

# East Side Church of Christ

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*"We Are People of the Book!"*



"Now these were more noble-minded than those in Thessalonica, for they received the word with great eagerness, examining the Scriptures daily to see whether these things were so." Acts 17:11 (NASB)

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## Minister

George M. Williams

## Elders

Ed Davis

Mike Deen

Cranston Hardeman

Marlon McGhee

## Deacons

Ricky Sells, Sr.

Quinton Smith, Sr.

Ethan Williams, Sr.



## Youth Minister

G. Micheal Williams, II.

## ↳The Holy Alphabet!↳

**A**l- though things are not perfect  
**B**ecause of trial or pain  
**C**ontinue in thanksgiving  
**D**o not begin to blame  
**E**ven when the times are hard  
**F**ierce winds are bound to blow  
**G**od is forever able  
**H**old on to what you know  
**I**magine life without His love  
**J**oy would cease to be  
**K**eep thanking Him for all the things  
**L**ove imparts to thee  
**M**ove out of "Camp Complaining"  
**N**o weapon that is known  
**O**n earth can yield the power  
**P**raise can do alone  
**Q**uit looking at the future  
**R**edeem the time at hand  
**S**tart every day with worship  
**T**o "thank" is a command  
**U**ntil we see Him coming  
**V**ictorious in the sky  
**W**e'll run the race with gratitude  
**X**alting God most high  
**Y**es, there'll be good times and yes some will be bad, but...  
**Z**ion waits in glory...where none are ever sad!



~Submitted by Patricia McKinzie~

## MEDITATE ON THE WORD

“O come, let us worship  
and bow down: let us  
knell before the Lord our  
maker.”

~Psalm 95:6



To all members in  
February

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~Birthdays~

Bianca Smith, Feb.6th  
Pamela Smith, Feb.,12th  
Ruby Gray, Feb., 12th  
Archa Rogers, Feb. 23rd  
Sharon McGhee, Feb, 26th

### REMINDER:

Disposable communion  
packets will be handed  
out in the foyer before  
worship service.

### GREETERS

February 14, 2010

8:00 a.m.

Tonia Gooden,  
Precious Gooden

11:00 am

Ronalyn Johnson

## PRAYER REQUESTS

*God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. Psalm 46:1*

Frank Haynes ( in the hospital till Wed. Feb 10th),Lowell Bradford,  
Robert Billington, II, Jennifer Woods, Renee Richie (for brothers),  
Blessing Ehigie, Felisha Edwards, Keffrelyn Brown (for kanaan's  
health), Francine Matthews, Ed Davis( for health), Anthony Ross, Sr.  
(for wife & daughter test), Kara Henson, Mike & Marilyn Deen (for  
traveling grace), Suzan Hughes, Linda Ross( health marriage). Virgil  
Mitchell (for wife Tanya), Lacy Jones.

## HOMEBOUND

*And the prayer of faith shall save the sick, and the Lord shall raise him up.*



Thurman Byrd, James Wright, Shirley Fitzgerald, Robert Dixon,  
Earc Hodge, Ella Ray (Phone # 480-5963) and Ola East- Heritage Park  
Nursing Center, Veronica Scott, Marlene Burrell, (Sis. Shepperson's sis-  
ter), Dan Weaver, Clara Williams, and Marvin Watson, Pasty Grant,  
Charles Edwards, II.

## ~FAMILY CONTACT~

“Am I my Brother's keeper?” Genies 4:9

### Homebound Visitation Sun., Feb. 14

Call (on Saturday evening) to confirm your visit

**Earc Hodge:** Julian & Larrisha Jackson

**Ella Ray/Ola East:** William Ray,  
Karen Tribue, Dora Washington

**James Wright:** Don Rugley,  
Sherron Williams

**Robert Dixon:** Paul More, Valerie Joiner  
Shirley Riley



### CALLING COMMITTEE

#### February 7th

Cynthia Robinson,  
Debra Cunningham,  
Sharon Crowder,  
Frank Haynes

#### February 14th

Adriene McClarron  
Janet Horace  
Janra Powell  
Ruby Gray

#### February 21st

Valerie Joiner  
Shirley Riley  
Kym Stroughter

#### February 28th

Lillie Arnold  
Leveta Crawford  
Gloria Crayton

# WELCOME

To Our Visitors

Y-O-U are our HONORED GUESTS!

## The Marriage Connection—*MARRIAGE 311*

*We're in for a treat—won't you join us?!*

South Union Church of Christ – Married Couples Retreat

April 23-25, 2010

Hilton Airport Hotel ~ San Antonio, Texas

\$290.00 per couple

*(covers 2 nights room accommodations, Saturday breakfast & lunch,  
Saturday Banquet, Sunday breakfast, all sessions & materials.)*

There's Something About Marriage...

*Facilitators: S.T.W. Gibbs, III, Jamell & Carole Hamilton*

Topics:

Surviving The Good, Bad, & Ugly

Love Is A Will, Not A Feeling...

Having A Love In Spite Of...

- \*\* There is a deposit of \$50.00 (non-refundable) due at sign up.
- \*\* Checks should be made payable to: South Union Church of Christ.
- \*\* Add your name to list in foyer, give registration form and payment to Sandra Hardeman.

Please let us know if you're interested—  
we'd like to submit a headcount by the end of February.

Our Thanks in Advance-  
The Married Couples Committee

## ~Single Mother Support Group~



Sunday, February 14 the roll out for the single mother support group will be held in the auditorium right after evening Worship. All single mothers are invited and encouraged to attend.

## CARE GROUP NEWS

### ~HOUSE 2 HOUSE FELLOWSHIP MEAL~

**Theme:** *"FREEdom Comes With a Price but He Paid it All"* - 1 Tim 2: 5-6

Please join CG2 in welcoming the New Members & New Converts who have been baptized or placed membership from January 2009 to the present. This **FREE** event will be held at the East Side building on Saturday, February 13, 2010 from 2:00 - 4:00 PM. There is a sign up sheet posted in the foyer.

It's **"FREE"** Food, **"FREE"** Fellowship and **"FREE"** Fun! Don't forget to brush up on your Black History facts! --- CG2

### ~CARE GROUPS 9 AND 10~

Will meet in the home of Lillian and Russell Clemons, Saturday, February 20 th.  
at 1:00 pm. Address: 11440 Hillhaven Drive, Austin, TX 78748.

Home number: 512-280-8639.

Directions will be posted in the foyer. Bring your calendars and a smile. See Bro. Clemons or Bro. Hickman should you have any questions. Please bring drinks and finger food.

### ~CARE GROUP 8~

Meeting is set for Saturday, February 27th,  
at 9:00 am at the church building.  
All members are encouraged to attend.



### ~CARE GROUP 4~

(Serving zip codes: 78727, 78728, 78729, 78731, 78750, and 78759)

**What:** Care Group 4 Meeting

**When:** Saturday, February 27<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 4 pm to 6 pm

**Where:** Home of Cory Wiggins

1720 Wells Branch Parkway #8304

Austin, TX

78728



*\*Bring your favorite snack, dessert, or beverage.*

**THEME: "Taking Care of Our own and Growing in Christ" (Romans 12: 3-13)**

**ARE YOU ACTIVELY INVOLVED IN YOUR CARE GROUP?**

- What:** Care Group Sign up Night
- When:** February 17, 2010 (Wednesday)
- Where:** Church Bldg.
- Time:** 7 p.m. until 8:30 p.m.

There is much work to do and the harvest is plenty-. Want to show your love and care in Christ one for the other? Then you will have that opportunity. All you have to do is visit your care group table, and sign up to participate in the listed spiritual needs and activities within your group.

The Care Group Leaders will also be available to answer any questions concerning your **"Care Group."** Give a hand and some time in helping your Care Group meet the needs of the East Side family members

***KID'S FOR CHRIST BLACK HISTORY CORNER!***

***" EACH ONE OF US IS GOD'S WORK OF ART "***



***" I am black, But comely (BEAUTIFUL), O ye daughters of Jerusalem,  
As the tents of Kedar, as the curtains of Solomon." ~ Song of Solomon 1:5~***

**Black History Trivia:**

Go to the link below and complete as a family. Then bring your completed sheet to 3rd Wednesday (Feb. 17th) We will check the answers together and those with all the correct answers will be eligible to put their name in a drawing for a prize. [http://www.educationworld.com/a\\_lesson/lesson/images/lesson052-1.pdf](http://www.educationworld.com/a_lesson/lesson/images/lesson052-1.pdf)  
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**YOUTH CALENDAR~2010**  
**THEME: UNDER CONSTRUCTION**

~February~

**Black History Facts Read Sunday Nights Throughout Month**

February 12th Youth Valentine Gala  
February 24th Teaching on Feb Theme  
February 28th Black History Program

~March~

**Theme: Rebuilding Moral Walls**

March 13th. & 14th Central Pointe Youth Day???  
March 19th Spring Break Youth Fun Fellowship  
March 24th Teaching on March Theme  
Tutoring in Prep for Task test  
March 27th Young Men Training class

~April~

**Theme: Rebuilding Unity in Youth Group**

April 2nd. Youth Meeting in Preparation of youth day/revival  
Have Youth Advertisements made.  
Baytown youth day ???  
April 10th & 17th Pass out Flyers to community  
April 24th Youth Day  
April 25th-29th Youth Revival *Honoring Bro & Sis Davis* for their work with youth group  
April 28th Teaching on April Theme

**ATTENTION ALL LADIES:**



The Ladies Symposium Planning Committee has begun to make plans for our 26th symposium on April 17th. **YOUR INPUT IS NEEDED.** A survey has been sent to you in an email. Please complete the online survey or complete the survey during Ministry Sign-up Night, Wednesday, February 17th.



\*Please mark your calendars for a Ladies Symposium planning meeting after evening wor-



**~CHURCH BASKETBALL~**

If interested in playing on the church team, the per player fee is a small cost of \$ 39.00 due by February 28th or sooner. Call 366-0483 or see Roger Davis, Derwood Kirby or Roderick Blair.





Speaker\_\_\_\_\_

Sermon Notes

Date\_\_\_\_\_

A large, empty rectangular area enclosed by a blue border, intended for writing sermon notes.



**BRETHREN PRIVILEGED TO SERVE**

February 14, 2010


	8:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.	6:30 p.m.
Opening Hymn	Raynal Gooden	Virgil Mitchell	Ronny McClarron
Invocation	Anthony Brown	Theodore Francis, II	Reco Mosby
Songs of Praise	Raynal Gooden	Virgil Mitchell	Ronny McClarron
Prayer	Marlon McGhee	Ed Davis	Ethan Williams, Sr.
Lord's Table	Clifford Davis	Devoncy Maloy	Roderick Blair
Passion Reader	Floyd Boozer	Russell Clemons	Floyd Boozer
Sermon	George Williams	George Williams	George Williams
Announcements	Sam Watson	Genord Jones	Sam Watson
Benediction	Curtis Brown	Danny Phagans	Luther Baker

**USHERS:** Ervin, Haynes, Mouton, King      Wright, Blair, Hardy      Baker, Matthews

Sunday A.M. Worship ..... 8:00 & 11:00 a.m.      Wednesday Bible Class ..... 7:30 p.m.  
 Sunday A.M. Bible Class ..... 9:45 a.m.      Radio Broadcast      KLOG 99.3 FM  
 Sunday Evening Worship ..... 6:30 p.m.      Sunday ..... 8:30 a.m.

2010 Theme: "When Leaders Lead and the People Follow, God is Praised!" Judges 5:2 (NASB)

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS – FEBRUARY 2010**



**African-Americans  
Black History Month**

~Sunday, February 14th~  
Single Mother Support Group

~Sunday, February 21st~  
Education Ministry  
Exe. Team & Lead Teachers meeting,  
@ Bldg. 5:00 pm-6:15 pm

~Sunday, February 28th~  
Youth Black History Program

Mondays~  
Chorus Rehearsal @ 7:30 pm

1st Saturday  
Seasoned Saints Meeting, 1:00 pm

~3rd Wednesday~  
Blood Pressure Clinic  
7:00 - 7:30 pm

Night of Prayer & Singing  
7:30 pm

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