

learning to follow Jesus, inviting others to join the journey

Message from Pastor Jeff

WORSHIP

Many of us are really excited to get to worship together in person again. I also know that several of us are not yet comfortable getting out and around other people. I encourage you, if you are not ready to get out yet, to stay in and stay safe. If you feel the need to stay in you will not miss out on the worship experiences at East Cross. We will continue to live-stream our services at 8:30am and 11:00am. They will look a little different than they do now, but you can choose which music style you prefer and join us on-line for that service. The traditional service will air at 8:30am and the contemporary service will be on at 11:00am.

SMALL GROUPS

Many of our Small Groups are starting back up in the building this Sunday, May 31. Check with your Small Group Leader or the Church Office to find out when your group plans to start meeting again.

God bless you as we continue on this journey together.

Jeff

EAST CROSS IS RE-OPENING FOR IN-PERSON WORSHIP JUNE 7!

Here are some guidelines to follow as we return to worshipping in the East Cross building:

- ◆ Bring your mask. If you don't have one, we'll have one available. We'll have hand sanitizer here for you to use as you enter and leave the building.
- ◆ We will take your temperature as you enter the building (that will ease a lot of minds).
- ◆ Leave two seats between your family unit and the family unit next to you (keep the six feet social distancing rule in mind).
- ◆ Nursery, Children, and Youth ministries will begin, as well. Check with Nursery, Children, and Youth ministries leaders on their specific guidelines for ministry.
- ◆ We will not observe Holy Communion on June 7 (hopefully we can by July 5).
- ◆ No Coffee Bar and Donuts for a few weeks.

PRAYER LIST

New Prayer Requests... Norita Akers, Connie Black, Hope Taliaferro (Claudia Rolf's mother)

Condolences to...

Nora and Dennis Wegener on the death of Nora's mother.

Church Office Hours

Your East Cross staff is in the building!
Office hours are Monday-Thursday, 8am-5pm.
Call 918-333-0810 to let us know you're stopping by and stay in touch.

Children's Ministry —

We've got a great Bible Story this Sunday about a man named Philip who comes across an Ethiopian royal official on a desert road. Log on to our EC Kids Facebook page to find out what happens! www.facebook.com/ECKidsUMC

Youth Ministry —

Congratulations to all of you for completing another school year! We are looking forward to seeing you all again and are praying that we all have a great summer. Keep checking GroupMe and social media to stay up to date on everything going on!

Worship is streamed live on Sundays at 8:30am and 11:00am.

Invite your family, friends and neighbors to click on the link on our webpage www.eastcross.org or the link on our facebook page and worship with us!

Invitation to Give — There are several ways to continue giving to East Cross.

- ⇒ By mail: East Cross UMC 820 S Madison Blvd Bartlesville, OK 74006
- ⇒ Online with credit card or bank draft: www.eastcross.org
Click the menu tab on the top of the Welcome page and click "Give Online"
- ⇒ Smart Phone: Quick Response (QR) code reader (image is below)



Smart Phone Giving...

Scan image on your phone's QR code reader!

Online Giving...

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