



THE MESSENGER

EASTERN HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH

VBS 2022

DATE: JUNE 6-10, 2022
TIME: 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM
PLACE: EHBC

All children from ages 3 to 6th grade are invited!

Register online today!
easternhills.church/events



College Graduates

If you know a college graduate from EHBC that would like to appear in a future publication of the Messenger, please send their name, school name, and a photo to jeff@ehbconline.com by Friday, May 13.

Foster Care Information Meeting

Sunday, May 15, immediately following the worship service. Join us for this foster care information meeting. Lunch will be provided by Firehouse Subs. Please contact Ashley Moon at 334-309-6649 if you plan on eating.

Guest speakers will be on hand to answer your questions and explain the needs and challenges children in foster care face. Your unique and special gifts can be used in this ministry!

Upcoming Highschool Graduation Events

Graduate Dinner | Saturday, May 21

Graduation Service | Sunday, May 22

Church-wide Graduate Reception | Sunday, May 22, 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM in the Reception Room.

Infant/Child Dedication

Sunday June 12, during the Sunday morning worship service. If you are a member of EHBC and would like to be added to the list or would like to receive more information, please contact Cindy Martin – cmartin@ehbconline.com or call the church office.

40 Days of Prayer

Beginning on Monday, May 16, we will start 40 Days of Prayer as a congregation! Hand outs will be available on Sunday morning and will also be emailed out before Monday.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER MENU —

Chick-fil-A Box: Sandwich, chips, and a cookie.

Hot Meal: Smothered center-cut pork chop with cornbread dressing and gravy, King's Table green beans, squash casserole, roll, and banana pudding. **Salad:** Fried chicken caesar salad. Sign up online, on the Realm app or by calling the church offices. **Deadline every week is Monday at noon — no exceptions.**

History Changing Prayer

As Christians, prayer is a vital part of our life. It is as necessary as breath for the Christian. It really determines your life and relationship with the Lord. To neglect prayer can result in weakness and defeat. It is of supreme importance that we as Christians must pray. Not as a ritual or a habit, but to have a prayer life that comes from within your heart because of your love for God and because of your hunger and thirst for more of God in your life.

C.H. Spurgeon said, "The heart of prayer is the prayer of the heart." Prayer does not simply consist of words, gestures, forms or eloquence, but prayer is when a person comes humbly into the presence of God, knowing that he is not worthy to be in the presence of the Almighty God, the great creator and loving Father in Heaven, but knowing that he has been saved by Grace through Faith in Jesus Christ, and now has a heart to have a relationship and commune with the "One who is high and lifted up, who inhabits eternity, whose name is Holy:" (Isaiah 57:15)

Prayer is the most powerful tool that we have access to, but today we often regard prayer as merely an honored tradition or a formality. Sincere prayer is so much more. Scripture is full of examples where Prayer has turned the tides of History. Hezekiah prayed, and God spared his nation when the Assyrians attacked. Elijah prayed, and the son of the Shunammite woman, was raised from the dead. Jesus prayed, and Lazarus came forth from the tomb. Paul Prayed, and new churches were formed. The early church prayed, and Peter was delivered from prison.

Today, allow God to work in your situation. Trust in the LORD, and not in your strength. God is our rock and our refuge, and He helps us in all situations, whether they be small or difficult situations when we seek His help.

We can change the course of events if we go to our knees in believing prayer. What will you pray about tonight? Remember our '40 Days of Prayer' begins on **Monday, May 16.**

Pastor Dan



MIX MusiCamp JULY 11-15, 2022 @ Shocco Springs in Talladega, Alabama

Early Rate of \$310 to first 20 campers that sign up and pay their deposits. Second Best Rate if pay by May 19, 2022 – \$330/person, Regular Price after May 19, 2022 – \$340.

Mix Music Camp is open to students who have completed 3rd-12th grade. Register online at www.easternhills.church/events

FAMILY NEWS

Library Memorials

The book "The Baxters – The Prequel" by Karen Kingsbury was given in memory of **Virginia Carmichael** by the Handey/King class.

IN THE PULPIT

10:30 A.M.

Striving for Unity: We Build
According to God's Word,
1 Corinthians 4:1-7

BUDGET REPORT

YEAR TO DATE

Budget Requirements	\$638,324.38
Budget Receipts	612,875.62
UNDER Budget	25,448.76

WEEKLY BUDGET REPORT

MAY 8, 2022

Budget Requirements	\$33,596.02
Budget Receipts	34,672.75
OVER BUDGET	1,076.73

DESIGNATED

Designated	\$2,183.00
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ATTENDANCE

Sunday, May 8, 2022

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Children/Preschool	63
Student	25
Adult (In-Person)	221
Adult (Remote)	53

Worship Care	32
Worship	295

Carpenters for Christ Local Project

The Carpenters for Christ have a special local building project on Friday & Saturday, May 21-22. If you can help, please contact Van Nunnely or Larry Kennedy at larrykennedy1953@gmail.com

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

SUNDAY

Sunday School, 9:00 AM
Worship Service, 10:30 AM
Library Hours, 8:30 AM - 10:15 AM
Student Choir, 4:00 PM

TUESDAY

Men's Prayer Meeting, 6:00 AM in the RR
Women's Bible study, 9:30 AM in the RR

WEDNESDAY

Supper in the Gym, 5:00 PM
ACTEENS & Real Men, 5:30 PM
SLAM (ages 2-6th grade), 5:30-7:15 PM
Adult Choir, 6:00 PM
Adult Bible Study, 6:00 PM in the RR
Men's Bible Study, 6:00 PM in Room 150
ONE (Student Ministry), 6:15 PM
Library Hours, 5:15 PM - 6:15 PM

*Schedule may change due to special events
or holidays