

Chapel Worship 8:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Sanctuary Worship 10:45 a.m.  
RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

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## streamspot®



Happy week after Easter Church!

As Hopefully you can tell from looking at the banner above and the button on the side, this morning I want to talk briefly about our newest worship opportunity: LIVE STREAMING, powered by StreamSpot!

If you are not familiar with "Live Streaming," it allows people to participate in something happening live without being present at the venue where the event is taking place. In our case that means you can be present in worship without being in the Sanctuary.

*Brian Matthews*

Here's what you need to know to join worship "live" or "on demand":

Go to the church website, [www.fumcada.org](http://www.fumcada.org), and click on the link at the top-right called "Live Stream." The link will take you to a page with a banner telling you how long till the next live broadcast begins. When the broadcast begins you can click on the play button and join the service. You can also go to this same page any time and watch the previous service "on demand." Additionally, when the service goes live it will be broadcast through Face Book Live.

Why have we initiated this?

By offering this, it allows church members who are traveling, homebound or sick to still participate in worship. It also allows people to "check us out" without having to step in the door. Further, it allows the community to participate in worship anytime, anyplace.

I am extremely excited about this new possibility. If you have to miss worship, please check out the Live Stream option at 10:45am OR participate later in the day (or week) at a time convenient for you and your family..

Have a great week and I look forward to seeing you soon!

Jesus is Lord,

Pastor Brian Matthews

## Notes from the PARK

By Leslie and  
Clay Carley

Once again, the rain held off for dinner service this Sunday afternoon! We served a slightly different meal due to the forecast (we were expecting thunderstorms). We served a cold meal that everyone could take away in family style portions, and heat at home. It was a different way to serve, and a bit confusing to start, but we will be serving this way in the future when we are expecting rain. Thank you to all of our volunteers, we even had several young people eager to help us. What a blessing they are! We continue to ask for prayers for Allen, and Nellie has asked for prayers as well. That you to all of our prayer partners who join us in prayer. Don't forget to visit us in front of Walmart on Saturday, March 31st. We will have all sorts of baked goods, special Easter Ornaments, and Bath Bombs specially made to help raise funds for this ministry. Now that the weather is warming up, we will be collecting fans to share, and as always, we are collecting bedding, clothing, shoes, and toiletries. Everything we collect will be distributed at the park throughout the year. Thank you all for your prayers and support, and we hope to see you next week, for Easter Dinner at the park!



## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!

We are in need of volunteers for our  
VIM Medical  
Mission to Waslala, Nicaragua from  
June 7th-16th.

If you are interested contact  
Amelda McCortney  
or Paula Watkins.

## ECU WESLEY



Join us April 23rd, from 7-9pm for:

- Food
- Games
- FUSION Worship

This event is for ANY and ALL high school students! If you have any questions feel free to contact Campus Minister Janey Wilson at [ecuwesley@gmail.com](mailto:ecuwesley@gmail.com) or (580) 436-3400.



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Facebook: ECU Wesley

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## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

- ECU Wesley Weekly FUSION Worship Service: Monday's @ 8 pm (unless there is no classes)
- Co-Ed Bible Study each Tuesday @ 8 pm @ the ECU Wesley
- ECU Wesley leads worship and shares our story at Marlow FUMC on April 15<sup>th</sup>
- ECU Wesley Golf Tournament on June 18<sup>th</sup> @ 8 am @ Oak Hills Golf & Country Club

## CONGRATULATIONS!!!

Congratulations to Amanda Jamar Herrin and Clay Herrin on their new baby girl Ricklynn Jo Herrin. She was born on March 26th weighing 8 lbs 14 oz and was 20 inches long. Grandparents are Donna and Rick Jamar.

Congratulations to Cameron and Stacy Brady on their new baby boy Callen Henry Brady. He was born on March 23rd weighing 7 lbs 5 oz. Grandparents are Larry and Cindy Brady.





### In Loving Memory of:

**Lloyd D. Briggs**

By: Mary Ann Briggs

**Irma Drennan**

By: Larry Drennan

**Carl L. James**

By: Mary James

**Joanna O'Flanagan**

By: Mary James

**Loved Ones**

By Billy and Verna Rice

**William Bradley Rich**

By: Janet Larney

**V.E. Townsend**

By: His Family

**Curtis and Pansy Wylie**

By: Tom and Donna Gault

**Our Daughters**

By: Jack and Jenna Rahm

**Sarah Jane Johnson**

By: Your Children— David,  
Anna, Mary Beth and Erik

**Paula Watkins**

By: Deborah Williams

**Buddy Cane**

By: Janet Larney

**Tom Elliott**

**Margaret Elliott**

By: The Elliott Family

**Estelle Hill**

**Francis Hill**

**Howell Hill**

By: Carlyle and LaDona Hill

**Loved Ones**

By: Larry and Jeanne Cole

**Otis Shields**

By: Bonnie Shields

**Elroy Walden**

By: Carlyle and LaDona Hill

**Raymond Lee Cox**

**Brulah Mae Cox**

By: Ron and Liz Cox

**Glenn and Mary Gault**

By: Tom and Donna Gault

**J.W. and Ruby Little**

By: George and LaVelle Waker

**Loved Ones**

By: Ed and Judy Anderson

**Susanna P. Pflaum**

By: Dale Pflaum

**Robert Somerhalder**

By: The Elliott Family

**George W. and Polly Walker**

By: George and LaVelle Walker

### In Honor of:

**Our Grandchildren— Hope**

**Julia, Maverick and Kennedy**

By: Carlyle and LaDona Hill

**Jane Muntz**

By: Ruth Rachel Circle

**Andy Hood**

By: Pete Williams

**Rebekah Bible Study**

By: Nancy Cody

**HAPPY EASTER**

## Table Hoppers

It's been awhile since our last outing to Ole Red's in Tishomingo, so I'm ready to get out of Dodge! In 1889 "Oklahoma Belle Cunningham" was born in OKC. She married Lawrence Cheever in 1912. In 1927, she began selling flowers from her back yard to help with family finances during the Great Depression. This business became the family trade. In 1938, the family moved into Belle's family home on 23<sup>rd</sup> and Hudson and opened a flower shop. They purchased a flower display cooler from Chicago while living in the back of the house. The cooler is still in use as a wine cooler. The front part of the café still has the original terrazzo floors. For me, the best item on the menu is the vanilla ice cream ball rolled in pecans roasted with brown sugar and red chili. Oh yeah—and drizzled with chocolate sauce! Yum! I hope you will love Cheever's Café as much as I do! After our lunch, we'll go a few blocks south to tour the Overholser mansion built in 1903. Henry Overholser was known as "the father of Oklahoma City". We will learn about his many contributions to Oklahoma City. (Tour costs \$7.00)

MEET AT THE CHURCH FRIDAY, APRIL 6 AT 9:30 A.M.

TO RESERVE YOUR PLACE FOR THIS TRIP—CALL 580-332-4720 OR TEXT ME AT 580-399-0705.

# Opportunities of the Week



# Church Family Prayer List

**Worship and Event times are the same each week,  
unless announced**

<b>Sunday</b>	
8:30 a.m.	Worship (Chapel)
9:30 a.m.	Sunday School
10:45 a.m.	Worship (Sanctuary)
3:30 p.m.	Park Ministry (Glenwood Park)
<b>Monday</b>	
5:15 p.m.	Low Impact Exercise (Fellowship Hall)
6:00 p.m.	Cub Scout Pack 13 Meeting
7:15 p.m.	Boy Scout Troop 13 Meeting (Scout Room)
8:00 p.m.	FUSION Worship (ECU Wesley)
<b>Tuesday</b>	
10:00 a.m.	Talmidim Bible Study (Library)
12:00 a.m.	Prayer in the Sanctuary Prayer Room
3:30 p.m.	Voices of Praise (Choir Room)
<b>Wednesday</b>	
10:00 a.m.	Rebekah Bible Study (Cancelled until further notice)
Noon	Methodist Men's Bible Study (Library)
1:30 p.m.	Stephen Ministry Training (Fellowship Classroom)
4:00 p.m.	Awana
5:00 p.m.	Mosaic Meal (Fellowship Hall)
6:00 p.m.	Bible Adventure
6:00 p.m.	Mosaic Classes
6:00 p.m.	Youth Meet-Up (Church)
6:00 p.m.	Chancel Ringers
7:15 p.m.	Chancel Choir
<b>Thursday</b>	
5:15 p.m.	Low Impact Exercise (Fellowship Hall)
<b>Friday</b>	
7:00 p.m.	Youth Meet- Up (Church)

## EVENTS IN



<b>THURSDAY 5th,</b>	
5:00 pm	Local Unit Leadership Team Meeting (Library)
6:00 pm	Stephen Ministry Supervisory Team Meeting (Lindsay Classroom)
6:30 pm	<b>Wayne School Jazz Concert (Sanctuary)</b>
<b>FRIDAY 6th,</b>	
10:00 am	<b>Table Hoppers (Overholser Mansion tour/Cheevers Restaurant)</b>
<b>MONDAY 9th,</b>	
10:00 am	Ruth Rachel (Parlor)
5:00 pm	Local Unit Leadership Team Meeting (Library)
5:30 pm	<b>Mary Martha Womens Group (Parlor)</b>
<b>TUESDAY 10th,</b>	
12:00 pm	Minister Fellowship Meeting (Lindsay Classroom)
<b>WEDNESDAY 11th,</b>	
1:00 pm	Knitting Group (Parlor)
<b>WEDNESDAY 18th,</b>	
8:00 am	Matthew 25 Mission Packaging (St. Lukes Episcopal Church)
<b>THURSDAY 19th,</b>	
8:00 am	Matthew 25 Mission Distribution (St. Lukes Episcopal Church)
5:30 pm	GSPS Board Meeting (Parlor)
6:00 pm	Stephen Minister Supervisory Team Meeting (Lindsay Classroom)
<b>SATURDAY 21st,</b>	
10:00 am	<b>Childrens Play Practice (location to be announced)</b>



**PRAYERS:** Avery Anderson, Peggy Bagley, Janet Bare, Tonya Biggerstaff, Mica Cacy, Feline Campbell, Morris Cane, Marian Craig, Dick Danielson, Scottie Furminsky, Britney Gomez and Family, Carol Hightower, John Holt, Kim Holton, Adam Huckleby, Mary James, Helen Jaquess, Bobby Johns, Lisa Larios, Ray Larsen, Chuck Lindholm, Tim Mummey, Joe Murray, Greg Perry, Amanda Ricker, The Rice Family, Eileen Sharpiro, Suzanne Simmons, Debra Smith, Florence Stanich, Darrel Thompson, Buddy Watkins, Dimples Walden, Jefferson Walden

**LONG-TERM PRAYERS:** Bud Blackburn, Wanda Goplen, Holly Hawk, Jennifer Hood, T.J. Johnston, Randy Johnson, Mike Manning, Cindy Minor, Johnny Moss, Glen Ray, Mary Jo Schoepflin, Jimmy Smith, Lindsay Snow, Linda Staples, Doc Stokes, Kathy Wilkin, Karen Williams

**EXPECTANT MOTHERS:** Megan Broderick, Holly Brady Clay, Jenny F., Amber Keiser, Karry Baker Griese, Megan Leach

## ATTENDANCE

<b>March 18th, 2018</b>		
Sunday School		120
Chapel Service		50
Sanctuary Service		175
<b>Total Worship</b>		<b>225</b>
<b>March 25th, 2018</b>		
Sunday School		159
Chapel Service		68
Sanctuary Service		238
<b>Total Worship</b>		<b>306</b>