

Evers Road Christian Church

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Sunday

10 am – Worship

6 pm – Bible Study

**5:PM – Deacons/Elders – Meet 1st
& 3rd Sunday of the month**

8: AM – Men's Prayer Breakfast

– Every Saturday

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Dear ERCC Family and Friends

It has been so exciting to see many members return to worship at ERCC on Sundays. We are very optimistic that God is going to bless ERCC with continued spiritual and numerical growth. We can already see God's hand at work as ERCC begins to bounce back from the Covid crisis.

Children will continue to attend adult worship on Sunday mornings. This is a temporary arrangement while our Youth Director is on sabbatical (leave of absence). At least part of each sermon will be geared for children, and I am using some teaching methods appropriate for their age. I will also be asking the children and youth to participate in various ways during the sermon. We aim to provide a fun, family atmosphere, while at the same time, present serious and substantial teaching from God's Word.

Please join us for Adult Bible Study on Sunday evenings at 6 pm. The current series is: "Great Verses of the Bible". The theme for Sunday, May 2nd will be "Victory in Jesus", and we will be studying the victory verses throughout the Bible, such as: "We are more than conquerors through Him that loved us" (Romans 8:37). These verses will pick you up when you are down.

Pray for the youth ministry and children's ministry at ERCC. We are committed to providing Sunday School for all ages. We are committed to providing Jr Church and a vibrant youth program. Many of these programs came to a halt because of Covid. Just like the once-fallen walls of Jerusalem, we are resolved to rebuild our children's ministry.

We are serious about shepherding the flock, and this includes those that once attended and no longer come to church at ERCC. It is my plan to reach out to these families and show them we care. We hope to have a rotation of elders that accompany me on these shepherding calls. Please pray for us as we leave the 99 and search for the one lost sheep. We desire to bring them back into the fold.

As your pastor, I am committed to praying for your needs. Do not hesitate to email me or text me with your prayer request. I have a private and confidential prayer list. I will pray for you daily.

I invite you to sign up for the Encouraging Word video series. Every weekday I send out a short YouTube video by email. The video includes a verse of Scripture and a brief explanation. Right now, I am going verse-by-verse through Romans chapter 8. Most of these videos are 1 minute in duration. To subscribe, simply email me at pastor.mark.a.wright@gmail.com and say, "send me the videos."

We are trusting God to do great things at ERCC.

Pastor Mark

Prayer Request

1. Juanita Asher
2. Dan Walton
3. Jeannie Fairbrother

You may call in prayer requests
Carrie Camacho at: 210-684-2043

VERSE OF THE MONTH

“Let your eyes look straight ahead;
fix your gaze directly before you.
Give careful thought to the paths
for your feet and be steadfast in all
your ways.” Proverbs 4:25-26

QUOTE OF THE MONTH

"If God is your partner, make
your plans BIG!" D.L. Moody

Nagaland Orphanage

Here is a list of the children:

- F -Aloilo...15...grade 6
- F...Buthum...13...grade 6
- F...Lorenda...14...grade 9
- F...Lothungbeni...19...Trade school
- F...Mercy...11...grade 4
- F...Moila...11...grade 4
- F...Nehumbeni...12...grade 4
- F...Tantsushi...14...grade 6
- F...Yampo...12...grade 6
- M...Ajan...16...grade 11
- M...Ajanthung...17...grade 10
- M...Benjamin...15...grade 9
- M...Chumben...8...grade 2
- M...Edward...13...grade 7
- M...Renben...21...Bible College
- M...Tsentsuthung...15...grade 9
- M...Zanao - 15 - grade 9



CODY'S CORNER

We ask that you please be in prayer for the
Walton family.

On Saturday afternoon, April 17th, Cody Walton asked
for a sabbatical (leave of absence) for personal
reasons. The elders approved this request. At this
time, we do not know when he will be returning.

We are searching for someone to fill in temporarily
during Cody's absence. In the meantime, children
and youth will attend adult worship on Sunday
mornings. Pastor Mark will be presenting a series of
child-friendly sermons during adult worship.

We have temporarily suspended Sunday evening
youth meetings, Wednesday evening youth meetings,
and Jr, Church.

By: Mark Wright

MISSION CORNER: Nagaland Orphanage

It seems like 2020 just flew by! Since the children
have not been able to attend-in-person school we
have been very busy overseeing their education.

With so many things happening around us and
across the world, we continually pray about all the
turmoil. But we know that our God is in
control of everything!

In fact, we have had the best year because of the
lockdown. It has been a beautiful and special time
of reconnecting with each other.

Here is a short update about school. We had on line
classes for all the children this year. The first,
second and third evaluation test exam was done on
line. The big final exam for the lower grades that
determines whether they are promoted to the next
grade was done at home and we had to take it to
school. They had tests in eight subjects. We just
received word that all the children passed! We are
praising the Lord!. On the other hand, the 9th
graders had the Nagaland Board of Exam which
started on the 14th of December and the 10th graders
took their tests in February 2021.

So far by the grace of God we are all doing fine. But
the last few months have been very challenging. We
have had a bout of the flu/cold going around the
orphanage. We spent much time taking children
and staff to the medical clinic. We seem to have
weathered the storm. Our God is Awesome! We
know that many people are praying for us
and we appreciate all of you.

The India government is not letting funds to be wired
into the orphanage account currently. Please pray we
find a solution to getting money to the orphanage.

MAY 2021

Date	2	9	16	23	30
Servers	Andrew Burkholder Fred Archer Edward Gideon				
Communion Preparers	Millie Borelli				
Greeters	Fay Melby	Eva Martinez	Deborah Hargett	Loa Joy Allen	Viki Cunningham

We may not be having greeters at the doors at this time due to the Covid Pandemic. Just follow our church leaders' direction if you have a question. Stay safe. Our attending congregation can pick up a Bulletin as they come into the bldg. Greet all with a wave and a smile.

Sunday Night Snacks	No Snacks are being served during Adult Sunday Service at this time.				
Date	1	8	15	22	29
Men's Prayer Breakfast	As you attend, Volunteers for prayer breakfast will be requested for the upcoming Saturday.				

SERVERS: If you cannot be present on the day you are scheduled to serve, please find a replacement.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS: Please call the office @210 684-2043 if you will not be here.

PRAYER REQUESTS: Please call Carrie Camacho 210-684-2043 or 972-999-6774 / or e-mail to ercsecretary@att.net

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 Men's Prayer Breakfast – 8a Ladies Mother's Day Tea -@11AM
2 Adult Bible Study–6p	3	4	5	6	7	8 Men's Prayer Breakfast – 8a
9 No Evening Service 	10	11	12	13	14	15 Men's Prayer Breakfast – 8a
16 Adult Bible Study–6p	17	18	19	20	21	22 Men's Prayer Breakfast – 8a
23 Adult Bible Study–6p	24	25	26	27	28	29 Men's Prayer Breakfast – 8a
30 Adult Bible Study–6p	31	HAPPY BIRTHDAY – MAY: 1 – Ben Martinez; 7 – Cody Walton; 9 – Brenda Dyer; 12 – Joseph Duran; 13 - Jerry Kline; 28 – Justin Burkholder; 28 – Deborah Hargett				