



October 4, 2026

On the Horizon

Ministry Team Sign Up – Please take a Ministry Team Commitment form in the foyer and prayerfully consider how you might serve and lead at EMBC in 2027.

Budget Meeting – On October 11, at 4:30 PM, we will have a Budget Meeting for 2027 open to all members.

Ladies' Night Out – We will dine at Moe's Country Kitchen in Azle, on Tuesday, October 20, at 6:30 PM.

Annual Ministry Conference – We meet on Sunday, October 25, following a Fellowship Meal.

Scheduled Activities

Sunday, October 4

Bible Study at 9:45 AM

Morning Worship at 10:45 AM

Wednesday, October 7

Prayer & Bible Study at 6:30 PM

Pastor's Pondering

Romans 1:25 tells us humanity “exchanged the truth of God for a lie, and worshiped and served the creature rather than the Creator.” If you look at the things our society values and the things it abhors, you will see this verse played out regularly.

What can we do when we trade truth for lies? Those who reject God accept just about any nonsense conceived by humanity. I suppose that once you've rejected truth you can only choose from lies.

Even among believers, we see the worship of the creature in our hearts. We celebrate and even idolize charismatic leaders while excusing their faults and ignoring their immoral actions. We decide their skills outweigh their sins, and we put our hope in them instead of Jesus.

What can we do? We can reject the lies and cling to the truth. We can hope in a person, so long as that person is Jesus.

- Blessings, David

Worship Preparation

We celebrate the Lord's Supper this Sunday and see how Paul approached the Thessalonians in **1 Thessalonians 2:1-12**.

October Memory Verse

Romans 12:2

And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, so that you may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect.

Physical Needs:

- Sheila Pierce has cancer spreading (TB)
- Steven Wells' stage 4 prostate cancer (LL)
- David Hester is receiving chemo for stage 4 throat cancer (SB)
- Roger Giddens needs a liver donor (BS)
- Jeff Bailey has leukemia (VJ)
- Vicki Pendleton has lung cancer (LM)
- Joe Lapointe has esophageal cancer (LL)
- Carla La Coe has stage 4 lung cancer (TB)
- Louis' friend Dennis has stomach issues and breathing problems (LL)
- Mary is dealing with arthritis after surgery (LL)
- Jennifer Brook needs a kidney (VJ)
- Tim Davis has leukemia (DC)
- Fabian Cabrera has difficulty breathing (DC)
- Anita Perez is recovering from surgery (AC)
- Zoe Steel will see Neurologist Oct. 12 for MRI results & treatment plan (MH)
- Joyce Myers is treating for breast cancer (MH)
- Lindy Hoyt continued recovery and rehab (LH)

Personal Requests:

- Unbelieving family, friends, and acquaintances
- Those who are unemployed & looking for work
- Unspoken prayers carried in our hearts
- Pat has poor mental health and alcoholism (TC)
- Hilda Lapointe's extended family (HL)
- Tiffany's mom is off her bipolar meds (GL)
- Julie & Juan have legal and familial issues (LL)
- Maya is worried about her husband's job (BT)
- Andrea has anxiety struggles (BT)
- Dana has legal and other issues (LL)
- David Mosely is fighting wildfires (CR)

Please send new prayers or updates to office@eaglemountain.org. Thank you for keeping us accurate with your updates!

World Events:

- An end to the war in Ukraine
- Peace and justice for Israel & neighbors
- Freedom and justice for the Persian people in Iran

Ministry Requests:

- Opportunities to strengthen relationships with people who don't know Jesus
- Guidance for the direction of our ministry

In Nursing Care:

- Anita Boynton (Springtown Park) (KH)

In the Hospital:

- Joyce Myers has pneumonia (MH)

Families who have recently lost loved ones:

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Family members in the military:

- Alex Grant - Army

Praises:

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Special Days:

- Carolyn Rains' Birthday is on 10/3
- Simon Bench's Birthday is on 10/4
- Louis Lapointe's Birthday is on 10/10

Thank you for your prayers. We know that many of our praises are due to the prayers of our fellowship.

Giving Report for 9.27.2026

<u>Offering</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>	<u>World Missions Giving</u>	
General Offering Needs:	\$ 2,201.00	\$ 85,839.00	2026 Goal	\$6,000.00
General Offering Actual:	\$ 813.00	\$ 73,757.67	Sept. Goal	\$4,500.00
Designated Offering:	\$ 100.00	\$ 4,562.92	Last Week	\$ 100.00
Total Offering:	\$ 913.00	\$ 78,320.59	Year To Date	\$4,335.00