

# UPCOMING



Annual  
Mother's Day  
Offering

Collected Today  
Goal \$5,300



## EASTERN HILLS

### CHRISTIAN ACADEMY PROGRAMS AND GRADUATIONS

Tuesday, May 12 at 6:30 pm

Elementary Spring Program

Wednesday, May 13 at 9:30 am

5th Grade Graduation

Monday, May 18 at 8:30 am

Kindergarten Parade

Tuesday, May 19 at 10:30 am

Kindergarten Graduation

Thursday, May 21

Last Day of School



- EasternHillsABQ
- EHBC Children's Ministry
- EHBC Student Ministry

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Men's Breakfast  
May 16 8:00 am FLC  
(next one will be in August)

Business Meeting  
Next Sunday - 17th  
5:30 pm Sanctuary



### SUMMERSONG

Get your song on!

Interested in joining a  
small ensemble (voices and  
instruments) for special  
music this summer?

See Denise Wagner for  
info, or text/call  
303-931-2615, or  
daw1649@gmail.com



As we come into Mother's Day, I want to take a moment and speak not just about moms, but really to women as a whole. Over the past few weeks, Kerry & I have been spending time in 1 Samuel 25, and I keep coming back to the story of Abigail. Scripture tells us she was intelligent and beautiful—but that's not what makes her memorable. What stands out is how she responds when everything around her is on the verge of disaster.

Abigail is married to a foolish man, Nabal, and his decisions & interaction with David put her entire household at risk. When she finds out that David is on his way—and that his intent is destruction—she doesn't panic, shut down, or wait for someone else to fix it. She acts. And because her household is already in order, she's able to move quickly. She gathers food, prepares a generous offering, and goes out to meet David herself. That kind of readiness feels familiar to a lot of women. Seeing the problem. Knowing what needs to happen. And stepping in without making a speech about it.

But what really sets Abigail apart is her discernment. She speaks to David with humility and wisdom. She's calm when he's angry. She doesn't provoke him—she redirects him. She reminds him of who God has called him to be and helps him stop long enough to choose wisely instead of acting out of rage. And because David listens, lives are spared.

That's the contrast: David listens to wise counsel. Nabal refuses it. One chooses wisdom and life. The other stays stuck in foolishness. And so often, women—especially mothers—play that same role, quietly steering the people they love away from destruction and back toward God's purposes.

Abigail's legacy isn't about position or recognition. It's about peace preserved, lives protected, and the power of faith-filled courage and wisdom—right when it mattered most.

Happy Mother's Day  
Joe & Kerry



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**SENIOR PASTOR BILL CONNORS**  
**MOTHER'S DAY**  
**EPHESIANS 5:22-33**



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**Offering May 3, 2026**

	This Week	Year-To-Date
Budget Needs:	\$22,637.00	\$407,466.00
Budget Receipts:	\$35,777.00	\$414,416.01

**ENDEAVOR Campaign Received to Date: \$1,347,114.84**



**Sunday, May 10, 2026 - Mother's Day**

Offering Collected for the NM Baptist Children's Home  
 8:30 to 10:15 AM · Church Library Open  
 9:00 AM · Bible Study for all ages  
 10:30 AM · Family Worship (Sanc.)/Kids Worship - Infants - 5th Grade  
 No evening activities

**Monday, May 11, 2026 - Bill's 25th Anniversary with our Church**

9:00 AM · Schuler - Women's Bible Study "Knowing Him Better, Loving Him More" by Tina Schuler (Rm 101B to 103A)  
 1:30 PM · EHCA Program Rehearsal (Sanc.)  
 6:30 PM · Handbell Rehearsal (Choir Rm.)  
 7:00 PM · Phoenix Rising Acting Group Rehearsal (MH)

**Tuesday, May 12, 2026**

7:30 AM · Curtis Smith's Bible Study  
 (Zoom Meeting ID:459 651 0196 Pass code: 1000)  
 9:00 AM · Staff Meeting (Conf. Rm.)  
 10:00 PM · EHCA Program Rehearsal (Sanc.)  
 11:00 AM · Staff Lunch Out  
 4:00 PM · Ministry Group Leaders Meeting (Conf. Rm.)  
 6:30 PM · EHCA Elementary Spring Program (Sanc.)

**Wednesday, May 13, 2026**

9:00 AM · EHCA Chapel 5th grade graduation (Sanc. & MH)  
 9:30 AM · Hope Ahead Women's Bible Study (Rm 101A)  
 5:00 PM · Churchwide Family Dinner (MH)  
 5:45 PM · Prayer Meeting (MH)  
 6:15 PM · Kids on Mission (Rm 102)  
 6:30 PM · Women's Bible Study - Monica Seiler (Parlor)  
 6:30 PM · Youth Prime Time (Youth Rm)  
 6:30 PM · Worship Choir Rehearsal (CR)

**Thursday, May 14, 2026**

6:30 PM · Worship 4:24 Praise Band Rehearsal (Sanc.)  
 6:30 PM · Ladies' Precepts Bible Study - *The Purpose of Prayer*  
 (Rm 101b to 103a)

**Friday, May 15, 2026**

11:15 AM · EHCA PS/PK Rehearsal (Sanc.)  
 1:00 PM · Men's Bible Study - Church History (Conf. Rm.)  
 6:00 PM · Phoenix Rising Acting Group Rehearsal (FLC)

**Saturday, May 16, 2026**

8:00 AM · Men's Ministry Breakfast (FLC)

**Sunday, May 17, 2026 - Celebrating the Lord's Supper**

2:00 PM · Canaan Brazfield to use FLC  
 5:30 PM · Business Meeting (Sanc.) - Wendy's! (Mont. & Eubank)

MH = Miller Hall FLC = Family Life Center/Gym Sanc. = Sanctuary CR = Choir Rm.  
 CH = Clubhouse CY = Courtyard CC = Cross Courts