

September 9 Meeting (part 1)

A while back, one of our East Hill family members stepped inside the church office for the first time. (If you don't know, the office is located in the little yellow house on 10th and Florida.) His reaction at seeing the office space shouldn't have caught me off guard, but it did. Just 10 years ago, I had had a similar reaction.

When I came to interview with East Hill in 2016, I was impressed with almost everything and everybody. Glenn and Heidi Dallmann were clearly dedicated to the work. The elders and their wives had mostly come from missionary backgrounds of some sort, and were anxious to see East Hill be more than just a college church. The families were a mixed bag of maturity (as in all congregations), but seemed to be focused on Jesus.

But when I stepped into the office area, I was taken aback. If you have not visited there, the house was built as a single-family residence, probably in the 1950s. The ministers' offices are in what were designed as 10x11 bedrooms, standard for the day but small for study and counseling spaces. The counters, cabinets, and plumbing in the tiny kitchen area all look original. The carpet is well-worn. And if you look very closely, you will find some serious foundation problems.

I saw all of these things 10 years ago, but they were only a fly in an otherwise wonderful ointment. Over time I (mostly) got used to the problems with the office setup. But when someone else pointed out the problems, it all came back to me. The church offices are in a building that is ill-suited for the purposes and in a state of decline.

Last year, the elders and staff started looking into ways

to address the problem. We desired to construct a new building, attached to and integrated into our current foyer. A number of concepts were drawn up for us to look at. During our elders/ministers retreat in January, we formed a consensus on one idea and reported to the church what we were doing. Since then, we have started looking for cost estimates to see if new offices are feasible. If we build, it will not be inexpensive. But there is a limit as to how long our current office facilities can keep on meeting our needs.

On Wednesday evening, September 9, we will be setting aside our adult class time in order to hold a congregational meeting about two matters: building new office space and searching for a second full-time minister. We hope that as many as possible can come to the meeting to learn what our plans might look like and to raise questions.

~ Glenn Hawley

Next week: Search for a second minister

Congregational Meeting
Wednesday, September 9
6:30-7:30 pm

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, minister, or elders know how we can serve you.

C A L E N D A R	August
	30 YU Student Welcome Back Potluck
	September
	4 Son Shiners at Chances "R" at 5:30 pm
	5-7 Midwest Youth Rally at NYC
	9 All church meeting in lieu of Adult Classes
	19 Men's Breakfast at 8 am 110 N Blackburn Ave
	19 Women's Heartfelt Brunch 9 am -1 pm in the fellowship hall
	19 Nebraska Youth Camp Annual Dinner 5:30 pm at Stolley Park Church of Christ in Grand Island
	26 Fun & Fellowship 5-9 pm in FH
	October
	2 Son Shiners at Chances "R" at 5:30 pm
	3 Ladies' Crafting 2-8 pm in FH
	10 Men's Breakfast at 8 am in FH
	10 Chili Cookoff 5:30 pm in FH
	11 Clothing Giveaway set up 5:30 p
	12-15 Sorting for Clothing giveaway 9 am to 9 pm
	16 Clothing Final Set-up

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

8/30 Steve Eckman
8/30 Sara Leetch
8/30 Vivian Mogul
9/3 Connie McClure
9/3 Kye Kretz
9/3 Frank Billington
9/4 Chandra Stewart
9/4 Hayden Rodrigues

CELEBRATE

MINISTRIES & EVENTS

The College and Young Adult Class: On Sunday mornings, Jared Pack will be teaching Ecclesiastes: *Big Questions about Life*, in the fellowship hall, room A, this quarter.

Potluck: We will have a potluck meal TODAY for the entire congregation to welcome our college students back. We invite everyone to stay and enjoy.

Children's Bible Class Teachers and Helpers: The new quarter for children's classes begins this Wednesday, September 2. There is a sign up on the information table and at the QR code to volunteer to instruct our precious children in God's Word. A teacher and helper is needed for each classroom.



Small Groups News: We will soon be restarting some small groups and reforming some others. If you are willing to host or lead a small group (or both), please talk to Glenn Hawley.

Midwest Youth Rally is Sept 5-7. Youth in 6th-12th grades are invited. The theme is "High Tide" from Isaiah 43:2. Cost is \$40 and check-in begins at 10 am on Sat, Sept 5, at Nebraska Youth Camp. See the flyer in the foyer for a QR code for the pre-registration. Jay Roberts is driving out, you can contact him if you need a ride.

Thursday Women's Bible Class: In lieu of class on Sept 10 women are invited to York University's celebration of their 70th anniversary of classes beginning under the Churches of Christ. East Hill's own Marilyn Brown, who was part of that first class will be part of the celebration. It begins at 10:00 am at the Campbell Center. The regular Women's Bible Class will start up on Thur, Sept 17, 10:00 -11:30 am in the Fellowship Hall.

Women's Brunch: Ladies are invited to join together on Sat, Sept 19, from 9 am to 1 pm for our annual brunch. We will be encouraged by "Wisdom from Above" and fellowship. If you have questions, see Julie Stachura or Kay Magner.

NYC Annual Dinner: Supporters of Nebraska Youth Camp are invited to the camp's annual dinner on Sept 19 at the Stolley Park church of Christ in Grand Island. There is a free will offering for the pancake feed that begins at 5:30. There will be an auction of prize baskets to support the camp, and the board members elected for 2026-2028 will be announced.

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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 Requests

Dawn Sikes finished her last infusion for her cancer treatment on Thursday. Thank you all for the prayers on her behalf.

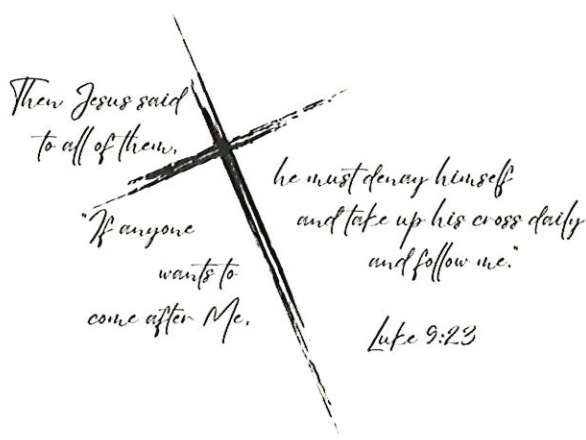
Lynda Smith saw the surgeon for concerns with her thyroid and the results of her biopsy showed cancer. She is scheduled for surgery to have her thyroid removed on September 28. Please keep her in your prayers as she has blood work and a physical done in the mean time.

Alice Yunevich is back in Bryan West, room 718, due to full-body hives/rash from an allergic reaction to medication and excessive fluid retention. It is unknown how long she will be there. Please be praying for immediate relief and safe return to the rehab center.

Body Life

Barbara Benton and **Brenda Carver** have moved to South Carolina. Barbara has a new cell number. Please contact the office if you would like their new information.

September 11 will be **Joe and Jamie Hendrix** 50th wedding anniversary! We are invited to celebrate with them on Saturday, September 12, in the fellowship hall. The party will be open house style from 2-4 pm.



The congregation here does not pass a plate for your offering each Sunday. Should you choose to honor God by sharing in His work, there are offering boxes on the back wall of the auditorium and in the foyer.

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 will resume in the fellowship hall on Thursday, September 17, from 10:00 to 11:30 am.

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

Daily Bible Readings

Sun 8/30 - Lam 3-5
Mon 8/31 - Jer 40:7-16; ch 41-44
Tue 9/1 - Ezk 33:21-33; ch 34-36
Wed 9/2 - Ezk 37-39
Thu 9/3 - Ezk 32; 33:1-20
Fri 9/4 - Dan 3
Sat 9/5 - Ezk 40-43; 44:1-3
Sun 9/6 - Ezk 44:4-31; ch 45-48

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: Aug 23, 2026

Weekly Attendance: 312

Weekly Giving

Budgeted: \$7,482.33

Actual: \$5,944.83

Children's: \$69.35

Year to Date

Budgeted: \$254,399.22

Giving: \$237,194.28

Children's for Ecuador: \$1,658.44

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Administrative Assistants

Michele Briggs 11:00 am—2:00 pm

Tera Knapp 2:00—5:00 pm

Shepherds:

Tim Carr

Michael Case

Ron Kretz

Keith Miller (Aug)

Mark Miller (Sept)

Todd Sheldon

Steddon Sikes

Eric Tremaine

Shepherd of the month is in bold font.

Deacons ----- Area of Service

Trey Colle----- Emergency Meals

Troy Flynt ----- Treasurer

Dan Goodwin----- Youth

Trent Hinton -----Livestream

Casey Kinnison -----Facilities

Larry Light ----- Single Seniors

Jared Pack -- Fellowship & Involvement

Titus Robison----- Benevolence

Jeff Shafer----- Worship Support

Kyle Stewart ----- Media

Ken Van Gomple ----- College Ministry

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Secret Sisters: Ladies that are interested in anonymously praying for one another, please sign up for this school year. You will be given a form about a sister to pray for. You can leave an occasional card or gift in their mailbox, if you would like, but it is not required. See the EHPN or call the office to sign up by Sept 20. See Tera Knapp with questions.

The Women's Retreat is coming up October 30–November 1 at Timberlake Ranch in Marquette, Nebraska! We'll begin on Friday at 5:00 pm and wrap up around noon on Sunday. This year's theme, "Faith Through Different Seasons," is inspired by Ecclesiastes 3:1: "For everything there is a season, and a time for every matter under heaven." We would love for you to join us for a special time of connection, refreshment, encouragement, and meaningful memories together. The registration fee is \$95. You can secure your spot with a \$25 deposit and pay the remaining balance when you arrive.

If you have any questions, please contact:

Diana Kretz or Ana Carvalho

We hope you'll join us for this special weekend! We can't wait to spend this time together.

Order of Worship

Riches of the Father

Welcome: Shawn Smith

83 *God is So Good*

57 *Great is Thy Faithfulness*

Scripture Reading: Braden McNair

Mark 10:17-27

Prayer: Blake Mingle

613 *Hold to God's Unchanging Hand*

315 *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*

Lord's Supper: Jared Pack

Children's Collection

1015 *Jesus Loves the Little Children*

DTR

Mark 10:17-27

Glenn Hawley

Invitation for Prayer

763 *O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee*

635 *Freely, Freely (1-2)*

Shepherd's Prayer: Keith Miller

Body Life: Ken Van Gomple

Memory Verse: *Matthew 11:29*