Church of God, awa-East Texas & Ruston

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Websites: http://cogwa.org, http://easttexas.cogwa.org Friday Sunset: 6:22 p.m. (ET), 6:12 p.m. (R)

Sabbath Services

East Texas: 24345 County Rd 3107, Gladewater - 2:30 p.m. Song Leader – Wynn Worthen Pianist – Melissa Fulgham Sermonette – Bryan Diaz

Sermon - Admin Sermon

Ruston: 1:00 p.m., Origin Bank Song Leader – Steve Barnette Pianist – Johna Barnette Sermonette – Tom Moffitt Sermon – Admin Sermon General Announcements

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Children's Choir

The Children will be presenting Special Music during services this Sabbath, March 8.

Sabbath School

There will be Sabbath School after services this Sabbath, March 8.

Men's Leadership Club

Men's Leadership Club will meet after services this Sabbath, March 8.

Women's Fellowship

Women's Fellowship will meet after services this Sabbath, March 8.

Daylight Saving Time

Daylight Saving Time starts this weekend. Remember to move all your clocks <u>forward</u> one hour before going to bed Saturday night.

Camp Website and Applications

Spring is just around the corner with camp season following right behind! The CYC website has been updated and given a new look for 2025. There you'll find the camp locations and descriptions for our four preteen camps and three teen camps. (Details for Winter Camp and Challenger Camp will be added later.) The application system opened on Monday, March 3, so let's get ready for camp!

CYC Campers and Staff

We'd like to make you aware that Snapshot, the pictorial of our 2024 COGWA Youth Camps, has been given a new home. Pictures of camper dorms and staff members are featured in this online publication. Since the pictorial has photos of minors and their names—and we are required to follow strict online privacy laws— Snapshot needs to be passwordprotected. To access Snapshot 2024, follow these steps:

1. First, contact the director of the camp you attended last year to obtain your personal *Snapshot* login credentials.

- 2. Once you have these credentials, go to camps.cogwa.org.
- 3. Right below the banner with this year's camp theme ("Seek First the Kingdom"), you'll see a blue bar for *Snapshot*. Click "view," and it will take you to the login page.
- 4. Type in your credentials and enjoy the photos! (Note! Please do not share your login credentials with others.)

While Snapshot 2024 is an online-only publication, 2025, in addition to the free online version, we plan to make printed copies of Snapshot 2025 available for advance purchase. When you apply for camp, you can order your copy clicking on the Snapshot check box. The system will automatically add \$6.75 to your total camp fees to cover printing and mailing. Your address in the camp application system must be correct in order for you to receive your copy. (Winter Camp photos will be added later, but only to the online version.) The CYC application system for our 2025 summer camps should open early next month.

Progressive Dinner

Elders – Here to serve you

Ken Treybig, Pastor – (903) 714-3684 Mike Machin – (386) 931-1879 John Trotter – (903) 720-3490 Scott Hammer – (903) 738-5367 Melton McNeely – (903) 769-6849 Does the question of where to eat stress you out? Well you're in luck. On March 22, after services, the fun will be in eating at multiple places as part of the East Texas Progressive Dinner.

If you want to join in the fun, all you have to do is sign up, get ready to drive, and get ready to eat. The best fare will be the fellowship with your fellow brothers and sisters in Christ. So, please sign up on the information table.

Also, if you are able to host appetizers, main course, or dessert please sign up to participate and to host. Both sign-up sheets are on the information table.

10th Annual Campout-Lake Corpus Christi St. Park

On the weekend of Friday March 21st through Sunday March 23rd the Corpus Christi congregation will be hosting their 10th annual Lake Corpus Christi State Park Campout. Lake Corpus Christi State Park is located about 30 miles north of Corpus Christi, TX.

Weekend activities will include a Sabbath Bible Study, campfire fellowship, and a telescope star/planet viewing party after the Sabbath ends.

Last year we had about 65 participants from 4 different church areas, this year we are hoping to host many more. This will be a great activity for hiking, biking, fishing, and fellowshipping.

We will be camping in individual campsites, and cabins, in the wooded area of the park. Each campsite has a picnic table, water, electricity, fire ring, and BBQ grill. To reserve a campsite please

contact Arnold Mendez, Sr directly. He has pre-reserved a group of campsites and he will assign you a site.

There is a handout that is available on the information desk (or from the pastor), which contains more information. Or you may go the Corpus Christi COGWA website where an announcement is posted, and the handout can be downloaded and printed out.

If you have any question feel free to contact Arnold Mendez, Sr.

Email:

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Save the Date!

This year our Families Glorifying God weekend will be held over the Memorial Day weekend, May 23-25. The theme will be "Safeguarding God's Family Unit."

Please join the Twin Cities, Minnesota, congregation for fun, fellowship and spiritual fulfillment! There will be something for the whole family.

Details will be coming soon! Please check our website (<u>familiesglorifyinggod.org</u>) and our <u>Facebook page</u> for info in the coming months.

Hope to see you there!

Houston Music Festival

The Houston North congregation will once again be hosting a music festival at the Whitley Vineyards in Montgomery, Texas. The date is Sunday, May 25, 2025. Details are forthcoming, but we wanted to make sure you mark your calendars now for a full day of music and fellowship.