

Upcoming Events

Fish City Grill

Tuesday, February 1, 2011

2323 N. Henderson - Dallas, 75206

15% of the entire day's sales will be donated to ELM.

Only available at the Henderson location

Giving Blood Saves Lives;

"Taking Back" expired meds does, too.

Sunday, February 13

"Wear Red, Eat Red, Bring Drugs and Get Bled."

(Wear Red Attire, Bring Expired Drug for Destruction & Give Blood)

Call or email Peggy McCurdy to let her know you will donate blood

Ph: 214-824-8185 Email: peggy@edcc.org

*If you can't donate and know someone that can ...

INVITE them to join the EDCC Donors!

**In conjunction with blood drive,
EDCC Youth will be hosting Café Amore luncheon.**

No need to bring food. Come & enjoy!

Donations will benefit Youth Ministry.

RSVP for Café Amore: See Back of Attendance Card

EAST DALLAS CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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EAST DALLAS CHRISTIAN CHURCH

A Congregation of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) of the U.S. and Canada

OPPORTUNITIES AT EAST DALLAS CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Regular at EDCC

- ♦ **ELM Classes** - Monday thru Thursday (9 a.m.)
- ♦ **Elder's Prayer Breakfast** - Tuesdays (7 a.m., Disciples Room)
- ♦ **Knit Witters** - 2nd & 4th Tuesdays (10 a.m., Disciples Room)
- ♦ **Praise Team Practice** - Tuesdays (5 p.m., Alexander's Stage)
- ♦ **Faith in the City** (Pub Ministry) - Tuesdays (7:30 p.m., Bryan St. Tavern)
- ♦ **Bible Study** - Wednesdays (10 a.m., Disciples Room)
- ♦ **Staff Meeting** - Wednesdays, 2:30 p.m. (Disciples Room)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 30

- 8:30 a.m. **Worship and Communion, Chapel**
- 8:30-9:30 a.m. **Cannon 70th Anniversary Reception, Parlor**
- 9:30 a.m. **Table Worship, Community Room**
Church School Classes for All Ages
Chancel Choir Rehearsal
- 10:50 a.m. **Worship and Communion, Sanctuary**

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1

Fish City Grill Fundraiser for English Language Ministries (All Day)

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 5

- 9:00-11:30 a.m. **Elders Meet, Great Hall**
- 12:00 noon **New Member Brunch, Parlor**

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 6 **Super Bowl Sunday**

- 8:30 a.m. **Worship and Communion, Chapel**
- 9:30 a.m. **Table Worship, Community Room**
Chancel Choir Rehearsal
- 10:50 a.m. **Worship and Communion, Sanctuary**



EAST DALLAS CHRISTIAN CHURCH

**January 30, 2011
10:50 A.M.**

ENTERING INTO GOD'S PRESENCE

The Gathering: Welcome & Fellowship Rev. Nathan Hill

Chiming of the Hour

Proclamation to Worship Chancel Choir
"NOW LET US ALL PRAISE GOD AND SING"
Gordon Young

Prelude Organist, Keith Critcher

Acolytes and Ministers Process

***Call to Worship** Responsive Reading

Leader: Praise be to You, O Lord,

People: Who made our hands.

Leader: Praise be to You, O Lord,

People: Who gave us our voices.

**All: Renew our gifts, as we put our hope in You. May we embrace
righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, and gentleness as we
live out the call You have given us.**

***Hymn of Praise** Hymn 49

"FROM ALL THAT DWELL BELOW THE SKIES"
TUNE: LASST UNS ERFREUEN

***Invocation** Rev. Micah James

***The Lord's Prayer**

Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallow'd be Thy Name
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread,

And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.

Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil,

For Thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

**Those who are able, please stand.
(Nursery is available for children 3 & under)*

EAST DALLAS CHRISTIAN CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Deborah Morgan
Senior Minister

Rev. Nathan Hill
Minister of Church Life

Keith Critcher
Minister of Music & Worship

Janie Autz
Director of Outreach Ministry

Rev. Micah James
Minister of Youth

Rev. Patricia Maples
Parish Wellness Minister

Raymond Tolentino
Business Administrator

Peggy McCurdy
Program Director

Rev. Fr. Joshua George
Office Manager

Keith Critcher
Organist

Courtney Morgan
Building Superintendent

Phoebe Gonzalez
Head Custodian

Damaso Luna (Security)

Mirtha Marchan, Karla Ibarra & Maria Chavez (Nursery)

Children's Sermon

Rev. Micah James

Children's church is a ministry for children 3 years old through 5th grade. Children will begin morning worship with their families in the Sanctuary until they are called forward for the Children's Sermon. They are led to Children's Church, located in the Education Hallway.

Scripture Reading

Ken Kuesel

I TIMOTHY 6: 11-19
(Pew Bible, NT Pg. 210-211)

Choral Anthem

Chancel Choir

"TO KNOW THEE"
Hank Beebe

"To know Thee is the goal my heart has set, to know Thee is its greatest prize. To know Thee though I feel that we have met on dark roads where sadness lies, To know Thee when the storms of life increase and I see no sheltered landing; To know Thee in a time of quiet peace that passes my understanding.

To know Thee is to come to know the truth, the truth that will set me free. I know not where my growing faith will lead, or how I may react in word and deed; I do know that I have a crying need to know Thee.

To know Thee is to know what I should pray, to know Thee is a prayer complete. To know Thee is to finally find my way with Thy bright lamp unto my feet. To know Thee is at first to know Thy name and speak it as one confessing, and finding that the mention of Thy name re-echoes as a blessing.

To know Thee is to know my deepest self; To know Thee uncovers me. I know of fame and fortune far and wide, I know of the rewards that they provide; I know that I would cast them all aside to know Thee."

Sermon

Rev. Deborah Morgan

"CHRIST HAS CALLED US, EDCC...
TO BE RENEWED AND EQUIPPED FOR MISSION AND MINISTRY"

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

*Invitation to Christian Life

Hymn 459

"LORD, YOU GIVE THE GREAT COMMISSION"
Stanzas 1 & 2
TUNE: ABBOT'S LEIGH

Sharing Our Gifts

Rev. Nathan Hill

Joys and Concerns

Deacon Installation and Elder Ordination

Interlude (Deacons move to serve)

Giving of Our Tithes & Offerings

Along with your financial gifts, please place the attendance card in the offering tray as it is passed to you.

Offertory

Chancel Choir

"LORD OF THE DANCE"
John Rutter

The choir sings this anthem in celebration of Jack & Lucille Cannon's 70th Wedding Anniversary

*Congregational Response

Hymn 46

THE DOXOLOGY

TUNE: OLD HUNDREDTH

"Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen."

*Prayer of Consecration

Rev. Nathan Hill

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S TABLE

Communion Hymn

Hymn 330

"ALLELUIA! HEAR GOD'S STORY"

Stanzas 1 & 3

TUNE: W ZLOBIE LEZY

Words of Institution

Ron Somers-Clark

Elder's Blessing of the Bread

Keith Critcher

Elder's Blessing of the Cup

Mark Byrkit

Sharing of the Elements

*We invite all who love Jesus Christ to share this meal.
Partake of both bread and cup as they are passed to you.
Place the cup back in the tray before passing it to your neighbor.
Please make these moments a time of prayerful confession and forgiveness.*

*Words of Going Forth & Benediction

Rev. Deborah Morgan

Postlude

Pianist, Jason Smith

We welcome, guest pianist, Jason Smith in our worship service today.



The altar flower today is given in honor of

*Jack and Lucille Cannon's
70th Wedding Anniversary*

(Given by Cynthia Cannon)

WANT TO JOIN EAST DALLAS?

You can become a part of East Dallas Christian Church in three ways:

(1) If you've never accepted Jesus Christ as your Savior, come to the front of the Sanctuary during the Invitation to Christian Life Hymn and make your confession of faith in Him. We will schedule your baptism at the earliest opportunity.

(2) If you are already a Christian and would like to join with us here, come to the front during the Invitation and we will receive you into membership.

(3) If you want to maintain your ties to your former Church, come to the front during the Invitation and we will welcome you as an Associate Member.

If you are shy (we love shy people, too!) See one of our Pastors after the service.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Each Tuesday from 7-9 a.m., a group of EDCC elders gathers for prayer.

From wherever you may be during this time period, the elders invite you to join them in prayer, using this prayer list or your own.

JOYS

Celebrating and giving thanks for:

- All the world's youth, represented by Samantha Singer
- Our young adults away at college or in town, including James McCarthy
- Welcome new members Stephanie Russakov and Buck Peace!
- Larry McCoy able to return to Sunday school and church
- Jack and Lucille Cannon's upcoming 70th anniversary celebration
- Scott and Nailya Gilbert expecting addition to the family
- Southwest Region approving Shea Kersh for ordination into Christian ministry
- All our visitors!

CONCERNS

Pray for those in our Church Family:

- Malinda Kocks and son, Jared Kocks
- Gloria Sneider
- Sam Holmes
- Betty Counts
- Jimmie Everts
- Jimmy Hayes
- Dean Parker
- Betty Davison
- Bethany Morris
- Jimmie Smith
- Tim Hartman
- John Kilpatrick
- Jean Gilbert

Pray for those Outside our Congregation:

- Special prayers for the DFW law enforcement officers
- Melinda Lundy
- Terry O'Brien
- Rev. Ed Michael
- Jessica Parker
- Sammy Adair
- Jo Myers
- Willetta Stellmacher
- James Dennis
- Gene Souter
- Dave Burris
- Family of Brandy Logan
- Marie Mize
- Thomas Hinson
- Shirley Holt
- Agnes Onauha and mother Ugana

Pray for Ongoing Concerns in our Congregation, including:

- Liz Galyon

Pray for Ongoing Concerns Outside Our Congregation, including:

- Joandy Perez

Pray for those Serving in the Military, especially:

- Ben Armstrong

Pray for our Limited Activity Members, including:

- Audrey Gundy

Pray for our Ministries and Committees, including:

- Blood Drive and Drug Take-Back

Pray for our Ministries, including:

- Prayer Shawl Ministry

Pray for our Committees and Departments at work, including:

- Worship and Music