

## A Willing Heart

I am continually impressed by and proud to be part of such a generous church here at East Hill. Time after time when a need is presented, you rise to meet the need. And often you do not just meet the need, you give above and beyond the goal that is set.

Recently a group of our young people, preparing for a trip to Ecuador this summer, hosted a fundraising soup lunch after morning services. It was well attended and I saw an abundance of fellowship and encouraging of each other along with sharing in the amazing soup. As people came to share in fellowship and food, they also came to share in the needs of the mission trip. Positioned at the beginning of the soup line was the customary pinata used to collect the offerings. As I went to get some soup, I placed my gift in the pinata and noticed that it was filling up, with more people coming to give after me. I wondered how much would be raised for the Ecuador team. The following week we would all hear the answer to that question, \$6,615, well over the amount usually donated! Once again, a gift above and beyond!

After bringing the Israelites out of the Land of Egypt God gave Moses detailed instructions on how to build the Tabernacle. As I read the description of all the different elements of the Tabernacle, I tried to imagine what this beautiful and elaborate place of worship would have looked like and considered all that was needed to bring it to reality. As I was reading, several verses stood out to me:

Exodus 35:5 – *“Take from among you a contribution to the Lord; whoever is of a willing heart, let him bring it as the Lord’s contribution: gold, silver, and bronze,”*

Exodus 35:21 – *“Everyone whose heart stirred him and everyone whose spirit moved him came and brought the Lord’s contribution for the work of the tent of meeting and for all its service and for the holy garments.”*

Exodus 36:5 – *“and they said to Moses, ‘The people are bringing much more than enough for the construction work which the Lord commanded us to perform.’”*

The Israelites were stirred in their hearts and wanted to be part of the amazing things God was doing among His people. Their spirits moved them with a heart of generosity to the extent that the leaders had to say, *‘Stop! You have brought enough for the work to be done.’* *“Thus the people were restrained from bringing anymore.”* Exodus 36:6

God continues to call and invite His people to support the work He is doing. I want to encourage all of us to do a little heart check regarding our giving. Do we give just out of a sense of compulsion and obligation, or do our offerings come from hearts that are willing and stirred to be part of what God is doing at East Hill, in our community, and around the world?

I commend you all for being a church that continually gives, motivated in your hearts, and moved in your spirits to be part of what God is doing!

~Eric Tremaine

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** March  
 16 Elders' meeting  
 17-18 YU Equip Conference
- A**  
 19 New Song Night in lieu of classes  
 19 Farewell Social for Sheila Tandy following class time  
 25 Food Distribution 10:30-11:30 am in south parking lot  
 29 Meal prep for the Mission 2 pm in FH  
 30 5th Sunday Church Potluck after worship in FH
- E** April  
 Meals on Wheels deliveries—week days
- N**  
 4 Son Shiners at Chances "R" at 5:30  
 5 Men's Retreat at NYC  
 6-12 Clothing Giveaway week
- D**  
 12 Clothing Giveaway 8 am to noon  
 13 Bridal Shower for Emma Tremaine 2-4 pm in FH
- A**  
 16 LTC showcase night  
 Classes canceled  
 19 Men's Breakfast 8 am in FH
- R**  
 26 Ladies' Craft Day 8 am-6 pm in FH  
 26 YU Commencement  
 27 Mission Sunday

**FriendSpeak:** Do you know someone who would like to have conversational English lessons? Have them call our FriendSpeak hotline: 402-710-0042

- 3/16 Tyler Hinton
- 3/16 Alan Bastyr
- 3/16 Makai Schwarz
- 3/17 Harley Williamson
- 3/18 Bill Norquest
- 3/20 Martha Mogul
- 3/21 Lily Shafer
- 3/22 Martha Huskins

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**New Song Night This Wednesday:** Come join us as we "sing a new song" and worship God this Wednesday at 6:30. All Bible classes are canceled so that everyone can participate.

**Farewell and Godspeed to Sheila Tandy:** Come join us as we share our love for Sheila Tandy this Wednesday, right after the singing. Sheila is getting married on, March 22 (see below) and moving to Tom's farm just outside Wellington, Kansas. Ice cream and cookies are being served. We have a sign up for cookies at the QR code to help with getting an appropriate number, ice cream is already covered.



**Wedding Invitation:** Sheila Tandy and Tom Norris together with their families request the pleasure of your company at the celebration of their wedding on Saturday, March 22, 2025 at 2:00 pm, in Wichita, KS. Please RSVP to Sheila Tandy. No gifts, please.

**The 5th Sunday Potluck** will be in the fellowship hall immediately after worship on Sunday, March 30. Everyone is invited to stay and enjoy food and fellowship. There is a sign up for what you plan to bring through a Meal Train at the QR code (or contact the church office).



**Bridal Shower:** Please join us for a bridal shower to honor Emma Tremaine who is marrying Shane Stachura. The shower is Sunday, April 13 in the East Hill fellowship hall from 2-4 pm. Emma and Shane are registered at Walmart and Amazon. Contact Holly Rinard for more details.

**A meal train** has been set up to bless **Nathan and Lexi Lacina** as they adjust to life with **Alieth**. The meals are set for Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays for the next few weeks. You can sign up to bring them a meal at the QR code.



*Let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds.*

*East Hill 2025 Theme Verse—Hebrews 10:24 (NIV)*

## BODY LIFE & PRAYERS

### Prayers:

**Tonya Carr's** mother, Henrietta Allen, passed away last Wednesday. Her Celebration of Life was held yesterday. Please keep the family in your prayers.

**James Thomas** passed on to his heavenly reward Thursday morning. The memorial for James will be on Tuesday, March 18, at 10 am here at East Hill.

### Body Life:

Rejoicing with **Brianna Ulrich** and **Lexi Simons** as they were both baptized last Sunday. Let's make sure to pray for and encourage our new sisters in their walk with the Lord! (Lexi is a fairly new member, please warmly welcome her to East Hill.)

**Congratulations to Shannon Leinen** on being honored with the York County Development Corporation "Impact Award" for her leadership at York University and its impact on the York Community! We love you Shannon!

### 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:** For the weekly youth activities contact Garrett Schwarz to get the Remind notices.

**Women's Thursday Class** is 10-11:30 am in the fellowship hall and is available via Zoom. We are studying "God's Word and Interpersonal Relationships".

**Praise in Motion:** Ladies are invited to gather Thursdays 6:30-7 pm in the fellowship hall to breathe, stretch and praise God together.

### Weekly Prayer Pal Suggestion

Purity—  
*Create in me a pure heart, O God,  
and renew a steadfast spirit within me.*

~Psalm 51:10

### Scripture Memory

Philippians 2:4-11

... Therefore God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name, *that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.*

## 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:	March 9, 2025
Weekly Attendance:	
<u>Weekly Giving</u>	
Budgeted:	\$7,319.72
Actual:	\$4,604.16
Children's:	\$64.60
<u>Year to Date</u>	
Budgeted:	\$73,197.20
Giving:	\$74,668.99
Children's for Ecuador:	\$566.46

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### Ministry Staff:

Preaching Minister

Glenn Hawley

Outreach & Involvement 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

Trent Hinton -----Livestream

Larry Light ----Single Seniors, Facilities

Garrett Schwarz----- Youth

Jeff Shafer-----Worship Support

Ken Van Gompel -----LTC

## LTC Practice Schedule

### UPDATED:

The season is upon us! Practices will be here at the building and will continue through the following weeks. Please take note of the practice times for events that your child is signed up for. The practice times are not long, so please be sure students arrive on time and ready to go! If there is a gap between practices for your child please be aware that coaches are not planning to stay and supervise between.

The following practices will be on Sundays:

**Bible Study—1:00-2:00** with Titus Robison, Jay Roberts and Mark Miller

**3-6 Chorus—2:00-2:45** with Brittany Kretz

**7-12 Chorus—2:00-3:00** with Kyle Stewart

**3-6 Drama—2:45-3:30** with Brittany Kretz

**10-12 Drama—3:00-4:00** with Garrett Schwarz

**Public Speaking—4:00-4:30** with Jared Pack

**Song Leading—4:30-5:00** with Jared Pack

**Sign Language—4:00-5:00** with Leanna Hawley

The following practice will be on Wednesdays:

**6-9 Drama—5:45-Bible class** with Dan and Julie Goodwin

## Order of Worship

### The Heart of Jesus

**Worship Leader:** Steddon Sikes

**Welcome**

*532 All People that on Earth do Dwell  
 66 Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*

**Prayer of Praise:** Terry Kite

**Reading:** Troy Flynt

*Luke 4:1-13*

*905 Yield Not to Temptation*

*488 Into the Heart of Jesus*

*Come to the Table of Mercy*

**Communion:** Keith Miller

**Children's Offering**

*615 He Keeps Me Singing*

**"Dinner with Jesus"**

*Luke 10:38-42*

Glenn Hawley

*Break My Heart, Dear Lord*

*Let Him Have His Way with Thee*

**Shepherd's Prayer:** Eric Tremaine

**Body Life:** Ken Van Gompel