

## The Sinner

What people are on the Bible list of having done the most to displease God? You have to put the pharaoh of the Exodus up there. Then of course the evil kings like Ahab and Manasseh. And you had better include David.

Yes, King David. The shepherd who became king. The giant killer who inspired an army. The anointed one who refused to kill King Saul because he had also been anointed. The king who led Israel into its golden age. The poet who set up Israel's worship and dreamed of building a temple to God. That King David.

But scripture does not gloss over the many sins of David. His hot temper almost caused him to murder Nabal and his whole household. His lust led him to rape Bathsheba. In his desire to cover over his sins, he had her husband, Uriah, murdered in battle when David found out she was pregnant. He failed to mete out justice to his own son, Absalom, and so precipitated a civil war that killed thousands. His pride caused him to number the fighting men of Israel which led to a plague that killed seventy thousand more. And these are just the sins that the Bible names. It is no wonder that God calls him a man of blood.

Yet he is also called the man after God's own heart. His sins were great, but so was his passion to please and worship God. He could be arrogant, but he also showed

humility and patience because he desired God's will above all. He had some terrible moments, but many good moments as well. A man after God's own heart.

I think the reason I like the story of David so much is because I see so much of myself in him. Not the noble poet, but the sinner who goes off of the rails. I know what it is like to desire to always be holy, yet find myself doing the very things I hate.

But because the story of David is really a story about

God's grace toward a flawed follower, I take heart. God hates to see us sin, but he loves to see us repent. David's repentance was without hesitation, and he leaned heavily into the forgiveness that his Lord provided. The same door of opportunity is open for me. My sin is always before me, but I plead with God to create in me a clean heart. (See Psalm 51 for the reference.)

What about you? Where are you on the sinner/saint spectrum? Do you ever feel that your sins are so great that God could not

possibly have enough forgiveness to blot out your sins? Rejoice! God still loves you and is able to forgive you. In fact, he may consider you a Christian after his own heart!

~Glenn Hawley

Cleanse me with hyssop, and I will be clean;  
wash me, and I will be whiter than snow.  
Let me hear joy and gladness;  
let the bones you have crushed rejoice.  
Hide your face from my sins  
and blot out all my iniquity.

Create in me a pure heart, O God,  
and renew a steadfast spirit within me.  
Do not cast me away from your presence  
or take your Holy Spirit from me.  
Restore to me the joy of your salvation  
and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me.

Psalm 51:7-12

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** April  
 19 Building Set-up for Clothing Give-away sorting at 5:30  
 20-23 Clothing sorting from 9a-9p  
 22 Devo in lieu of all Bible Classes  
 24 Final push and clean up for Clothing Give-away 9a-5p  
 24 6-8p East Hill Give-away time  
 25 Community Clothing Giveaway 8a-noon  
 26 Elders' Meeting 3-5 pm  
 28 Food Distribution 10:30-11:30 am in south parking lot  
 29 New Song Night in lieu of adult classes
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**N** May  
 1 Son Shiners at Chances "R" at 5:30  
 2 YU Commencement  
**D** 2 Ladies' Craft Day 2 pm in FH  
 2 Fun and Fellowship 5 pm in FH  
 9 Men's Breakfast at 8 am in FH  
**A** 9-17 Adult Ecuador Mission Trip  
 15-16 Men's Retreat at NYC  
**R** 10 Mother's Day  
 17 High School Seniors Honors  
 17-23 YU Round Up

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

- 4/19 Sarah Colle
- 4/19 Brien Alley
- 4/20 Bonnie Zalewski
- 4/21 Eddie Kennedy
- 4/21 Samuel Phan
- 4/22 Jackie Thomas
- 4/23 Trent Hinton
- 4/24 Scott Schmid
- 4/25 Jerome Taylor
- 4/25 Greg Reynolds

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## MINISTRIES & EVENTS

**The Sunday Evening Group** that meets at the building, will meet in the auditorium tonight to accommodate the clothing giveaway set up.

**Spring Food Drive:** The Mountain State Children's Home (MSCH) spring food drive officially ends today, but they will not come through to pick items up until Friday, so if you have any final items please bring them to the office by Thursday.

**Lost-and-Found:** Items left on the hanging racks will be bagged up today when we set up for clothing giveaway. We will mark them and set aside the bag in case someone realizes they left something. See Michele Briggs if you are looking for something. They will be added to giveaway items when the fall giveaway rolls around.

**Spring Clothing Give-away:** Set up for our spring clothing give-away will begin tonight! We will transform the fellowship hall and foyer at 5:30. If you can help move things and put up signs please make plans to join us. We will begin **sorting and hanging** clothes on Monday morning at 9 am. The sorting and hanging will go on daily 9 am to 9 pm through Thursday. Please schedule what time you can here and there to come and help! On Friday, we will take care of the last large donation and then clean up the space to be ready for our "shoppers," the kind that come without money! **Church family is invited to come shop Friday evening from 6-8 pm. The main event community giveaway will be on Saturday from 8 am to noon.** We would like to have lots of people to help with **greeting** during that event! We have a sign up for that at the QR code to make sure we have the whole morning covered. The final push to **clean up and set our building back up for worship** will begin at noon. To power the clean up crew Harold and Deena Tandy will make pizza. If you plan to come to clean up and would like pizza please sign up at the QR code so we have enough! I would like to give a big **THANK YOU** to **Larry and Karen Light** who have helped with the presorting the last few years. They will be stepping down from that work after this give-away. If you would like to joint the whole crew that is going to be needed to take over for them, please see Michele Briggs for more information. *There are yard signs in the foyer you can take with you today to put out to advertise the event!*



**Men's Retreat:** Men, due to the leader's recent hectic schedule feeding firefighters in western Nebraska, the NYC men's retreat has been moved to May 15-16.

*Then Jesus said to all of them, "If anyone wants to come after Me, he must deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow me."*

*East Hill 2026 Theme Verse—Luke 9:23 (NIV)*

## BODY LIFE & PRAYERS

### Prayer Request:

**Ron Shields** has switched from short term rehab in the Hearthstone to long term nursing home care. As stated previously, he enjoys visitors in small doses. Afternoons and evenings are a great time to visit.

### Body Life:

#### From Willis and Barbara Hood:

We have loved the East Hill Church from the beginning of our time here and continue to do so. A special thank you for returning that love, especially since Barbara was diagnosed with an inoperable brain tumor. Your prayers, words of encouragement, cards, visits, flowers, meals, and offers of help have been a great encouragement to us as Barbara ends her time here and translates into God's eternal kingdom on God's selected time.

### College Graduates:

**Piper Dallmann**, daughter of Glenn and Heidi, will graduate from Oklahoma Christian University on May 1 with a degree in Mechanical Engineering. She plans to work at the River Valley Power Plant in southeast Oklahoma.

**Abby Shafer**, daughter of Jeff and Becky, will graduate from Northeast Community College with a degree in Health Information Management. She plans to work in York at York General.

### High School Graduate Celebrations:

**Bella Robison** will celebrate the completion of her 12th grade year on Sunday, May 3, from 2-4 pm in the East Hill fellowship hall.

### 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.

**Youth Updates:** To stay current with Youth Group activities, sign up for the "Band" announcements.



**Women's Thursday Class** meets on Thursdays, 10 to 11:30 in the fellowship hall. Deloris Hartman is bringing a study on Anxiety.

**Praise in Motion** will not yet be meeting this week.

### Weekly Prayer Pal Suggestion

*Grow in Grace—But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be glory both now and forever! Amen.*  
~II Peter 3:18

### Daily Bible Readings

**Sun 4/19**-Ps 5, 6, 7, 10, 11  
**Mon 4/20**-Ps 13, 17, 23, 26, 28, 31  
**Tue 4/21**-Ps 35, 41, 43, 46, 55  
**Wed 4/22**-Ps 61, 62, 64, 69  
**Thu 4/23**-Ps 70, 71, 77, 83, 86  
**Fri 4/24**-Ps 88, 91, 95, 108, 109  
**Sat 4/25**-Ps 120, 121, 140, 143, 144  
**Sun 4/26**-Ps 1, 14, 15, 36, 37, 39

## 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:	April 12, 2026
Weekly Attendance:	269
<u>Weekly Giving</u>	
Budgeted:	\$7,482.33
Actual:	\$7,108.35
Children's:	\$26.53
<u>Year to Date</u>	
Budgeted:	\$112,234.95
Giving:	\$108,974.58
Children's for Ecuador:	\$687.33

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### Ministry Staff:

#### Preaching Minister

Glenn Hawley

#### Outreach & Involvement Minister

Glenn Dallmann

#### Children's Ministry - School Age

Brittany Kretz

#### Children's Ministry - Preschool

Jodie Yunevich

#### Youth Ministry - Coordinator

Dan & Julie Goodwin

#### 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

Troy Flynt ----- Treasurer

Dan Goodwin ----- Youth

Trent Hinton -----Livestream

Casey Kinnison -----Facilities

Larry Light -----Single Seniors

Jared Pack -- Fellowship & Involvement

Jeff Shafer-----Worship Support

Kyle Stewart ----- Media

Ken Van Gomple ----- College Ministry

## CAMPUS CONNECTION

Congratulations to the YU Graduates who will graduate a week from Saturday (May 2). Good luck on your finals!

The following students sent their information to the office for us to share:

**Mayah Colle** is graduating with a degree in biology—Exercise Science and minors in psychology and athletic training. In the fall she will go to Creighton University to start the Occupational Therapy Doctorate program.

**Mallory Tremaine** is graduating with a degree in Vocal Music Education. She and Simeon plan to stay in York for now. She will be applying for local education related jobs and see what doors God opens from there.

**Harry Yunevich** is graduating with a degree in General Biology and Biology with Exercises Science and a Biblical Studies minor. His future plans are for God to decide.

**Nayana Vahrenkamp** is graduating with a degree in psychology and a minor in athletic training. She and her husband, Ryan, plan to stay in the area for a few more years. She hopes to coach volley ball somewhere in the area.

## Order of Worship

### Believer's Common Life

**Worship Leader:** Shawn Smith

#### Welcome

296 *We Have Come into His House*

731 *Take Time to be Holy*

66 *Doxology*

**Prayer:** Jared Pack

*Acts 2:42-47*

**Scripture Reading:** Peter Dallmann

705 *A Common Love*

827 *Sweet Hour of Prayer*

350 *When my Love to Christ Grows Weak*

**Communion:** Ken Van Gomple

### Children's Offering

718 *We Shall Assemble*

*Philippians 1:12-18*

*"Christ is Preached"*

Glenn Hawley

### Invitation for Prayer

736 *To Christ be True*

874 *Walking Alone at Eve*

**Shepherd's Prayer:** Eric Tremaine

**Body Life:** Titus Robison

**Memory Verse:** *Isaiah 64:4*

**Blessing**