



# edmondchurchofChrist



I AM THE VINE  
YOU ARE THE BRANCHES

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IF YOU REMAIN IN ME  
AND I IN YOU, YOU  
WILL BEAR MUCH FRUIT

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APART FROM ME YOU  
CAN DO NOTHING

JOHN 15:5



SUNDAY SERMON SERIES

## The Way

*Abide*

John 15:5-8

**JULY 27, 2025**

Spiritual practices such as solitude, prayer and Bible reading are not meant to be legalistic burdens; they are the way we stay connected to our Source of Life.

**8:15am**

Welcome	Randy Roper
Song Leader	Kyle Denney
Songs	
Prayer	Jonathan Wagner
Songs	
Communion	David Denton
Offering	
Songs	
John 15: 5-8	Ivan Stewart
Song	
Sermon	Randy Roper
Invitation Song	
Closing Prayer	Jeff Bennett
Announcements	Jeremy Robertson

**10:40am**

Story Time	Kent Risley
Welcome	Randy Roper
Song Leader	Daniel Tripp
Songs	
Prayer	Eric Cope
Songs	
Communion	Phil Klutts
Offering	
Song	
John 15:5-8	
Song	
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# NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

**LET US KNOW YOU ARE HERE** - Use the church app or QR code at the bottom of the page to sign in.

**NURSERY** – Catalyst Class      **BIBLE HOUR** – Seekers Class

**AUGUST NURSERY** – Pathfinders

**AUGUST BIBLE HOUR** – Sojourners

**WARM WELCOME** – Coffee, tea and fellowship before Bible class (in the foyer near the circle drive)

**PANTRY** – peanut butter & jelly, mac & cheese, pancake mix & syrup, canned vegetables & fruit, canned chili and soup, spaghetti & sauce

**VOLUNTEER T-SHIRTS** can be returned to the bin in the foyer.

**TRAIL LIFE INFO MEETING** on August 19 at 6:30 in the fellowship hall (Troop 0339 meets in our building).

You can also email [traillifemedic@gmail.com](mailto:traillifemedic@gmail.com) for more information.

**UR SPECIAL BACK-TO-SCHOOL DISTRIBUTION** is Aug. 8-9. [urspecialmond.org/volunteer](https://urspecialmond.org/volunteer)

**DONATE TO DISASTER RELIEF** – We will be sending funds to aid in disaster relief amid the recent tragedy in Central Texas. We are working through a church-related effort in the area. To donate to the relief efforts, go to <https://pushpay.com/g/edmondchurchofchrist> with the drop-down menu, select Disaster Relief. You can also give with a check. Thank you for your kindness and generosity.

## HOSPICE - GEORGE MATHESON, KIETH McKEE CONTINUED PRAYERS

Glendell Norman, Hope Jernigan, Mary Carney, Sharon Vaulner, Sharon Britt, Judith Risley, Terri Serrato, Mike Rhoades, Mason Metheny, Susan Tanner, Betty Maston, Zoey Courtright, Linda Lutze, McKenzie Cutshall, Doris Aldridge, Doyle & Sue Martin, Wanda Roper, Arie Marshall, Asher Surber, Bob & Jeanette Reichardt, Butch Nichols, Nancy Siazilo, Allen Arnold, Phyllis Dean, Paula Reed, Jeanette Eubanks, Sandy Gilliam, Dub Erwin, Ann Buxton's father, Dicki Phillips, Russ Sharp, Jim Goodin's mother, Betty Bridwell, Mary Burns, Sandra Feken's parents, Phil Bryan, Nancy Cantrell, Vicki Hardin, David Roberts, Juanita Carr, Ken Hollingsworth, Mary Watson, James Cail, Shawn McCaughan's father, Benita Avera, Central Texas Flood Victims

## THOSE IN THE MILITARY

Clayton Williams, Bradley Martin, Alex Young, Alison Young, Dustin Laxton, Cade Mashburn, Cody Bowman, Blake Horton, John Halcli, Richard

Romick, Tyler Manharth

## SYMPATHY TO

**MISAEL & OTONIEL MÁRQUEZ** and their families in the death of their mother.

## BRIDAL SHOWER FOR

**ALYSSA ULRICH**, bride-elect of Connor Brewster, on Aug. 10 at 2pm in the parlor. They are registered at Amazon, Target and William Sonoma.

## NEW MEMBERS



**DENNIS & NAAM PRUITT**

2612 Portofino Place, 73034

## GIVING OPTIONS FOR OFFERING

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## CHECK IN





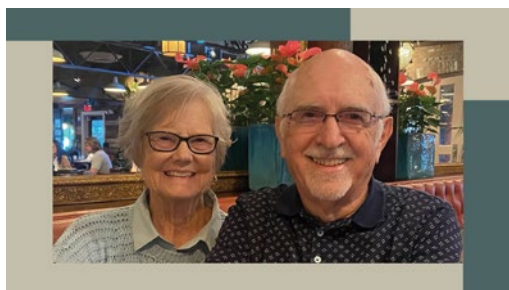
## Promotion Sunday Sunday, August 3

Time for our children's classes to move up! Elementary students will go to the next grade level and class lists will be posted outside the doors in our pre-school classrooms.



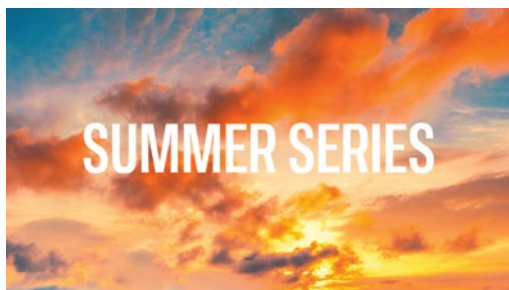
## Divorce Care Starts August 3 Sundays, 5:30 - 7:00pm

Join us for a 13-week friendly, caring group of people who will walk alongside you through one of life's most difficult experiences. Don't go through separation or divorce alone. Childcare provided. Register online.



## Lollar Reception August 10 6:00pm, Fellowship 2

Dale is resigning as shepherd after 21 years. They plan to move to be closer to family. Stop by after the SNFM meal to wish them well.



## Summer Speaker Series June 4 - August 13 7:00pm, Wednesdays Lower Auditorium

This summer, our adult classes will not meet so everyone can attend the Summer Series. Lessons will be posted at [youtube.com/edmondchurchofchrist](https://www.youtube.com/edmondchurchofchrist).



## The Table September 2025 - May 2026

A small-group experience designed to deepen intergenerational relationships by connecting personal and spiritual conversations around a shared meal.

Sign up online by Aug. 24. New groups will be announced by Labor Day.

# SUNDAY NIGHT FOR THE MASTER

## JULY 27

5:00pm	Pulled Pork
5:30pm	Devotional in the Quad
6:00pm	Various Activities
7:00pm	Conclusion

## ROOM

Quad  
Foyer  
Fellowship 2  
Fellowship 3  
Conference Room  
211  
Youth Wing  
Gym

## ACTIVITY

Help clean up after the meal  
Children’s Ministry Projects & Communion Packets  
The Chosen  
Communion Served  
Moms’ Prayer Group  
Shared Experience – Dominoes  
Shared Experience – Video Games  
Shared Experience – Basketball

## CHILDREN’S SCHEDULE

6:00pm	Nursery 3 years - 1st grade, Playtime in Bible Hour Room 2nd - 5th, Meet outside of Miss Brenda’s office to spruce-up the classrooms
7:00pm	Pick up 3 years - 1st grade in Bible Hour Room Pick up 2nd - 5th in North foyer

## UPCOMING SCHEDULE

July 27	Pulled Pork, Devotional & Activities	Aug 24	Flex: Beginnings & Blessings
Aug 3	Cookout, Devotional & Activities	Aug 31	Flex: Labor Day Weekend
Aug 10	Pizza, Devotional & Activities	Sept 7	Baked Ziti, Devotional & Activities
Aug 17	Chicken Enchiladas, Devotional & Activities	Sept 14	Chicken Enchiladas Devotional & Activities

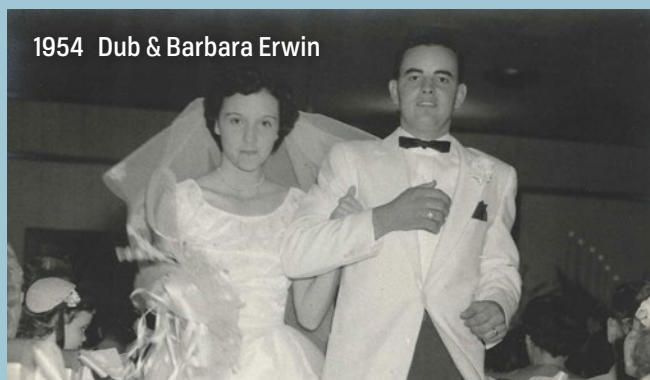


PONCHA SPRINGS MISSION TRIP





## Celebrating Long-Term Marriages



WATCH THE CELEBRATION VIDEO

# SUMMER SERIES

June 4 - August 13  
7:00pm, Wednesdays  
Lower Auditorium

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*The Beatitudes*  
*Matthew 5:1-12*

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*Blessed Are Those (Intro)*  
**JUNE 4**  
**Phil Brookman**



*The Poor in Spirit*  
**JUNE 11**  
**Tim Pyles**



*Those Who Mourn*  
**JUNE 18**  
**Scott Franks**



*The Meek*  
**JUNE 25**  
**Jeremie Beller**



*Those Who Hunger  
& Thirst for Righteousness*  
**JULY 2**  
**Mitch Wilburn**



*The Merciful*  
**JULY 9**  
**Kent Brown**

**JULY 16 - VBS**



*The Pure in Heart*  
**JULY 23**  
**Shannon Hayes**



*The Peacemakers*  
**JULY 30**  
**Wes McAdams**



*Those Who Are Persecuted*  
**AUGUST 6**  
**Brian Simmons**



*Praise & Worship*  
**AUGUST 13**  
**Jason Dean & Daniel Tripp**

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## **Wes McAdams**

Plano, Tx

## **July 30**

*The Peacemakers*

**7:00pm**

**Cookie fellowship to follow**



Wes has served as the preaching minister at the church of Christ on McDermott Road (Plano, TX) since 2016. He has also served congregations in Midland, Texas; Leachville and Hot Springs, Arkansas, and Abilene, Texas. In addition to preaching and teaching, he publishes a blog and podcast at [RadicallyChristian.com](http://RadicallyChristian.com) and is the author of the book, *Beyond the Verse*. Wes is a graduate of Amridge University. He and his wife, Hollee, have been married since 2005. They have two sons, Malachi (16) and Noah (14).



# BACKPACKS FOR REFUGEE STUDENTS

## Backpacks needed by July 27

Sign up to purchase a backpack and fill it with school supplies from the provided list. The goal is to distribute 110 backpacks in early August.

**Brian Eastman** [beastman8907@gmail.com](mailto:beastman8907@gmail.com)





# DIVORCE *Care*®

**Starts August 3**  
**Sundays, 5:30 - 7:00pm**  
13 Weeks, Room 210  
Childcare Provided

DivorceCare is a friendly, caring group of people who will walk alongside you through one of life's most difficult experiences. Don't go through separation or divorce alone.

Facilitators: Ken & Judy Coffman,  
Jacob Hall, Doug & Geni Bryant  
Register at [edmondchurchofchrist.com](http://edmondchurchofchrist.com).

Other details at [www.divorcecare.org](http://www.divorcecare.org).



## WOMEN'S MINISTRY



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**August 10  
6:00pm,  
Fellowship 2**

Help move in &  
welcome students.

# COLLEGE GREETING GANG



**@ UCO**

Friday, Aug. 15  
7:00 - 10:00am

**@ OC**

Saturday, Aug. 16  
8:00 - Noon



Contact Patrick Rayner for more info:  
[patrick@edmondcc.com](mailto:patrick@edmondcc.com)



# The Way

## *Living & Loving Like Jesus*

What if following Jesus wasn't just a belief, but a way of life? A rhythm. A practice. A path we walk daily, intentionally, and together. Living and loving like Jesus means daily surrendering to God as He conforms us more and more into the image of His Son. Open your heart as we learn to live in the way of Jesus.

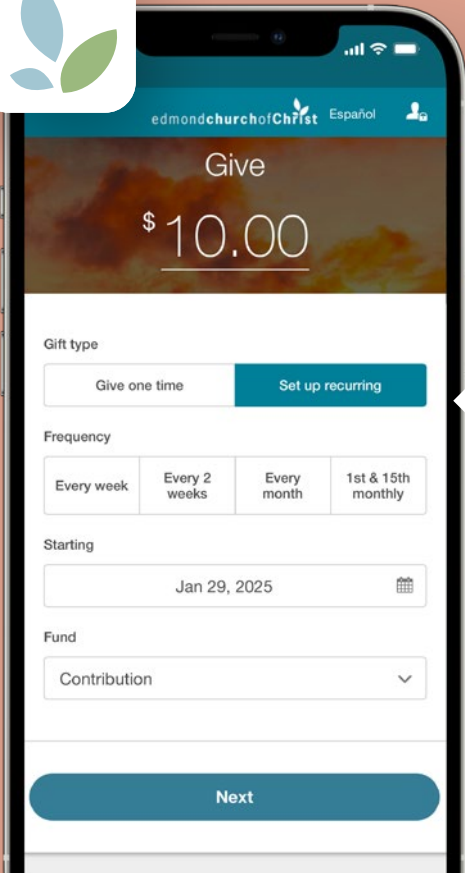
JULY 13	A Different Way
JULY 20	Formed by God
JULY 27	Abide
AUG 3	Life of Love
AUG 10	Rule for Life
AUG 17	Wrong Way

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CLICK HERE TO GIVE ONLINE



## MOBILE GIVING THRU THE APP



Give once or set up  
recurring gifts.

Click the button above to try it.



PSALM 126:3

The Lord has done

# GREAT THINGS

for us, and we are  
filled with joy.



JOIN US IN PRAYING THIS DAILY PRAYER:

"Lord, you have done **GREAT THINGS** in the past.  
Please continue to do **GREAT THINGS** in our day."

Visit our prayer page to lift up others in prayer or to  
submit a prayer request of your own.

[CLICK HERE TO VISIT PRAYER PAGE](#)

# SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

## SUNDAY

Bible Classes 9:30 am  
AM Worship 8:15 & 10:40 am  
Stream Live 10:40 am  
SNFM or Flex-Sunday Gathering at 5:00pm

## WEDNESDAY

Early Bird Bible Class 5:00 pm  
Bible Class for all ages 7:00 pm



[youtube.com/edmondchurchofchrist](https://youtube.com/edmondchurchofchrist)

## MINISTRY STAFF

Sam Day	Michael Reese
John Frias	Kent Risley
Brenda Gordon	Jeremy Robertson
Shawn McElroy	Randy Roper
Kevin Rayner	Tony Sepulveda
Patrick Rayner	Laura Williamson

## SHEPHERDS

Blaine Allenbach	Brent Keck
Tom Breninger	Lyle Kelsey
Brad Buxton	Dale Lollar
Andy Dean	Jack Lowry
Jim Goodin	Kyle Mauck
Sylvan Gordon	Merritt Roberts

## 2025 GIVING

	SUNDAYS	COMMISSION SUN.
Given Last Sunday	\$ 44,709	\$ 348
Given thru Last Sunday	\$ 1,305,684	\$ 319,165
Plan thru Last Sunday	\$ 1,297,708	\$ 310,822
Annual Plan	\$ 2,355,100	\$ 466,233

## MISSIONARIES

Email any of our missionaries from our website.  
[EdmondChurchOfChrist.com/People/Missionaries](https://EdmondChurchOfChrist.com/People/Missionaries)



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IN ON SUNDAYS**

## ATTENDANCE REPORT

WORSHIP (Total)	1080
On-Site	910
Online	80
Poncha Springs	90

## BIBLE CLASS

Preschool	71
Grades K-6	80
Grades 7-12	35
Adults	569



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**SEARCH**  
OF THE LORD'S WAY<sup>®</sup>

**WATCH SEARCH ONLINE** [www.searchtv.org](http://www.searchtv.org)

## WATCH EVERY SUNDAY

7:30am KOCB-TV Channel 34 (OKC, OK)

Presenter: Phil Sanders

**JULY 27 - "Ten Reasons"**