

SEPTEMBER

2026

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 Movie - All Saints BYO Lunch	3	4	5 Hill Family to use MH Salido/Connors Family to use MH
6	7 Church and School Offices Closed Labor Day	8 Vision Framing Meeting	9 Kids on Mission and Mission Friends Begin	10	11 EHCA Grandparents Day Patriot Day	12 Bible Study Leader Training and Banquet
13 STEM Sunday Begins Adults on Mission Grandparents Day	14	15 EHCA Picture Day	16 The Forge	17 CornerStone Speaker and Lunch	18	19 Men's Breakfast Student's - McCall's Pumpkin Patch & Carving
20 Business Meeting	21	22	23 See You at the Pole	24 Meet the Candidates Sponsored by ERLC	25 Women's Ministry 'Read the Book'	26 Women's Retreat
27 ZOO LAPALOOA	28	29	30			BCNM 1 Day Missions

OCTOBER

2026

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 EHCA Standardized Testing	2 Second Chance!	3
4 World Communion Sunday	5	6	7	8 CBA Annual Meeting @ FBC Moriarity	9	10
11 EHCA Fall Break	12	13	14	15 CornerStone TBA	16 HAPPY BOSS'S DAY EHCA Parent/Teacher Conferences No School	17 Men's Breakfast
18 Pastor/Clergy Appreciation Sunday	19 Columbus Day Indigenous Peoples Day Canadian Thanksgiving	20	21 The Forge	22 EHCA 5th Grade Seder Meal Memorial Service for Iva Krogman	23	24
25 Budget Discussion Reformation Sunday	26	27 EHCA Picture Retakes	28	29	30 EHCA Book Parade and 5th Grade Book Tasting	31 TRUNK TREAT

People helping people live out the unexpected love of Jesus every day. This is Eastern Hills' mission as a church: to help one another be more like Jesus, and to help others hear about, experience, and live out His unexpected love every day.

Our values declare that we are an **AUTHENTIC FAMILY**: We have fun and encourage each other through life's ups and downs. We value **REAL TRUTH**: We dig into Scripture for clarity in a confusing world. **TRANSFORMATIONAL GROWTH** is our third value: We thrive as we learn to become more like Jesus together. And finally, we desire to make a **PRACTICAL IMPACT**: We seek to meet the needs of our neighbors wherever we find them.

INFORMER

GIVE TO NEW MEXICO STATE MISSIONS OFFERING SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER

Your donation helps provide

- Church Planting – 30% – \$172,500
- Collegiate Ministries – 10% – \$57,500
- Hunger Funds – 10% – \$57,500
- Inlow and Sivells Camps (improvements) – 20% – \$115,000
- NM Disaster Relief – 10% – \$57,500
- Evangelism – 20% – \$115,000

Help reach the Eastern Hills Baptist Church Goal: **\$15,000**

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Inviting All Women Read the Book

Reading Strategies For Understanding the Scriptures A Women's Retreat

Friday, September 25 | 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm
Saturday, September 26 | 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

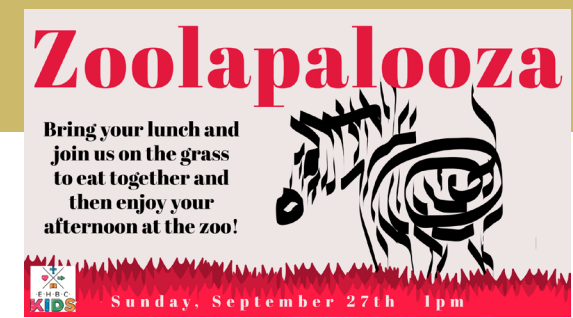




S.T.E.M. Sundays

It's BACK on Sunday the 13th of September!

▪ **September 13 & October 4, 11, 18** EHBC KIDS Bible Study in the Clubhouse 5:30-6:30 pm
Pastor Joe and Ms. Kerry are back with fun S.T.E.M. Bible Studies for children 1st thru 5th Grade. Pastor Joe and Kerry will guide the children in a Bible Lesson each Sunday night and use S.T.E.M. (Science-Technology-Engineering-Mathmatics) as the object lesson for discovering and applying God's Truth into their lives.
Children who are Kinder and younger are also invited, we just ask that parents attend with children of that age due to the S.T.E.M. experiments that will be conducted and shared. **Join Us on Sept. 13th!**



Zoolapalooza Sunday!!

Join us on Sunday, September 27th at the ABQ BioPark Zoo!

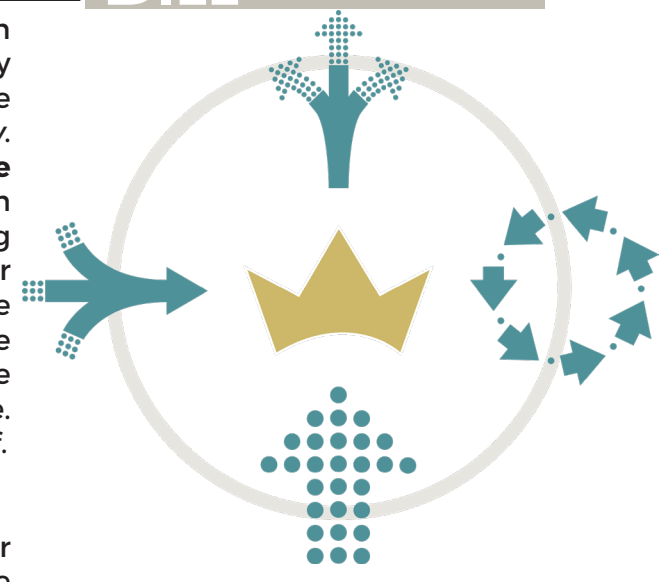
Immediately after service on the 27th of September, we will all head down to the zoo as a church family. We will meet at the park inside the zoo in front of the bandstand. Bring your lunch and invite family and friends. We will then take time to explore every exhibit; from the Penguins, the Big Cats, to the Polar Bears, to the Elephants and everything in between!



We are here to serve the Families and Children of Eastern Hills Baptist Church
Pastor Joe Vivian joe@ehbc.org Khyrstyn Seiler - Children's Director khyrstyn@ehbc.org
Amanda Bowman - Curriculum Director amandab@ehbc.org
Liana Hill - Special Events Coordinator liana@ehbc.org

PASTOR BILL

For the past several weeks in the EHBC Life, we've been considering Connect Groups—the next step in a vision journey we've been on as a church for almost two years. One of the important aspects of any vision is the concept of *strategy*. Since our church's mission is to be **People helping people live out the unexpected love of Jesus every day**, the question becomes: What is the plan or the intentional path for helping people progress in this formation? The graphic to the right is our attempt to communicate this pathway. My goal in this article is to introduce this graphical representation, and to explain the meaning behind the symbols shown here. The key is this: The arrows represent connection, and the dots represent people.



King Jesus is the center of it all.

This is the same crown that appears in our church logo, but gold. The point of all that we do as a church should be for His glory, and not our own. The four other symbols form the shape of the cross, and are tied together by the circle around the crown. The direction of the each arrow is intentional as well.

Family Worship (Weekly): The people of EHBC coming together to worship Jesus.

This is the first way that most people interact with the Eastern Hills Baptist Church family. Every Sunday, we come together in Family Worship with a goal of exalting Christ through singing, teaching, praying, baptizing, and celebrating. The arrow points to the crown, showing that we together point to Jesus in our worship.

Connect Groups (Weekly): Connecting to God, one another, and the mission of EHBC.

The Scriptures tell us that we have been adopted into God's family as His children, making us brothers and sisters, and co-heirs with Christ (Gal. 4:4-7). Connect Groups are launching soon, and the goal is that through the relational depth and accountability that small groups are best suited to provide, we can spur one another on to love and good works (Heb. 10:24).

Neighboring Moments (Always): Showing the unexpected love of Jesus to others where we live, work, and play.

We've already started sharing Neighboring Moments during Family Worship as a way of reporting the practical impact that the folks of EHBC are having around us, as well as encouraging the rest of the church family in sharing the Gospel and our lives with others (1 Thes. 2:8). The arrow points from the crown and out, reflecting our task of reaching others with the unexpected love of Jesus.

Serve Teams (Regularly): Working together in the Kingdom of Christ.

This is the one area that we haven't worked out in the plan yet. While there are many ways to serve at Eastern Hills already, the goal of Serve Teams will be to more effectively bring the people of the church together to meet the practical needs of both the church itself and others, working together as one in kingdom service. The arrow points to the crown to reflect this motivation.



CHURCHWIDE INFO...

The Pastor and Deacons are accepting nominations for a new Educational Ministry Group Leader.

*Any Candidate must have been a member of Eastern Hills for one year to be nominated.
Deadline for nominations is end of the day, September 8.*

THE ONE TO ONE ALBUQUERQUE BIBLICAL COUNSELING TRAINING CENTER PRESENTS

HOPE IN SUFFERING

Date: Saturday, September 19
Time: 9:00 am to 4:00 pm
Cost: \$75
Location: Eastern Hills Baptist Church, 3100 Morris NE, Alb NM

Featured Speakers:
• Bill Connors, pastor of Eastern Hills Baptist Church
• Michael Kelshaw, pastor of Trinity at the Marketplace

Registration:
albuquerquebiblicalcounseling.org



Ethics and Religious Liberties Committee

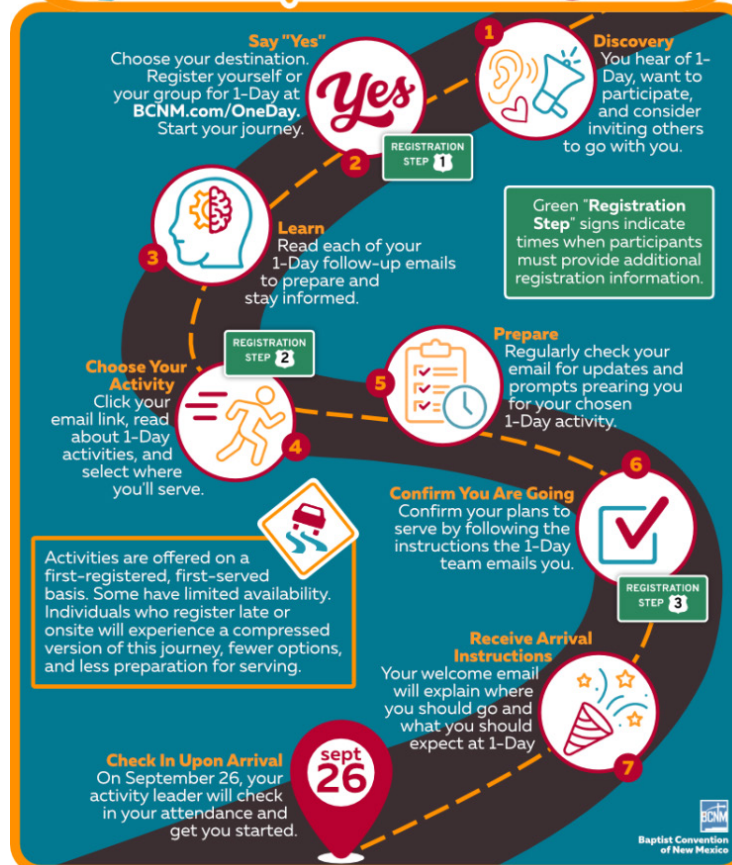


The political spectrum has become increasingly more angry and violent. Each day new allegations come from each side about issues the other side is wrong about. So how do we go about finding the truth? How about just going to the horse's mouth and hearing for ourselves about the topics that are

most important us individually. In just a few short weeks the ERLC will be hosting a Candidate Meet & Greet where we have invited the candidates on both sides to come share their ideas with you and give you the opportunity to ask the questions that YOU need answered. Each candidate will face the people they are responsible for representing. You can address your concerns and hear their responses to what you find the most important and let them understand your concerns. Voting for a candidate that does not represent your ideals or does not share your values is just perpetuating a system that will fail us. Do your homework and investigate the candidates and then VOTE for that person. Hold them responsible to the voters that elect them. They work for us. Let them understand what we want done for us, not other states or political agendas. The Meet & Greet will be held Thursday the 24th of September at 6:00 in Miller Hall. Flyers will be sent out and can be picked up at the ERLC booth in the foyer. Come attend, see and hear for yourself and ask the questions you need answers for. Above all educate yourselves, pray about your decisions and VOTE. The ERLC booth will be available to answer questions and provide you with any assistance we can.

Registration for the New Mexico One Day Mission trip, September 26, 2026, is open.
Visit <https://www.bcnm.com/oneday/> to register.

the 1 Day Registration Journey



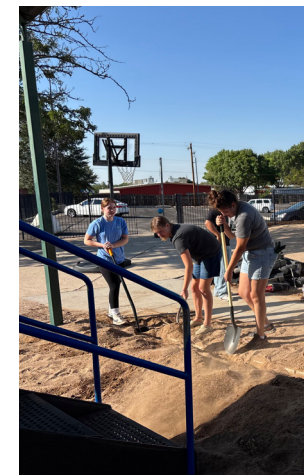
STUDENT MINISTRY

SCHOOL STARTED!

PrimeTime, Sunday School, and weekly discipleship meetings continue as normal!

McCall's Pumpkin Patch, Saturday 9/19. Exact time TBD, likely noon-5pm, followed by pumpkin carving at the Breen's house!

DiscipleNOW! forms are now available in the church foyer, youth room, and on the website. This year's theme is "Follow."



Pray our new "oldest kids" would invest in the new youngest!



Fall Women's Conference

Read the Book

Reading Strategies for Understanding the Scriptures

Friday, September 25th

6:30pm-8:30pm

Saturday, September 26th

10am-3pm



Register Now
ehbc.org/women



SATURDAY, SEPT. 19
8:00 AM • FLC/GYM

MEN'S/WOMEN'S MINISTRIES



August/September Mission Project
Pursonalities Plus, AEO

We are collecting used/good condition purses, scarves, caps for Pursonalities Plus ministry. Donations will be given to women who are coming out of domestic violence, trafficking, sexual assault, homelessness, incarceration, etc. The ministry counsels the women as they begin a new lifestyle, while also telling them of the Good News...Jesus!

Please place your donations in the
Get Connected table bins.

Future Event



WOMEN'S MINISTRY
Saturday, October 10
2 TO 4 PM in Miller Hall

CORNERSTONE 60+ MINISTRY



Second Chance Movie - All Saints (No need to sign up for this one)

Wednesday, Sept 2 • 11:00 AM • MH
Bring a Sack Lunch, Snacks Provided

Speaker & Lunch

Thursday, September 17 • 11 AM • MH
Micheal Summers from the Baptist Foundation.

Financial Matters for Seniors - Tax Implications, Estate Planning, etc.

Second Chance or First Chance or...?

Friday, October 2 • TBA • It's a Mystery!!!

Don't forget to sign up for these events; sign up sheets are in the foyer on the Get Connected Table.

Faithful Brothers and Sisters in Christ - Colossians 1:2