

East Hills Ministry Staff

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Contacting our Leadership

Our staff can be contacted by calling the church office (951.776.9111). Using the voice mail system, phone calls will go directly to their cell phone.

Our website (easthills.info) lists the cell phone number and email address of our staff. That information is also available for our Elders and our Deacons. To find that information, just go to our website and use the dropdown menu, navigate to "About Us" and then click "Leadership."

To email all the Elders at once, you can send an email to Elders@easthills.info. The same is true for our Deacons using Deacons@easthills.info.

If you have a prayer request you can email the prayer team directly at prayerteam@easthills.info and an email will be sent to our prayer team.

Giving at East Hills

There are three ways to give here at East Hills...

- [1] You can give in person (check/cash) as part of your worship on Sunday morning by placing it in the offering bags as they are passed.
- [2] You can give by texting any dollar amount to **84321** whether in attendance at our worship service or at home watching online (really any time).
- [3] You can give online at our website (www.easthills.info). When you get to the site just click 'give' in the upper right hand corner and you will find easy to follow directions to give.

Thanks for your commitment to give to the Lord. May He bless you for your faithfulness. Remember, "God loves a cheerful giver."

Financial Update

Tithes and Giving	Sept 2023	Sept 2023 YTD	Oct 2023
Actual	\$ 53,507.68	\$ 444,000.96	\$ 44,546.16
Budget	<u>\$ 46,700.00</u>	<u>\$ 445,500.00</u>	<u>\$ 55,100.00</u>
Fav/(Unfav) Variance	\$ 6,807.68	\$ (1,499.04)	\$(10,553.84)

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EastHillsCommunityChurch



WELCOME TO EAST HILLS COMMUNITY CHURCH

We are glad you came this morning and expect that your time here will be well spent. East Hills is a place where you will find real people with real problems who are seeking a real faith and a real connection. In fact, the reason we exist is to connect people to God, each other and a purposeful life. Wherever you are on your spiritual journey, we want to help you get moving and discover this Jesus who has transformed our lives. You can learn at your own pace. Ask questions. Seek. We believe you'll find what you're looking for, while also finding God-seeking people to do life with you. So join with us this morning in worship, meeting new friends, and hearing a practical message from God's Word.

GET CONNECTED



Guests: Please fill out the "Connection Card" by scanning the QR code with your phone's camera. We have a free gift for all our guests. Just go to the 'Welcome Center' in the lobby and tell them you're a guest.



INFORMATION / ANNOUNCEMENTS

Connection Card

- Connection cards are our way to connect with you. If you have a prayer request, need information, are interested in volunteering and/or want to leave a note for one of our staff, then please fill out a connection card. You can scan the QR code below with your phone's camera, or get a hard copy on the back table where you entered the worship center and turn it in with the offering.

Children's Ministries (Elly Holmes, ellyh@easthills.info)

- **Sunday Mornings:** Every Sunday morning we have age-appropriate classes for our children up through 6th grade. Kids first join their parents for worship, and are then dismissed before the message to their age-appropriate classes.
- **AWANA:** Our AWANA clubbers spend time every Wednesday evening from 6:30-8:00 PM learning about God's Word, memorizing scripture, singing worship songs, playing games, and hanging out with friends. AWANA is for kids aged 3-years-old to 6th grade. 3 and 4-year-olds must be self-sufficient in the bathroom. You can register your kids in person or by going to the Children's Ministry page on our website. Sign up and join the fun!

Student Ministries (Sean Selter, seans@easthills.info)

- **Sunday Mornings:** Our junior high schoolers will be dismissed at the same time as the children for Biblical lessons geared just for them. For any questions, please reach out to Sean Selter.
- **Wednesday Nights:** Our Student Ministries are for students from 7th grade up to 12th grade. They meet every Wednesday from 7:00-8:45 PM in the Youth Room. All junior high and high school students are welcome, along with their friends! Reach out to Sean Selter if you have any questions.

Craft Fair

- East Hills will be hosting our Craft Fair here on Saturday morning, November 11th, from 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM.
- If you're interested in joining as a vendor to sell crafts at this event, please let us know by signing up at the table in the lobby.

New Elders and Deacons

- The following men have been presented to us by the Elders as our new Consistory starting January 1st to replace those leaving. Those presented to the Elder Board are Scott Moreno and Joel Goldberg. Those presented to the Deacon Board are Jack Johnston and Cameron Parker. Their bios are included in this Worship Folder for you to get to know them.
- Should you have any concerns about the spiritual fitness of any candidate to serve, please talk to an Elder or Pastor John.
- A Vote of Affirmation will take place at the Annual Meeting on November 12th.

The Gift of Salvation

Romans 5

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Ministry of the Month: Elders

- Please pray for continued growth in spiritual maturity as we continue to make decisions regarding the church and the direction we are to take.
- Pray for wisdom and discernment as we lead.
- Pray for spiritual protection for us and our families. This includes our wives, our children/grandchildren and our marriages.
- Pray for continued unity as we serve together... especially as we transition at the end of the year adding new Elders to replace the ones leaving.

Missionary of the Month: Emma Tautolo

- Please pray for nine women leaders to pray for and engage with three people they each chose, and for opportunities to share Christ with their teammates; and for Emma's increased work load.
- Please pray for Cru's partnership with FCA: Unity, patience, and maturity as Emma's team learns to work with a young believer who is the new leader; and for the team to be led by genuine love and care for others.
- Please pray for Emma co-leading a training in New Zealand the first week of November; and for ministers to be inspired to fruitful discipleship that forms and re-stories people into the Biblical story, resisting the cultural stories around them.

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