

Notes: “Be Bold” Acts 14

Prayer Requests

Drayden Gibbs	Donna Sharp
Bill Hall	Shirley & Lloyd Shockey
Martha Haubert	Kristi Moore
Bill Ritchey	Ashton Bennett
Mabel White	Marty Swihart
Bill Buchanan	Sharon Kopp
Rowan Murphy	Randy Brewer
Rachel Cunningham	Brooklyn Russell

Pray for Mike & Grace Conway as they are serving in Jamaica as part of a work team helping to rebuild Church of God churches damaged in hurricane Melissa last fall.

Long-Term Prayer Requests

Adriana Stewart	Kathryn Floto
Rosalin Phillips	Keith Miller
Lee Fuller	Charles Ott
Howard Diehl	Jason Copen
Eladio Santiago	Ray Wahl
Glenn Ellington	Millie & Addie Zimmerman
Brian Valley	Mayson White
Dorothy Bucher	Kathy Walzack
Jim Shephard	Damon Tucker
Melissa Warstler	Michael Mercer
Betty Lou Brown	Melissa Mercer
Jane Clapper	Debbie Stout
Rusty Bostic	
Lois Baker	

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East
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Sunday Discipleship Groups 9am
Sunday Worship 10am

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August 9, 2026

The Holy Spirit and His Church

Study in the Acts of the Apostles

Welcome to East Canton Church of God!

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We're so glad you've joined us today—whether it's your first time or you've been with us for years, you are family here. The Bible reminds us in Psalm 122:1, "I was glad when they said to me, 'Let us go to the house of the LORD!'"

What a joy it is to gather in God's Presence!

As we gather together in worship, may our hearts be open to His voice and our souls lifted in unity. Like Jesus says in Matthew 18:20, "For where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them." We believe God is here with us now, ready to meet every need, speak peace into every heart, and transform our lives!

Don't forget to fill out one of our "Welcome Cards!"

Welcome home!

Pastor Greg Smith

Happening This Week...

Tuesday, August 11th | Blessings Exchange | 10-10:45am

Wednesday, August 12th | Explorers: Volleyball & Ice cream | 6:00pm

Join us by the Blessings Exchange for a great time playing volleyball! We will be getting ice cream afterward.

Thursday, August 13th | Thursday Night Discipleship Group | 6-7pm

We are continuing our study in the book of John. All are welcome to join!

Saturday, August 15th | Adult Game Night | 6-9pm

Bring your favorite game and a snack to share. Invite your friends!

Sunday, August 16th | Youth Paint War | 5-7pm

Students in grade 6th-12th - invite your friends for our annual epic paint war!

Office Hours- 8/9-8/15

Monday- 10:00-5:00pm

Tuesday- 9:00-4:00pm

Friday- 9:00-1:00pm

Upcoming Events...

Wednesday, August 19th | Youth Wednesday Night | 6:30-8:00pm

Join us in The Barn as we kick-off the fall semester discipleship group!

Thursday, August 20th & 27th | Thursday Night Discipleship Group | 6-7pm

We are continuing our study in the book of John. All are welcome to join!

Sunday, August 23rd | Ice Cream Social | 12:30pm

Join us after church at the Miller Family Farm- 6742 California Avenue NE for a fun time of ice cream and fellowship together. There will be games for all ages and all are welcome! You are welcome to bring a side dish or come as you are!

Wednesday, August 26th | Wednesday Night Kickoff Picnic | 6-8pm

Join us at Pleasant Acres Lake as we kickoff our fall discipleship groups. Meat is provided. Bring a side dish to share. Address: Lakeknoll St in Louisville- entrance is at the end of the street on the left.

Sunday, August 30th | Testimony Sunday

If you have a testimony that you would like to share, please fill out a welcome card, contact Pastor Greg or the church office.

Sunday, August 30th | Lunch with the Pastor | Immediately following service

If you are new to East Canton Church of God over the past year, you are invited to join us for Lunch with the Pastor. This is an opportunity for you to learn more about the church, our beliefs, our staff, and how you can become a part of all that is happening here at ECCOG. Please RSVP via a Welcome Card or stop by the church office and add your name to the sign up sheet.

Tuesday, October 6th | Senior Adult Fall Feast | Carlisle Inn-Walnut Creek

Doors open at 11:30am; meal at noon. Sign up in the Welcome Center by 9/15. \$29/person.

Prayer Buddies

Our Core Values embrace that we are a praying church, an intergenerational church, and that we treasure our youth and kids. A great way that we can live out these values, is by becoming a Prayer Buddy!

What are Prayer Buddies? Prayer Buddies commit to praying for a specific child and their family each day throughout the year. They commit to getting to know the child they are paired with and building a Christ-centered relationship with their family.

The goal of Prayer Buddies is to build relationships between our kids and our adults. To let our kiddos know that they have prayer warriors on their side that care about them and are praying for them daily. To fully embrace the saying "it takes a village", and to be that "village", that comes alongside our families and walks with them through everything that comes their way. During Baby/Child Dedication, we all lift our hands and commit to walking alongside each family and child, this is one way we can fulfill that commitment.

If you would like to sign up to be an adult Prayer Buddy, please stop by the Office and add your name to the list. More details will be provided next Sunday.