned home on Monday.

Molly Kinnison returned home last Sunday and is doing well.

Carol Shafer is on hospice. Please keep the family in prayer.

Meghan Salisbury will have exploratory laparoscopic surgery on Wednesday (Sept 25) to hopefully find answers to the pain she has been experiencing the past few years.

Thomas Tandy will have partial foot amputation on Wednesday (Sept 25) to remove the cancerous spot on the bottom of his foot.

Jackie Thomas had a triple bypass and a valve repair last Wednesday after a catheterization on Friday showed serious blockage. Please keep her in prayer for her recovery.

Scott Van Esch was unable to have the scan on his heart on Wednesday due to the a fib. They hope to be able to do the scan

Terrie St. John, sister of **Margaret Friesen** sent a special thank you card for all of the love and care expressed through the cards sent to her son, Stephen Cooley. She and Stephen were greatly encouraged by the love of Christian brothers and sisters expressed in the cards sent. The full thank you card is on the bulletin board.

Body Life:

Today we welcome new members **Shantel Ervin**, **Richard Rowland**, and **Robert and Minnie Vickrey**.



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: The meals will resume in the fall.

Women's Thursday Class

Delores Hartman is teaching on "Favorite Verses." Class will be 10-11:30 and is available via Zoom. For child care, contact Rose Miller.

Weekly Prayer Pal Suggestion

Trustworthy – At this, the administrators and satraps tried to find grounds for charges against Daniel in his conduct of government affairs, but they were unable to do so. They could find no corruption in him, because he was trustworthy and neither corrupt nor negligent. ~Daniel 6:4

Scripture Memory For Sept 15-28 Psalm 121:1-4

I lift up my eyes to the hills — where does my help come from? My help comes from the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth. *He will not let your foot slip — he who watches over you will not slumber; indeed, he who watches over Israel will neither slumber nor sleep.* The Lord watches over you—the Lord is your shade at your right hand; the sun will not harm you by day, nor the moon by night. The Lord will keep you from all harm—he will watch over your life; the Lord will watch over

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 (livestream-East Hill's Facebook)
 Children's Class 6:30 pm (drop off 6:20, pick up 7:15)
 MS & HS Huddle 6:20-7:20 pm

For the Record:	September 15, 2024
Weekly Attendance:	255
<u>Weekly Giving</u>	
Budgeted:	\$7,143.85
Actual:	\$5,620.72
Children's:	\$52.37
<u>Year to Date</u>	
Budgeted:	\$264,322.45
Giving:	\$243,709.32
Children's for Ecuador:	\$1,542.83

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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
 Charlene Huskins (summer) 1:00-4:00

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

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Dare & Endure is a seminar on facing adversity, accepting differences and fostering relationships hosted by the Bellevue church of Christ on October 20-23, with Mark and Mindy Reynolds speaking. Please see the flyer on the bulletin board on the south wall of the foyer for more information.

Boundless: McPherson Ave church of Christ in Council Bluffs is hosting their Ladies' Day on Saturday, October 26. It is free to women of all ages. Check in begins at 9 and they provide continental breakfast and lunch. Registration is available at the QR code. If anyone from York would like to carpool to this event, there is a sign up sheet on the information table to coordinate it.



Order of Worship

Draw Near to God

Worship Leader: Jared Pack

Welcome

New Doxology

Prayer: Noah McNeese

684 *Nearer, My God, to Thee*

Scripture Reading: Hosea Kiptoo

James 3:13-4:3, 7-8a

383 *Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross*

Communion: Todd Sheldon

Children's Offering

768 *Jesus, Let Us Come to Know You*

478 *Nearer, Still Nearer*

Losing to Win

Philippians 3:4-11

Glenn Hawley

Invitation for Prayer

662 *All to Jesus I Surrender*

Shepherd's Prayer: Ron Kretz

Body Life: Glenn Dallmann

808 *Abide With Me*