

THE EASTSIDE EDIFIER

"So then let us follow after things which make for peace, and things whereby we may edify one another." (Romans 14:19)

A Warm Welcome to Our Visitors:

We are happy that you have chosen to worship with us today. You are our honored guest!

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Five Day Bible Reading Schedule

Week 11

- 1) Numbers 26-29; Luke 2
- 2) Num 30-33; Psalm 35; Luke 3
- 3) Numbers 34-36; Luke 4
- 4) Deuteronomy 1-3; Psalm 36; Luke 5
- 5) Deut 4-5; Luke 6

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Sunday AM: 9 Worship;
9:30 Bible Class; 10:30
Worship/Lord's Supper
Wednesday: 7:00 PM
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STARTS TODAY!

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Eastside church of Christ SPRING GOSPEL MEETING MARCH 13-16, 2022

Sunday 9 AM—God's Love Conquers Sin

Sunday 9:30 AM—Seeking True Bible
Preaching

Sunday 10:30 AM—Faith and Conviction

Monday 7 PM—When We Pray

Tuesday 7 PM—What Every Local Church
Needs

Wednesday 7 PM—Our Evangelistic Efforts

Lessons also available on our livestream and archived on YouTube. Scan the QR code below for access.



Lessons presented by, **John Duvall** from Edmond, Oklahoma



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From Hwy. 35: Go east on U.S. Hwy. 72, approx. 2 miles past Wal-Mart and Scottsboro High School, across from Chrisman's Economy Carpet.

News & Notes

Sick: *Steve Daniel* had a procedure on Friday to implant a "Watchman." This is a procedure that will hopefully keep him from having to take blood thinners for the rest of his life due to a-fib. The procedure went well.

Prayer Request: *Kim Hays's* son (*Dakota Clark*). ~ *Angela Frank's* niece, Brittany and her little girl, Cara. ~ *Angela Frank's* niece, *Makenzie Stovall*. ~ *Mildred McGaha's* dealing with Alzheimer's disease. ~ Keep *Thomas LeRoy* in your prayers as he is going through a difficult spiritual battle. ~ Karen Daniel's friend, *Bill Miller* is battling cancer. ~ A friend of the Hilliards, *Carolyn Grinnell*, was diagnosed with B-cell lymphoproliferative disorder. She will undergo monthly infusions for the next two years. She is 82 years old. ~ *Anthony Hilliard*, Paul's brother, has been in the hospital with COVID and pneumonia, he is home now and using oxygen from time to time. Slowly getting better. ~ *Brandon Daniel*, Steve and Karen's son, is in India. Remember him in prayer for his safety and well-being. ~ *Brandon Miller*, Christian in Huntsville, friend of Penders, is fighting cancer.

SERVING THE WEEK OF MARCH 13:

Sunday 9:00 AM:

Singing: Aaron Andrews

Prayer: Jay Vance

Lesson: John Duvall

Sunday 10:30 AM

Announcements/Scripture Reading:

Jay Vance (*Isaiah 28:1-15*)

Opening Prayer: Robbie Callahan

Song Leader: Aaron Andrews

Lord's Supper: Lead - Paul Hilliard

Assisting - Felipe Benavides, Marc Austin

Lesson: John Duvall

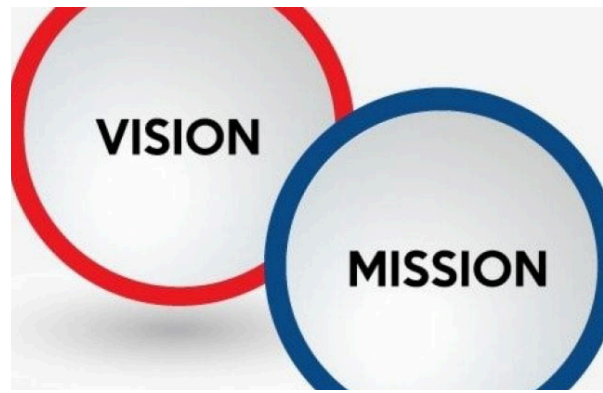
Closing Prayer: Rick Pender

Wednesday Evening

Song Leader: Paul Hilliard

Invitation: Gospel Meeting

Closing Prayer: Robbie Callahan



Vision-Mission...

It's seeing beyond self. Truth: it's easier not to.

It's easier to draw tight circles -our friends, our family, our church cliques. Like a horse with blinders, we see directly in front of us -the small world in our scope of sight rather than His big one; our fenced backyard rather than His open fields.

It's also easy to take it for granted. Bible Belters are especially bad about it -assuming what is here (multiple church choices) is everywhere. It isn't. Having spent fifteen years on the East Coast, I've seen saints serving out of sacrifice, not convenience -traveling long distances just to assemble.

Sacrifice is also the norm in many countries.

The Acts Antioch example -a growing place of first generation believers who saw the God-big picture. It was "home base" for Paul -sent from Antioch to preach across the Roman world -then back to Antioch to report, recharge, and mission-journey yet again.

God's Good News was never intended to congregate in one place. What started in Jerusalem didn't stay there. Like a spreading flame, it ignited and exploded.

Antioch was the catalyst. Why? Because the Antioch church saw beyond themselves. They saw the power of what one church could be when we become other-minded: vision-mission benevolent help (Acts 11) and vision-mission gospel-driven senders (Acts 13).

Vision Mission... Needed: vision-mission 21st century examples of a 1st century Antioch. BTW, they were "first called Christians at ____." They lived up to that name. Do we?

(Wilson Adams, via Facebook Post on March 12, 2022)