

What's on My Heart

I would like to scoop up every member of East Hill and take them to Ecuador to meet their brothers and sisters in Christ. When we send money or people to Ecuador, we feel like we are helping them. However, the truth is that they have so much to teach us.

While I was there, I got to visit the Latacunga congregation that our adult missionary team went to in May. We were there on a Friday afternoon, which is a workday for them. I don't know how they did it, but somehow they had prepared a wonderful meal for the 40 or so people that were visiting. I am guessing that some of them took off work in order to do this. They served a delicious meal that even included guinea pig for those brave enough to try it, chicken for those not so brave. (Yes, I was among those who ate guinea pig. It was good.) After the meal, they presented each of us with a gift.

The minimum wage in Ecuador is \$70 a month. They do not have a lot of resources, and yet they met us with their arms open wide and their hearts giving freely. They made us feel like royalty. We were family they had never met and yet loved with the love of the Lord.

When we went to the combined service on Sunday there were around 1300 people. I have never seen such a happy group. Many of them had ridden on the bus overnight in order to make it there for the service. There were some that came from Venezuela who traveled three days on the bus in order to be there.

When Christ was asked what the most important commandment was, he said, "Love the Lord, your God with all your heart with all your soul and with all your mind." The second commandment is "Love your neighbor as yourself." These people love God and there

is such an outpouring of love for the people around them that it is amazing. I don't speak Spanish, and so our love was expressed in many hugs and eyes that conveyed that message.

When I left for Ecuador, I knew I would be writing a bulletin article. I have previously been to the summit meetings that have been held every year in the states. This one was special because (1) It marked 35 years of work in Ecuador and (2) It was in Ecuador. It was truly a celebration. So much has been accomplished in those 35 years. I thought I would be writing about Camp Bellevue, Kumanii, medical missions, the preaching school, the leadership that the Ecuadoreans are developing, or perhaps the many congregations that have been established. All of these are important; however, after being with the people there, I know that the successful ministries are a result of the love that is in the heart of the people. The fields in Ecuador are truly ripe for harvest. We are blessed to be able to see and be a small part of what the Lord is doing in that area.

I thank the elders for giving me the opportunity to experience the celebration of 35 years work that is glorifying God and sharing His love for mankind. I wish we could have transported every member there to experience what I did. May the Lord continue to bless our family in Ecuador.

~Sheila Tandy

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.

C October
27 Elders' meeting
30 New Song Night
A November
1 Son Shiners at Chances "R" at 5:30
3 Daylight Saving Time ends
"Fall Back" an hour
L 7 QPR Workshop 6-7:30
in East Hill fellowship hall
E 9 Men's Breakfast 8 am in FH
26 Food Distribution 10:30-11:30 am
in south parking lot
N 27 Devotional in Lieu of Bible Class
(Day before Thanksgiving)
D December
6 Son Shiners at Chances "R" at 5:30
14 Men's Breakfast 8 am in FH
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NEW SONG NIGHT October 30

10/27 Ivan Keller
10/27 Evan Fraser
10/29 Harold Tandy
10/29 Brenda Reicheneker
10/29 Crystal Hood
10/30 Rose Barrett

10/29 Fenton & Britney Phan

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MINISTRIES & EVENTS

Parents of K - 5th grade: Please inform your children that today during the Children's Offering, the children are invited to stay up front to sing a couple of songs led by Kay Magner.

New Song Night is this Wednesday, October 30. Adult and Youth (not children) classes will dismiss and meet in the auditorium where Simeon Tremaine will lead us in some familiar songs along with two new songs we hope will become a part of our regular worship.

Son Shiners will meet on Friday at Chances "R" at 5:30pm.

Next Sunday, please notice that Daylight Saving Time ends and we will "fall back" an hour.

QPR Suicide Training Workshop on Thursday, November 7, 6-7:30pm. "Question, Persuade, and Refer" are three simple steps everyone needs to know to help prevent suicide. Refreshments will be offered and no registration is needed. Contact the church office with any questions.

*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:

Eddie Kennedy was recently in the ER with some concerns and had an echocardiogram on Wednesday. He is waiting on the results to come back. He would like to thank everyone for their concern and prayers.

Brenda Reicheneker had some tests at the end of last week and is waiting on those results.

Lynda Smith spent some time in the hospital at the beginning of the week. She is being treated for infection in her leg and is thankful that no blood clots were found. She is hoping to be able to return to work today.

The funeral for **Todd Sheldon's** father, Howard, was on Friday. Please keep the Sheldon family in your prayers as they mourn his loss.

Congratulations to **Emma Tremaine** and Shane Stachura on their recent engagement! Let's keep their upcoming marriage in our prayers.

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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.

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
*Willingness to Work—Work willingly
at whatever you do, as though working for
the Lord rather than for people.*
~Colossians 3:23

Scripture Memory
for the week of Oct 27
Philippians 4:6

Do not be anxious about anything,
but in everything,
by prayer and petition,
with thanksgiving,
present your requests to God.

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:	October 20, 2024
Weekly Attendance:	325
<u>Weekly Giving</u>	
Budgeted:	\$7,143.85
Actual:	\$8,339.15
Children's:	\$50.53
<u>Year to Date</u>	
Budgeted:	\$300,041.70
Giving:	\$279,412.17
Children's for Ecuador:	\$1,919.78

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Preaching Minister

Glenn Hawley

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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

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 (Oct)

Steddon Sikes (Nov)

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 Gompel -----LTC

East Hill's Vision Narrative

East Hill is a community where every Christian belongs to the body and grows together into the image of Jesus Christ. We acknowledge that each of us is unique and has different gifts, but we are one body in the Spirit.

At East Hill, our Christianity is lived out through the use of our gifts. We believe that every member has been gifted and that each one of us is called to use his or her gift in service to the family of God. We challenge one another to make church-life central to our own lives. We encourage and support one another in our combined effort of serving Christ.

At East Hill, our Christianity is also lived out through our proclamation of the gospel of Jesus Christ in our community. We share privately and publicly what God has done and is doing among us. We also equip one another to share their faith with those outside of Christ so that they, too, can participate in the grace of God and the blessings of the Kingdom.

We know that East Hill exists not just for our own good, but to serve as a witness of Jesus before the world, beginning right here in the York community. We are motivated by the return of Christ and the glory of God.

Order of Worship

Might to Save

Welcome: Jared Pack

Wonderful

His Name is Wonderful

Jesus, Name Above All Names

Hebrews 7:23-28

Reading: Anthony Hodson

Prayer: Trent Hinton

We Have Heard the Joyful Sound

Hallelujah! What a Savior

Communion: Tim Carr

Children's Offering & Singing

Mighty to Save

"Grace: Creating and Relating"

Genesis 1-2

Glenn Hawley

Invitation for Prayer

Wonderful, Merciful Savior

Shepherd's Prayer: Steddon Sikes

Body Life: Dan Goodwin