

## Monthly Prayer Focus

Every month we specifically pray for an East Hills ministry and missionary whom we support. More information about our ministries and missionaries can be found online at [www.easthills.info](http://www.easthills.info).

### Ministry of the Month: LIFE Groups

- Please pray that God would continue to use the established groups to help disciple East Hills and to grow community within the body.
- Pray that God would use these groups to care for the congregation.
- Pray for the new groups forming. That they would grow and become healthy and established.
- Pray for the leaders that diligently serve East Hills by serving their groups.

### Missionary of the Month: Barrs

- Russell and Carol got COVID about a month ago, although they were vaccinated. Pray for full recovery, especially for Carol!
- Pray for the Lord to open doors for spiritual conversations and to provide resources, volunteers and a positive relationship with the government needed to start projects.
- Pray for God to powerfully move believers in local French churches to join in the plentiful harvest of both French non-believers and the Muslim population.
- Pray for the Holy Spirit to work in the hearts of Russell and Carol's Sufi Muslim friends to them understand the trinity and accept Jesus as God.

## East Hills Staff and Ministry Leaders

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## Financial Update

No update this week!

Giving in September (so far)...\$11,135.05      September Budget..... \$47,500.00

Giving in August ..... \$50,538.96      August Budget..... \$54,500.00

Year to Date Giving ..... \$400,476      YTD (August) Budget ..... \$401,000

# EAST HILLS COMMUNITY CHURCH

CONNECTING PEOPLE TO GOD | EACH OTHER | PURPOSEFUL LIFE

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## Selfish Justification

*Haggai*

### The Problem of Taking

1. We \_\_\_\_\_ our sin
2. We are never \_\_\_\_\_
3. We lack \_\_\_\_\_

### The Result of Obedience (Giving)

1. God is \_\_\_\_\_ us
2. Everything \_\_\_\_\_ to God
3. Blessing comes from \_\_\_\_\_
4. God will \_\_\_\_\_



### Welcome Guests!

- Please fill out the "Connection Card" by scanning the above QR code with your phone. Or if you need a hard copy you can pick up a connection card on the back table where you entered into the worship center.

### Deacon and Elder Nominations

- Deacon and Elder nominations are due today. Deacons and Elders play a key role in leading East Hills and your nominations are vital. You can make a nomination right now at easthills.info, on your phone or you can grab a nomination packet from the tables in the lobby. Fill them out and turn them in today!

### Immerse - Bible Reading Plan

- Together we are reading through the Bible using the Immerse series book, "Beginnings". Tomorrow we are on Day 15 of reading in Genesis. If you are not using the Immerse book and reading in your Bible, grab the new reading plan! It's never too late to join us in reading!

### Marriage Event

- The Marriage Ministry is kicking off a 4 part series called "Fused - A Biblical view of Marriage and Family." They have a gathering here on Friday, October 1st from 6PM-8:30PM for a potluck and fellowship, followed by video teaching and break out groups after.
- There will be childcare for a small donation. More information and sign-ups will be available in the lobby!

### Meet the Pastor

- Meet the Pastor is an opportunity to spend time with Pastor John and his wife, Patti, and get to hear about their call to ministry and how they ended up here at East Hills. There will also be a chance to learn more about Pastor John's philosophy of ministry and passion for our church.
- Meet the Pastor will happen on a Sunday right after church and we will provide lunch. If you would like to attend, please fill out the connection card on the church center app, reach out to Pastor John or call the church office.

### Missions Q & A

- East Hills supports missionaries all over the world and one of those Missionaries is the Teichert Family from South Africa. On Sunday, September 26th, we have a chance to meet the Teicherts and spend time hearing about what God is doing and even ask some questions. Join us right after church on the 26th and be encouraged as we hear how God is using missionaries in Africa.