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AND SO WE KNOW AND RELY
ON THE LOVE GOD HAS FOR US

GOD IS LOVE

WHOEVER LIVES IN LOVE LIVES
IN GOD, AND GOD IN THEM

1 JOHN 4:16



SUNDAY SERMON SERIES

Prodigal

Bitter Brother

Luke 15:28-30

SEPTEMBER 21, 2025

You may be near the Father's house, but if you are filled with self-righteousness and bitterness, your heart is in a distant land.

8:15am

Welcome	Randy Roper
Song Leader	Trey Cail
Songs	
Prayer	Paul Howard
Songs	
Communion	Brian Eastman
Offering	
Songs	
Luke 15:28-30	Jack Goodin
Song	
Sermon	Randy Roper
Invitation Song	
Closing Prayer	Lloyd Kirk
Announcements	Sam Day

10:40am

Story Time	Matt Batchelder
Welcome	Randy Roper
Song Leader	Jason Dean
Songs	
Prayer	Ron Feken
Songs	
Communion	Brent Keck
Offering	
Song	
Luke 15:28-30	Jason Graham
Children's Bible Hour	
Song	
Sermon	Randy Roper
Invitation Song	
Closing Prayer	Neil Ferguson
Announcements	Sam Day

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 – Upwards & College Classes **BIBLE HOUR** – YMCA Class

OCTOBER NURSERY – Sowers Class **OCTOBER BIBLE HOUR** – Catalyst Class

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

PANTRY – oatmeal packets, peanut butter & jelly, saltine crackers, canned vegetables/ soup, rice, Hormel Complete Meals

INDIVIDUALLY WRAPPED CANDY needed for Trunk or Treat. Place candy in bin by Brenda’s office.

HOSPITAL - JAMES CAIL
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, Linda Lutze, McKenzie Cutshall, Doris Aldridge, Doyle & Sue Martin, Wanda Roper, Arie Marshall, Bob & Jeanette Reichardt, Butch Nichols, Allen Arnold, Dicki Phillips, Russ Sharp, Jim Goodin’s mother, Betty Bridwell, Phil Bryan, Brittany Romick’s mother, Malcolm Milligan, Shirley Kooi, Zoey Courtright, Pat Smalling, Asher Surber, Thomas Reddic, Eva Serrato, Samira Zamora (Cuban missionary’s daughter)

THOSE IN THE MILITARY
Clayton Williams, Bradley Martin, Alex Young, Alison Young, Cade Mashburn, Cody Bowman, Blake Horton, John Halcli, Richard Romick, Tyler Manharth

SYMPATHY TO
SUE LAUDERDALE in the death of her sister. She was the aunt of Emily & Jared Lauderdale.
JOHN & JILL SCHADEGG and their family in the death of their son Rylan.
JIM GOODIN in the death of his uncle.
BRIDAL SHOWER FOR
SHELBI BENTLEY on Sept. 21 at 2pm in the parlor. She is registered at Crate & Barrel, Target & Amazon.
LINDSAY ALLENBACH on Oct. 12 at 2pm in Quad 4. She is registered at Target, Amazon & Zola.com.
WHITNEY HOLLAND, bride-elect of **LANCE McCAUGHAN**, on Oct. 12 at 2pm in the parlor. She is registered at Target, Amazon & Crate & Barrel.
CELEBRATION SHOWER, FOR COLLEGE COUPLES
SYDNEY ADEE & COLBY BABB on Oct. 12 at 3pm in the home of Jenny Jones (14109 Kirkland Ridge). They are registered at Target & Amazon.

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CHECK IN





Women's Ministry

Conversations: Mission-minded Women & Their Stories

September 14 & 21
6:00pm, Chapel

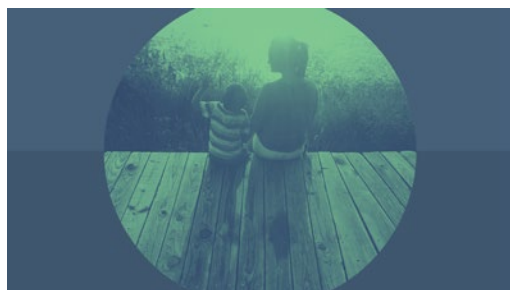
Be encouraged by stories of the Gospel spreading through faithful women humbly sharing the love of Jesus.



Commission Sunday

October 5

Continue your prayer to see God do **Great Things**, especially through our mission efforts. Prayerfully consider giving sacrificially on our final Commission Sunday of the year.



Mother Son Date Night

October 10

6:30pm, Brickopolis in Bricktown

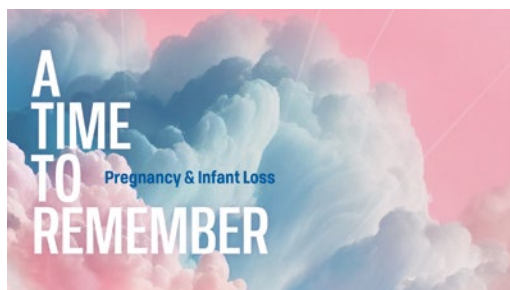
Pre-k through 6th grade
\$12 per person includes pizza, drink and a round of mini-golf.
Register online 9/7 - 10/5



Search Recording

October 5

4:00pm Seating & Practice
5:00-6:30pm Recording
All ages are welcome.



A Time to Remember

Pregnancy & Infant Loss

October 12

5:00pm, Angel Park

If you have been personally impacted by pregnancy loss or infant loss, or want to support others who have been impacted, join us for a special time of remembrance.

SEPTEMBER 21

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

SUNDAY NIGHT FOR THE MASTER

ROOM

Quad
Foyer
Chapel
Fellowship 2
Fellowship 3
210
211
Youth Room
Angel Park

ACTIVITY

Help clean up after the meal
Children's Ministry Projects & Communion Packets
Women's Ministry Conversations
The Chosen
Communion Served
DivorceCare
Shared Experience – Dominoes
Shared Experience – NFL Game
Shared Experience – Pickle Ball

CHILDREN'S SCHEDULE

6:00pm	Nursery 3 years - 1st grade, Playtime in Bible Hour Room 2nd - 6th meet in Room 204
7:00pm	Pick up 3 years - 1st grade in Bible Hour Room Pick up 2nd - 6th in North foyer

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

Sept 21	Breakfast Devotional & Activities	Oct 26	Flex: Trunk or Treat
Sept 28	Meal, Devotional & Activities	Nov 2	Hispanic Ministry Meal, Devotional & Activities
Oct 5	Flex: Search Recording	Nov 9	Baked Ziti, Devotional & Activities
Oct 12	Flex: A Time to Remember	Nov 16	Chicken Enchiladas, Devotional & Activities
Oct 19	Flex: Fall Break		

MISSION UPDATE

Zambia

KINGSTER FOLOKWE

Greetings to you and all those who are the household of the church of Christ there.

Earlier this summer we had a Youth (college-aged) Meeting at Mukweela by the southern province.

We had good time in the presence of the Lord Jesus Christ with Bible study, singing and prayer. In late August, I visited Riverview Church of Christ where I shared a sermon and had the honor to speak during the memorial service to celebrate the life of sister Michelo. She

and her husband lived as good examples together. I reminded us the words of Paul - if this tent is destroyed I have a home in heaven.

Last week I joined the Mwaata Church of Christ women's group and we visited the Katungu Church of Christ. I shared a sermon and the mothers sang beautiful songs. We had an enriching experience in the Lord Jesus Christ.



Your prayers are bearing fruit in the lives of many. I am grateful for your encouragement brethren, it's indeed a blessing. The Lord has been faithful and a guiding light in my heart.

Continue praying for me as I continue to serve in His Kingdom.

- Kingster Folokwe



October 5

FINAL COMMISSION
SUNDAY OF 2025

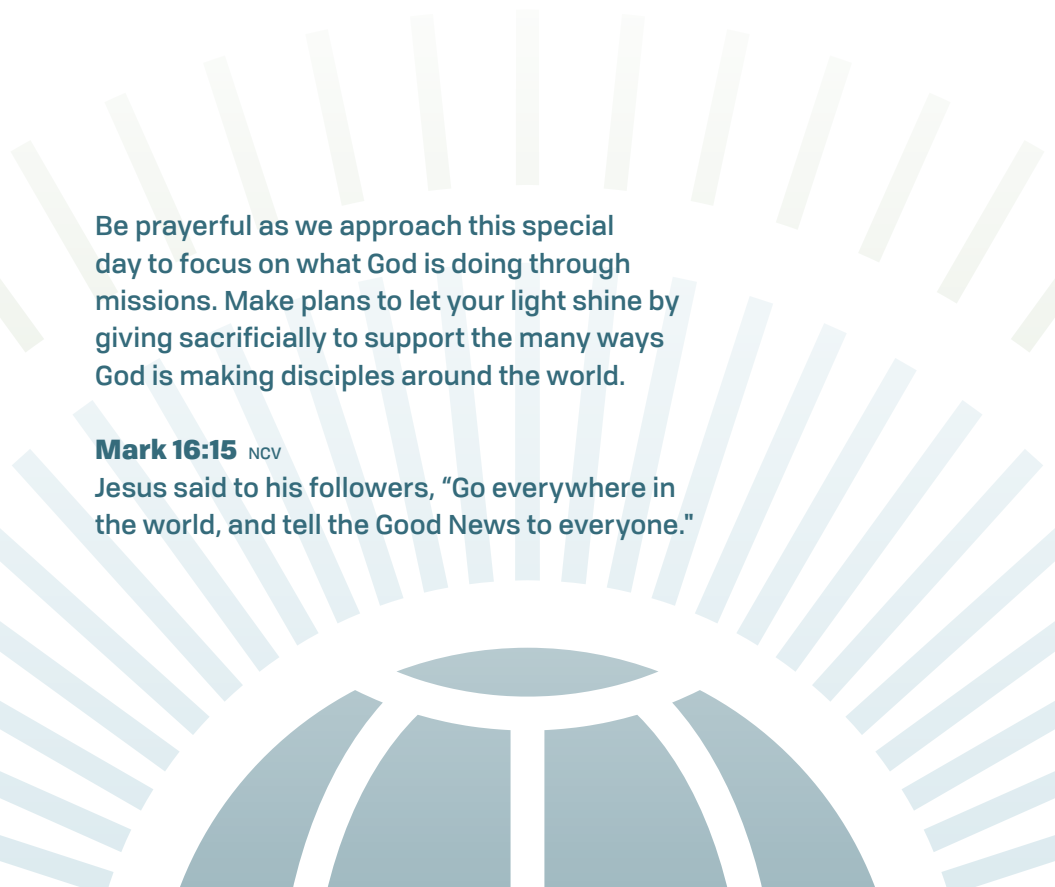
COMMISSION SUNDAY



Be prayerful as we approach this special day to focus on what God is doing through missions. Make plans to let your light shine by giving sacrificially to support the many ways God is making disciples around the world.

Mark 16:15 NCV

Jesus said to his followers, "Go everywhere in the world, and tell the Good News to everyone."



October 5



Children on a Mission

Our children will record a version of "Jesus Loves Me" in English and Spanish and send it to several of our missionaries for their encouragement. The recording will take place on Sunday evening, Sept. 21, during Connect Kids at SNFM. Our children will also write notes to the children of some of our missionaries.



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Women's Ministry



Conversations:

Mission-minded Women & Their Stories

Be encouraged by conversations with women living missionally. Hear stories of the Gospel spreading through faithful women humbly sharing the love of Jesus. May we each take up the charge to be disciples and make disciples.

September 14 & 21
at SNFM
6:00pm, Chapel

Men's Prayer Sessions



Wednesday Mornings in September
9/3, 9/10, 9/17, 9/24

Room 206

6:00am Coffee & Donuts

6:30am Session Begins

7:00am Dismiss

"Humbled to Lead"

**Join us for coffee, donuts, and
prayers for servant leadership.**

**Contact Aaron Mora, Phil Klutts or
Jeremy Robertson.**





MOTHER SON DATE NIGHT

October 10
6:30pm

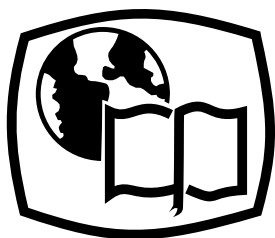
Brickopolis, Bricktown

PreK thru 6th Grade.

Register online 9/7 - 10/5.

\$12 per person (includes
pizza, drink and a round of
mini-golf).





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SEARCH SINGING & RECORDING

OCT 5

4:00 pm Seating & Practice
5-6:30 pm Recording

All ages are welcome.
A Flex-Sunday activity.



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Sunday, October 12

5:00pm

Angel Park

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TRUNK OR TREAT

is coming!

**Please drop
off individually
wrapped candy**
in the bins by
Brenda's door.



Men's Retreat

October 24-25

**Jacob's Ladder Campground
Chandler, OK**

The world today needs Spirit-filled men who walk the journey of life together and speak the Word of God boldly, just as they did in Acts 4:31. This overnight retreat will encourage us to live together, be Spirit-filled, and speak boldly.

S P E A K E R S

**Jeremy Robertson (Together)
Randy Roper (Filled with the Spirit)
Phil Sanders (Speaking Boldly)**

\$50 Adults

\$30 Students

Register online before October 15.

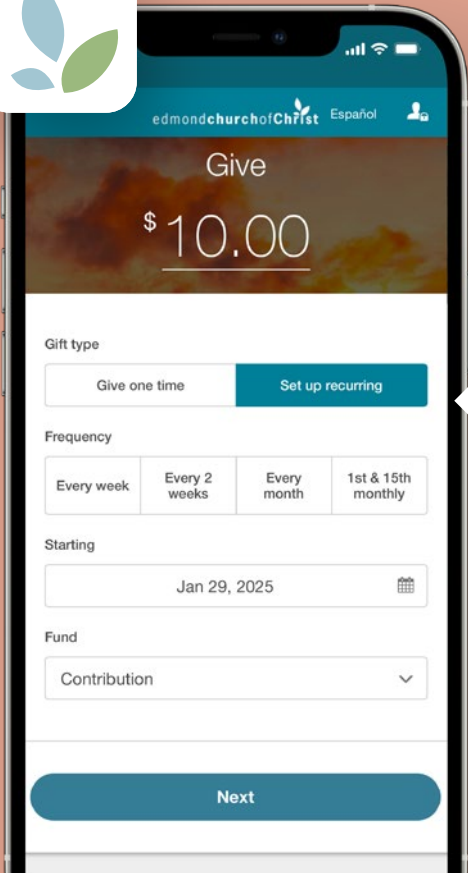


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CLICK HERE TO GIVE ONLINE



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 THE 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

MINISTRY STAFF

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

MISSIONARIES

Email any of our missionaries from our website.
EdmondChurchOfChrist.com/People/Missionaries



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SHEPHERDS

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

ATTENDANCE REPORT

WORSHIP (Total)	1139
On-Site	1059
Online	79

2025 GIVING

	SUNDAYS	COMMISSION SUN.
Given Last Sunday	\$ 63,153	\$ 569
Given thru Last Sunday	\$ 1,708,117	\$ 325,014
Plan thru Last Sunday	\$ 1,682,214	\$ 310,822
Annual Plan	\$ 2,355,100	\$ 466,233

BIBLE CLASS	
Preschool	59
Grades K-6	108
Grades 7-12	115
Adults	656



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WATCH SEARCH ONLINE www.searchtv.org

WATCH EVERY SUNDAY

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

Presenter: Phil Sanders

SEPTEMBER 21 - "We Need God"